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## 2023 AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

Nominations Open April 17<sup>th</sup>

presented at the



**UAA 2023 Collegiate Aviation Education Conference & Expo**

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Walton from Liberty, poses with the Lauber Award at the Garden of the Gods near Colorado Springs, at the 75th UAA conference.

### CALL FOR AWARDS NOMINATIONS

UAA will begin to accept nominations on April 17th for the Wheatley, Laursen, and Sorenson Professional Educator Awards, The Estridge Industry Representative Award, The Champion Of Aviation Award, and the Lauber Safety Award for 2023.

Details regarding the awards, including submission guidelines and nominations form, can be found on the UAA website at [www.uaa.aero](http://www.uaa.aero) under the Resources > Awards tab.

All awards will be presented at the UAA Annual Awards Banquet to be held September 28th in St. Petersburg, FL. Please note that all nominees except for the Lauber Safety Award must be actively involved UAA members in good standing. Deadline for 2023 award nomination submissions is June 19th, 2023

Questions regarding the UAA Awards should be sent to [hello@uaa.aero](mailto:hello@uaa.aero).

### UAA CALL FOR PRESENTERS IS CLOSING APRIL 3RD!

The UAA Program Committee and Publications Committee are seeking proposals to present at the 2023 Conference in St. Petersburg, FL. UAA's 76th annual Collegiate Aviation Education Conference & Expo offers the ideal opportunity to share best practices, research findings, administrator's insights, publication insights, and hands-on workshops.

The UAA conference offers the ideal opportunity to gain exposure to innovative, groundbreaking programs and leading educators. More than 300 leading aviation educators, collegiate aviation administrators, government and industry representatives are anticipated to be in attendance again this year.

Professionals from universities, research institutions, airlines, government agency and regulators, air safety investigation, students, and all relevant participants in the collegiate aviation system are invited to contribute by a presentation, oral paper, or workshop. Multiple platform opportunities are available to present relevant research and instruction

related material to your colleagues. Presentations can take a variety of forms, but may include presentation of research that has been published but not previously presented, research currently underway, thesis or doctoral research, studies in progress, grant related research, applied research endeavors, and research methodologies.

### Why Present

- Amazing professional development opportunity
- Collaborate with experts in the industry
- Receive recognition for, and feedback about, your practice or program
- Expand your professional portfolio
- Be part of a dynamic community that has made UAA's conference the "must-attend" aviation event for over 75+ years.

Suggested topics include DEI Sessions, Safety Topics, Airport Management, VR Sessions, Fuel/Dispatch, Human Factors, Mental Health, Professional Papers, Part 147, Agency Programs, Research, Flight, Mentoring.

**[CLICK HERE](#) to Submit proposal now!**



**UAA AVIATION IMAGE OF THE MONTH**

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**Mirror Sunrise**

Raul Mairata "Beautiful sunrise at Las Cruces International Airport in New Mexico."

**WELCOME NEW UAA MEMBERS**

**Aaron Bradley**

Student - Marshall University

**Denecia Marshall**

Academic Professional - CUNY York College

**K. Jeppesen, M. Larsen, M. Mikkelsen**

Industry - FlightLogger

**Dianna Miller**

Academic Professional - Saltchuck Aviation SS

**Pablo Rodriguez Rosario**

Student - Interamerican University of Puerto Rico

**Steven Tustin**

Student - ERAU Worldwide

**Harley Waters**

Academic Professional - Middle Tennessee State University

**Naomi Wigley**

Student - Sewickley Academy

**3,000 TECHNOLOGY STUDENTS VISITED UAA AT THE P2P CAREER EXPO**

UAA was pleased to be part of the two-day Pathways 2 Possibilities (P2P) Career Expo for West Tennessee.

Approximately 3,000 middle and high school students from public and private schools throughout West Tennessee were under one roof for this event.

P2P is a unique, hands-on, interactive, career exploration experience designed to give students an opportunity to think about, make decisions, and plan for their career after high school.

Each student spent more than 90 minutes on the expo floor exploring and engaging with professionals. As part

of the P2P program, UAA was in good company - also on the floor engaging students and promoting collegiate aviation were FedEx, Tennessee College of Applied Technology, and Dyersburg State Community College.

Each booth provided information of job fields within aviation: licensure and certification requirements, and expected salary ranges, and education requirements for the field. UAA's booth distributed hundreds of free Collegiate Aviation Guides and Collegiate Aviation Scholarship Catalog to students interested in careers in aviation.



**U.S. SENATORS PROPOSE LEGISLATION TO MANDATE BALLOON TRACKING**



A U.S. Air Force U-2 pilot looks down at the suspected Chinese surveillance balloon as it hovers over the central continental United States before later being shot down by the Air Force off the coast of South Carolina.

Two senators are introducing legislation Wednesday to mandate tracking systems on high-altitude weather and research balloons to help the U.S. military differentiate between potential threats.

Senators Mark Kelly, a Democrat, and Republican Ted Budd will introduce legislation seeking to ensure balloons operating in U.S. airspace can be identified, they said in a statement to Reuters. The issue drew new attention after U.S. fighter jets shot down a Chinese balloon and three other objects last month.

The legislation would require the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to issue regulations within two years mandating equipping high-altitude balloons

operating at 10,000 feet above sea level or higher with tracking systems to transmit altitude, identity, and location.

Kelly, who previously served as a U.S. Navy pilot and NASA astronaut, said "at a time when our adversaries are using hostile surveillance tactics, there is no reason why our country should have to wonder whether an object in our airspace is a threat, weather balloon, or science project."

The legislation would require the FAA to work with the International Civil Aviation Organization to develop equivalent standards for high-altitude balloons worldwide and direct the agency to create a committee to propose recommendations to update existing regulations.

The United States says the Chinese balloon was used for surveillance purposes. China said it was a civilian airship used for meteorological purposes, and that it was accidentally blown off course into U.S. airspace.

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### UNITED AIRLINES AND ARCHER ANNOUNCE FIRST COMMERCIAL ELECTRIC AIR TAXI



Archer Aviation Inc. and United Airlines today announced plans to launch the first air taxi route in Chicago, between O’Hare International Airport and Vertiport Chicago.

Vertiport Chicago, North America’s largest vertical aircraft take off and landing facility, is located in the Illinois Medical District near the Chicago Loop. This site was selected as the takeoff and landing site for this airport to city center route because of its unparalleled convenience, access and service.

From there, passengers will be able to travel to and from ORD via Archer’s Midnight aircraft in approximately 10 minutes. A similar trip by car can take upwards of an hour or more during rush hour traffic.

United and Archer’s goal for its UAM network is to provide residents and visitors in the Chicago Metropolitan Area with a safe, sustainable, low noise, and cost-competitive alternative to ground transportation beginning in 2025. Chicago is the third most populous city in the United States, a center for business, innovation and investment, and home to United’s headquarters. This makes it a unique city for Archer and United to build out. The early launch routes will focus in on airport to city center transportation service, which are referred to as “trunk” routes. Once the trunk routes have been established, the next step will be to build out “branch” routes to connect to surrounding communities.

### BOEING, EMBRY-RIDDLE PARTNER ON \$5.1 MILLION CENTER TO ADVANCE AVIATION SAFETY

The Boeing Company has provided Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University with a \$5.1 million donation for a research center that will drive safety improvements throughout the industry.

The newly named Boeing Center for Aviation and Aerospace Safety at Embry-Riddle, charged with advancing the safety of all who fly, will conduct independent research aimed at mitigating known and emerging operational safety risks. As examples, research may focus on topics such as data analytics to predict and potentially prevent safety incidents; runway safety; safety management systems; risk management; the safe integration of new entrants into the global airspace system; and more.

The Boeing Center for Aviation and Aerospace Safety at Embry-Riddle will be housed in a 13,000-square-foot building on Embry-Riddle’s Daytona Beach, Florida, campus that is currently under renovation. This building, which is expected to open in January 2024.



The center will foster collaboration across academia, industry and government entities, establishing research partnerships – involving graduate and undergraduate students who will gain real-world exposure to the industry through hands-on research projects that will benefit all who depend on air transportation.

### 2022 CAE ENTRY LEVEL JET SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE



Today I achieved her PIC type rating for the Citation Ultra (CE-500) Cessna Aircraft Company Textron.

Last year, I was selected as the recipient of the CAE and UAA Entry Level Jet scholarship. I am deeply touched and honor by your generosity. Thank you so much with grateful appreciation!

Thank you to Broward College for recommending me for this amazing opportunity.

I’m so grateful for everyone that supported me through this process.

I can’t wait to see where this next chapter takes me and all the new adventures opportunities it will open.

### MEET DRISTIN AND MAGGIE



Dristin Rose is an A320 Instructor at United. Maggie Unnerstall is a professional pilot intern at the Denver Chief Pilot’s office at United Airlines.

Two years ago Maggie was Dristin’s instrument student at SIU Carbondale. Another full-circle moment in collegiate aviation as Dristin revisits having instructed her in the C172 as he acquaints her with the A320.



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**COLLEGIATE AVIATION WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS AWARDS**



Twenty-three schools will receive \$10 million in grants from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to help attract and train students for careers as pilots and aviation maintenance technicians. Twelve of the schools will receive \$5 million from the FAA's Aircraft Pilots Aviation Workforce Development Grants program.

The schools can use the funding to create and deliver curriculums designed to prepare students to become pilots, aerospace engineers or drone operators.

**Broward College - \$500,000**

Project will establish drone leagues and competitions to engage high school students to pursue aviation careers and lay the foundation to address the pilot workforce shortage.

**Colorado State University - \$345,711**

Project will support the development of the aviation pilot workforce with an on-campus unmanned aircraft systems aviation summer program.

**ERAU, Daytona Beach - \$484,803**

Project will develop both a UAS program and ground school flight program, which is planned to result in portable, cost-free training curricula for schools nationwide.

**University of Virgin Islands - \$499,301**

Project will support opportunities and the underserved population of the U.S. Virgin Islands, and expose over 10,000 University of Virgin Islands students to aviation pursuits.

**William Jessup University - \$303,808**

Project will attract, orient, and educate Sacramento-area high school students on the basics of aviation, resulting in at least 100 indicating a desire to continue training in some aspect of aviation.

**Cape Cod Community College - \$463,304**

Project will create a pathway for high school students to become certified aviation maintenance technicians and add a National Center for Aerospace and Transportation Technologies/ Aircraft Electronics Technician Avionics Certification Program.

**Cincinnati State Technical and Community College - \$423,594**

Project will work to expand its aviation maintenance technician training capacity, including: Adapting a newly piloted aviation maintenance technician training program for urban high school students.

**Lincoln Land Community College - \$500,000**

Project will seek to diversify student enrollment, enhance the offerings within the Aviation Mechanics Program, and increase the number of students with the FAA credential.

**Nashua Community College - \$456,051**

Project will develop, promote, and deliver an industry-aligned competency-based aviation technology training program for New Hampshire.

**Pearl River Community College - \$500,000**

Project will recruit, develop, train, and maintain a steady pipeline capable of supplying the growing aviation maintenance landscape in and around south Mississippi.

**San Luis Obispo County Community College District - \$484,299**

Project will establish an aviation technical training program that addresses workforce demand and leads to jobs with a livable wage.

**Tarrant County College District - \$282,345**

Project will support a collaborative effort to recruit, train, and hire aviation maintenance technicians. Bombardier/ Tarrant County College District Aviation Maintenance Technician Gateway Program will focus on the Fort Worth area schools.

Those interested in direct scholarship opportunities are encouraged to visit the [FAA Grants and Scholarships page](#).

**ESCU AND PSA AIRLINES DEEPEN PARTNERSHIP, \$30,000 FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND EVENTS**

Elizabeth City State University (ESCU) will expand opportunities for aviation science students thanks to a new partnership with PSA Airlines and a \$30,000 gift from the company. PSA Airlines executives visited ESCU's Aviation Science program on March 2, 2023, and held presentations on career pathway opportunities. ESCU will be an affiliate university as part of the airlines' Cadet Program. PSA Airlines' gift of \$30,000 will offer scholarships, fund student licensing and testing fees and host events for ESCU's aviation students.

"It is our honor to welcome Elizabeth City State University as one of our first of several partnerships with Historically Black Colleges and Universities Hispanic Serving Institutions," said PSA Airlines' Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Steve Jarrett. "At PSA, our commitment to Diversity and Inclusion helps us to create an environment that cares for our team members. We are confident that creating a pathway for students from underrepresented communities can help them to achieve their dream of a career in aviation."

PSA Airlines is a wholly owned subsidiary of American Airlines that provides more than 800 daily regional flights throughout the midwest and eastern United States to nearly 100 destinations worldwide.

**WESTERN MICHIGAN AVIATION PROGRAM TO RECEIVE \$20M LOAN FOR OVER 30 NEW AIRCRAFT**

Broncos at Western Michigan University will soon be soaring to new heights in an updated aircraft fleet.

The College of Aviation at Western Michigan University has been approved a \$20 million loan to purchase over 30 new training aircraft, including a Super Decathlon training aircraft.

The west Michigan university announced that a loan from the WMU Foundation would allow the department to expand's training capabilities.

Currently, the aviation program has 28 Cirrus SR20s. The first round of new aircraft will arrive at the Kalamazoo campus in 2024.





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## CLEMSON SELECTED FOR FAA DRONE TRAINING PROGRAM



The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has selected Clemson University to participate in the Unmanned Aircraft Systems-Collegiate Training Initiative program (UAS-CTI).

“Inclusion in the FAA’s Collegiate Training Initiative is going to open doors for collaboration with other flight educators across the country,” said Joe Burgett, an associate professor of construction science at Clemson who teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in drone operation.

The FAA’s UAS-CTI program recognizes institutions that prepare students for careers in unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), commonly referred to as drones. In order to qualify for the initiative, schools must offer a bachelor’s or associate’s degree in UAS or a degree with a minor, concentration, or certificate in UAS. Schools must provide curriculum covering various aspects of UAS training, including hands-on flight practice, maintenance, uses, applications, privacy concerns, safety, and federal policies concerning UAS.



Burgett, who goes by the nickname “Dr. Drone,” applied for Clemson’s inclusion in the program. In the UAS-CTI, he plans to serve on a committee

to create student learning objectives for drone education programs across the country.

“By combining the FAA pilot’s license and the APSA flight testing, you have a somewhat comprehensive package of skills that students can take with them across a broad spectrum of commercial settings,” Burgett said.

## GREG PRINCIPATO TO RETIRE FROM THE NAA



Following a long career of public service, the National Aeronautic Association (NAA) announced that President and CEO, Greg Principato, will

retire from the association effective on September 15, 2023. Principato has served the NAA since 2016.

“Leading NAA was a dream come true for me personally, and a wonderful opportunity to add to NAA’s unique and historic legacy.

Board Chair Jim Albaugh said “Greg provided impressive strategic leadership during COVID. We are grateful for the expertise and knowledge he provided over the last 7 years.”

A passionate aviation advocate, Principato previously served with the National Association of State Aviation Officials (NASAO) and as the President and CEO of Airport Council International-North America (ACI-NA), the trade association for airports.

## DRONEUP PARTNERS WITH ERAU DAYTONA BEACH FOR DRONEUP CAREER PATHWAY PROGRAM

DroneUp, LLC, a leading autonomous drone delivery platform and drone services provider, today announced a partnership with the Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach to develop the DroneUp Talent Pathway Program, aimed at engaging students with degrees related to UAS.

Known as the world’s largest, fully accredited university specializing in aviation, aerospace, and security/intelligence, Embry-Riddle offers more than 100 baccalaureate, graduate, and Ph.D. programs in a dynamic learning environment that enables the following achievements. More than 32,750 full-time students attend Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University’s two residential campuses in Daytona Beach, Fla. and Prescott, Ariz., and the university’s Worldwide Campus.

## DESIGNING AND DELIVERING CAREER PATHWAYS

On March 23, Institute of Education Sciences (IES) In released a new [practice guide](#) that focuses on guidance for implementing career pathways at community colleges associated with improving postsecondary student learning and labor market outcomes. Compiled by a panel of national experts and practitioners, the practice guide offers five evidence-based recommendations:

- Intentionally design and structure career pathways to enable students to further their education, secure a job, and advance in employment.
- Deliver contextualized or integrated basic skills instruction to accelerate students’ entry into and successful completion of career pathways.
- Offer flexible instructional delivery schedules and models to improve credit accumulation and completion of non-degree credentials along career pathways.
- Provide coordinated comprehensive student supports to improve credit accumulation and completion of non-degree credentials along career pathways.
- Develop and continuously leverage partnerships to prepare students and advance their labor market success.

IES offers community college leaders and staff guidance on how to develop, implement, and support career pathways or career and technical education initiatives at their college. The strategies shared by the expert panelists may also interest employers and industry associations that wish to collaborate with community colleges to design or operate workforce development strategies to prepar and train the modern workforce.

## APPLICATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are now open for the [GlobalAir.com](#) Calvin L. Carrithers Aviation Scholarship, which will provide four students \$1,000 each towards their aviation training in a collegiate aviation program in the United States during the 2023-2024 school year.





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### UND ROLLS OUT VERTICAL AVIATION PATHWAY PROGRAM

The rollout of the University of North Dakota’s (UND, Booth C4334) Rotor Pathway Program is being praised by the Helicopter Association International (HAI) as an “innovative solution” to “tackle the issue of workforce development.”

The program incorporates vertical aviation into aviation classes for college credit presented to high school students in cooperation with industry, high schools, post-secondary schools, and other stakeholders. Upon course completion, students can get additional mentoring as well as internships and job interviews. The program builds on the success of a similar program established in Utah that serves as a model for students pursuing STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) careers.

Leslie Martin, UND associate aviation professor, teaches the program to high school students in Grand Forks. “These students are excited to learn about how they can participate and succeed in vertical aviation,” Martin said.

### KENTUCKY MUSEUM HOSTS GIRLS IN AEROSPACE PROGRAM



The Aerospace Education Center at The Aviation Museum of Kentucky recently held its first-ever Girls in Aerospace program, aimed at encouraging girls between the ages of 10 and 17 to explore the world of aviation and aerospace, as well as pursue careers in the field.

The program, funded by NASA Kentucky at the University of Kentucky, featured 10 presenters who showed the participants that there is more to aviation and aerospace than just being a pilot. Speakers spoke on a variety of career possibilities, including aerospace engineering, the military, aircraft maintenance, air traffic control, flight instructing, and more.

### FLYING PROFICIENCY IN 57 SECONDS

The FAA has posted a [new video](#) to its YouTube channel focusing on flying proficiency for GA pilots.

“Pilots participating in regular proficiency training are much less likely to experience accidents,” FAA officials say. “The FAA’s WINGS Pilot Proficiency Program combines continuing education through courses and seminars with periodic flight training with a flight instructor.”

### APRIL 29TH DRONE SAFETY DAY

Drones are the fastest growing segment of aviation in the United States.

As of January 2023, there were more than 871,000 drones registered with the FAA, and more than 307,000 certified remote pilots, FAA officials report. and hybrid events in focus areas such as Education, Economics, Equity, Environment, and Emergencies.

The one-day event, slated for April 29, 2023, encourages drone pilots and recreational flyers to “Fly RIGHT” by focusing areas such as Education, Economics, Equity, Environment, and Emergencies.

California Aeronautical University is preparing the next generation of aviation professionals. With locations in California and Arizona, CAU courses are delivered in a fast-paced schedule that enables students to enter the pipeline for aviation careers more quickly. Flight students fly in their first term.



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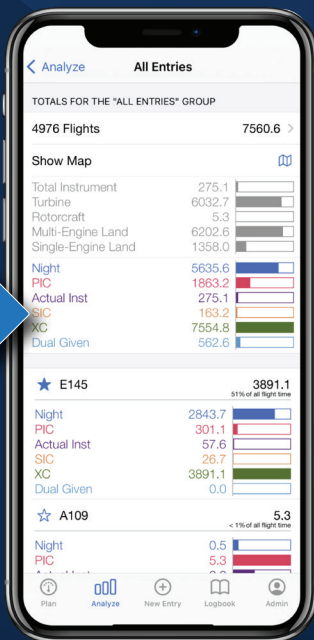
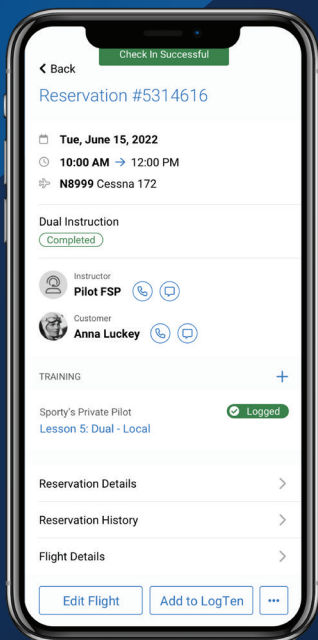
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### Department of Education

International Foreign Language Education (IFLE): Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad (DDRA) Fellowship Program, Assistance Listing Number 84.022A  
 Deadline: April 11, 2023  
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Employment and Training Administration  
 Grant: Work Opportunity Tax Credit Funding Allotments for Fiscal Year 2023  
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 Grant: FY 2023 Community Safety Grant (CSG)  
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### Department of Transportation

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 Grant: FY 2023 Hazardous Materials Instructor Training (HMIT)  
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 Grant: FY 2023 Assistance for Local Emergency Responders Training (ALERT)  
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### Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
 Grant: Collegiate Impaired Driving Learning Collaborative (CIDLC)  
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 Grant: Small Community Air Service Development Program  
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Scholarship Sponsor  
 Airports Council International – North America (ACI-NA)

**Contact**  
[www.airportscouncil.org](http://www.airportscouncil.org)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,500

**Description**  
 Established in 1993, the Airports Council International North America (ACI-NA) offers the Airport Commissioner's Scholarships annually for \$2,500, to students at accredited colleges who are pursuing a degree in aviation management or airport administration.

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Applicants must reside in the U.S. or Canada, have completed at least two semesters of study, possess a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, present two recent letters of recommendation, and be dedicated to a career in airport management.

## Chuck Peacock Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Description**  
 Given by Wanda Peacock in memory of her late husband, Chuck Peacock. As the founder of the Aircraft Electronics Association, Peacock credited his aviation and business management skills as the cornerstones for his success in the industry. This scholarship is offered to recognize the importance of management skills, and is available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend or is attending an accredited school in an aviation management program.

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Must be a U.S. Citizen. Restricted to students studying Aviation/ Aerospace.



**Edward W. Stimpson Aviation Excellence Award**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 General Aviation Manufacturers Association (GAMA)

**Contact**  
[www.gama.aero](http://www.gama.aero)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000

**Description**  
 The Edward W. Stimpson Aviation Excellence Award is presented annually by the General Aviation Manufacturers Association (GAMA) for a graduating high school senior who has been accepted into an aviation management, aircraft maintenance, airway science, or flight training program.

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Be a current student at a U.S. high school, graduating in the spring of the year the scholarship is offered; Be accepted to and enrolling in an institution for an aviation-related degree program; Have a 3.0 or higher grade point average. Applicant must submit: The application form; The Essay Question response; A current high school transcript; and Letter(s) of recommendation.

**Duncan Aviation Scholarship**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 This scholarship is available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

**Dutch & Ginger Arver Scholarship**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

**Field Aviation Co. Inc. Scholarship**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

**Garmin Scholarship**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Have a scanned file of your most recent high school or college transcript on your computer. Prepare your responses to the Questions & Essay section before you start the application. Applications received without completed information will not be considered.

**Gogo Business Aviation Scholarship**  
 Scholarship Sponsor  
 Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**  
[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**  
 April

**Amount(s) Awarded**  
 One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,500

**Description**  
 Available to a high school, college, or vocational/technical school student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

**Scholarship Criteria**  
 Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Must study full-time. Must be a U.S. Citizen. Restricted to students studying aviation/aerospace.

### Johnny Davis Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Description**

Named in memory of Johnny Davis, President of Dallas Avionics in Dallas, Texas, who supported the general aviation industry for more than 30 years and served as an AEA Associate Board Member.

**Scholarship Criteria**

This scholarship is available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

### L3Harris Technologies Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,500

**Scholarship Criteria**

Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Must study full-time. Must be a U.S. Citizen. Restricted to students studying aviation/aerospace.

### Lee Tarbox Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,500

**Scholarship Criteria**

Given by Pacific Southwest Instruments. Available to a high school, college, or vocational/technical school student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program.

### Marshall Temple Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,000

**Scholarship Criteria**

Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Must study full-time. Must be a U.S. Citizen. Restricted to students studying aviation/aerospace.

### Mid-Continent Instruments and Avionics Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,500

**Scholarship Criteria**

Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Must study full-time. Must be a U.S. Citizen. Restricted to students studying aviation/aerospace.

### Pat Napolitano Memorial Scholarship for Aspiring Technicians

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$3,000

**Description**

Pat Napolitano, Fleet Support Representative and Staggerwing Pilot for Mid-Continent Instruments and Avionics was a respected employee and member of the aviation community. With more than 30 years of experience and over 4,500 hours of flight time, his passion for aircraft maintenance and flying was apparent to anyone who had the opportunity to meet him.

**Scholarship Criteria**

Available to all graduating seniors or current college students pursuing their Aviation Technician Certification.



### Sporty's Foundation Recreational Pilot Certificate

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$5,000

**Description**

Sponsored by The Sporty's Foundation, these scholarships are available to avionics technicians or avionics managers of an AEA Repair Station Member to use toward achieving their Recreational Pilot Certificate.

**Scholarship Criteria**

Applicant must be: Employed for no less than one year as an avionics technician or avionics manager by an AEA Regular Member; Award money is to be used for achieving Recreational Pilot Certificate. The award money is not intended for use in achieving any other rating or certificate; Award money is to be used for flight training costs only; Award recipient must plan to pursue a Recreational Pilot Certificate within six months of receiving scholarship; Award money will be sent to repair station manager for disbursement.

### Universal Avionics Systems Corp. Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Aircraft Electronics Association (AEA)

**Contact**

[www.aea.net](http://www.aea.net)

**Usual Deadline**

April

**Amount(s) Awarded**

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$1,500

**Scholarship Criteria**

Available to a high school senior or college student who plans to attend, or is attending, an accredited school in an avionics or aircraft maintenance program. Applicants must have a scanned file of your most recent high school or college transcript on your computer. Prepare your responses to the Questions & Essay section before you start the application. Applications received without completed information will not be considered.

# DeVore Freedom of Flight

The UAA 2023 DeVore Freedom of Flight Scholarship offers college students an opportunity for initial flight training at schools with FAA Part 141 flight schools.

At least one (1) \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded.



**UAA**  
UNIVERSITY AVIATION  
ASSOCIATION

**DEADLINE**  
Opens: April 1, 2023  
Closes: June 30, 2023

*See [UAA.aero/scholarships](http://UAA.aero/scholarships) for details.*

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# THE FUTURE OF OUR AVIATION INDUSTRY

## \$3,000 SCHOLARSHIP FOR FLIGHT TRAINING



**DEADLINE: JUNE 30, 2023**



### Description

To provide financial support for men and women pursuing a future in aviation. The scholarship will provide opportunities to emerging aviation professionals to achieve their academic goals and contribute their talents to the aviation industry.

### Scholarship Criteria

- To earn the scholarship, applicants must meet the following requirements:
- A US resident and at least 18 years of age at the date of application
- Enrolled in a University Aviation Association member institution at the time of application
- Hold a current FAA private pilot certificate
- Must be pursuing an instrument, multi-engine, or commercial pilot rating
- Must be supported by an official recommendation letter from faculty
- Be developing skills that will lead to a career as a professional airline pilot



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### ATCA Full-Time Employee Student Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA)

#### Contact

[www.atca.org](http://www.atca.org)

#### Usual Deadline

May

#### Amount(s) Awarded

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000-\$10,000

#### Description

Full-time employees enrolled in advanced study programs to improve their skills in air traffic control or an aviation discipline.

#### Scholarship Criteria

Applicant must be accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university and planning to continue enrollment the following year. Coursework leads to a Bachelor's Degree or advanced degree. Attendance is equal to at least half-time (6 semester hours or the equivalent). Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed before graduation. Two letters of recommendation in support of the application for the ATCA Scholarship Program.

### Chuck Peacock Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA)

#### Contact

[www.atca.org](http://www.atca.org)

#### Usual Deadline

May

#### Amount(s) Awarded

One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000-\$10,000

#### Description

U.S. Citizen, children of air traffic control specialists enrolled half- to full-time in a program leading to a Bachelor's Degree or higher.

#### Scholarship Criteria

Applicant must be accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university, and planning to continue enrollment the following year. Coursework leads to a Bachelor's Degree or advanced degree. Attendance is equal to at least half-time (6 semester hours or the equivalent). Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed before graduation. Two letters of recommendation in support of the application for the ATCA Scholarship Program.



### Gabriel A. Hartl Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA)

Contact  
[www.atca.org](http://www.atca.org)

Usual Deadline  
May

Amount(s) Awarded  
One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000-\$10,000

Description  
Students enrolled half- to full-time in a two- to four-year air traffic control program at an institution approved and/or licensed by the Federal Aviation Administration as directly supporting the FAA's college and training initiative.

Scholarship Criteria  
Applicant must be accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university and planning to continue enrollment the following year. Coursework leads to a Bachelor's Degree or advanced degree. Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed before graduation. Two letters of recommendation in support of the application for the ATCA Scholarship Program.

### Lawrence C. Fortier Scholarship

Scholarship Sponsor  
Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA)

Contact  
[www.atca.org](http://www.atca.org)

Usual Deadline  
May

Amount(s) Awarded  
One (1) Scholarships Awarded, valued at \$2,000-\$10,000

Description  
Students enrolled half- to full-time in a program leading to a Bachelor's Degree or higher in an aviation related course of study.

Scholarship Criteria  
Applicant must be accepted or enrolled in an accredited college or university and planning to continue enrollment the following year. Coursework leads to a Bachelor's Degree or advanced degree. Attendance is equal to at least half-time (6 semester hours or the equivalent). Must have a minimum of 30 semester or 45 quarter hours still to be completed before graduation. Two letters of recommendation in support of the application for the ATCA Scholarship Program.



## Eugene S. Kropf 2023 Scholarship

The University Aviation Association annually awards a scholarship to applicants who are enrolled in an aviation related curriculum at a UAA member college or university and have achieved sophomore status at the institution. Awards will be made to U.S. citizens without regard to gender, race, religion, or national origin.

**One (1) \$500 scholarship will be awarded.**



**DEADLINE**  
Opens: April 1, 2023  
Closes: June 30, 2023



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## STUDYING FOR A CAREER IN THE AVIATION INDUSTRY?

RAA proudly announces our scholarship program is now open!

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Questions? Contact [cravez@raa.org](mailto:cravez@raa.org)

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APPLICANTS MUST BE A U.S. CITIZEN OR PERMANENT RESIDENT.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

 **ENROLLED IN ACCREDITED COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY**

Applicants must be enrolled in an accredited college or university program leading to a career in the airline industry at the time of application and award.

 **MEET REQUIRED 3.0 GPA SUBMIT SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT**

Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 and submit a copy of your school transcript. High School transcripts will NOT be accepted.

 **DEMONSTRATE INTEREST WRITE BRIEF ESSAY**

Write a brief essay (350 words or less) describing your interest in the airline industry.

 **TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF SUBMIT A RESUME**

Submit a resume detailing work experience, extracurricular and community activities.

 **DON'T FORGET FACULTY RECOMMENDATION**

Submit a faculty recommendation from someone who is familiar with your academic work and performance such as a professor or advisor.



## Indiana State University

### Tenure - Track Assistant Professor in Aviation Technology

The Aviation Technology department at Indiana State University seeks applications for an instructor position beginning August 1, 2023. The minimum requirements for this position is a Master's degree in Aviation, Education, Electronics, Engineering, Engineering Technology, Robotics, or an Unmanned systems-related field and demonstrated experience in UVS in academia. Must have a minimum of 18 graduate hours in aviation or unmanned systems-related courses. The completion of an appropriate doctorate degree will be required within 5 years.

This position will be responsible for Teaching undergraduate courses and assuming a leadership role in the management of the department's Aviation Technology degree programs. Other responsibilities include serving on University committees, curriculum development, academic advisement, and performing appropriate scholarly research and professional service within the guideline of the University.

Submit applications electronically at <https://jobs.indstate.edu/postings/42915>, including a letter of application, vitae/resume, letters of recommendation and your V.S and Master's transcripts.

For full consideration, please submit application and all additional materials by April 25, 2023. The review of applications will continue until the position is filled, but applications submitted after this date cannot be assured of consideration.

Indiana State University has been recognized by Forbes as one of America's Top Colleges and by the Princeton Review as among the best in the Midwest. Located in Terre Haute, Indiana, its pedestrian friendly and beautifully landscaped campus has earned a Tree Campus USA designation and has been recognized by Princeton Review as one of the most environmentally responsible college campuses.

Located in the heart of Terre Haute's downtown, Indiana State's campus is within walking distance to local shops and restaurants. Situated near the Indiana-Illinois border, the campus is about an hour's drive from Indianapolis and within a few hours of other major metropolitan areas including St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati and Louisville.

The University is ranked number one among Indiana's public and private institutions on CollegeNet's annual social mobility index. There are more than 250 student-run organizations offering activities and entertainment throughout the year along with 15 NCAA Division I athletic teams, a first-rate student recreation center with numerous classes and recreational sports programs, and a Performing Arts Series and University Speakers Series which bring national touring productions and speakers to campus.

*Posted to UAA on 3/24/23*

## California Aeronautical University

### Assistant Director of Flight Instruction

California Aeronautical University is seeking qualified applicants for a full-time Assistant Director of Flight Instruction for the University's San Diego, CA location. The successful candidate is responsible for providing safe, effective and efficient FAA Part 141 flight instruction operations for the University that is in accordance with all local, state, and federal guidelines. The Assistant Director of Flight Instruction must also uphold the philosophy and mission of the University while instilling positive and progressive attitudes in all students.

#### Primary Responsibilities

- Serves as Chief Flight Instructor in the absence of the Director of Flight Instruction
- Directs daily operations to ensure compliance with federal air regulations
- Supervises flight scheduling
- Makes hiring recommendations, trains staff, and evaluates performance
- Develops training manuals and procedures for pilots and CFIs
- Monitors pilot proficiency and currency
- Ensures instructor records are accurate and up to date
- Audits flight training records regularly
- Serves as Flight Training Operations representative, as necessary
- Attends community outreach programs and engages in professional development activities
- Provides both classroom and flight instruction, as needed

#### Qualifications

- Hold a commercial pilot or an airline transport pilot certificate and a current flight instructor certificate
- Meet the pilot-in-command recent flight experience requirements of 14 CFR §61.57
- Pass a knowledge test on teaching methods, the Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM), applicable provisions to parts 61, 91, and 141, and the objectives and approved course completion standards of the course for which the person seeks to obtain designation
- Pass a proficiency test on the flight procedures and maneuvers appropriate to that course
- All other assistant chief instruction qualifications as listed in 14CFR § 141.36

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*Posted to UAA on 3/22/23*

**California Aeronautical University**  
**Director of Flight Instruction**

California Aeronautical University is seeking qualified applicants for a full-time Director of Flight Instruction for the University's main campus in Bakersfield, CA. The successful candidate will support and help to continually develop and improve the aviation-related academic and FAA ground school courses in the School of Aeronautics programs. The Director of Flight Instruction must also uphold the philosophy and mission of the University while instilling positive and progressive attitudes in all students.

**Primary Responsibilities**

- Teaches 2-3 undergraduate/graduate courses in aviation
- Advises and encourages students leading towards graduation
- Curriculum development, as needed
- Develops relationships with the aviation industry through outreach and professional service activities, as necessary

**Minimum Qualifications**

- Master's degree in aeronautics or other aviation-related field
- A minimum of four-years of non-classroom related work within the aviation industry

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**Kansas State University Salina – Aerospace and Technology Campus**

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**Aviation Department Head**

Kansas State University's Aerospace and Technology Campus seeks its next innovative and inspiring leader to serve as the Department Head for Aviation. We are looking for a well-rounded professional who can think beyond the traditional education, operations, and training model to propel aviation education into the future. A successful candidate will have the aptitude to manage, negotiate and recommend improvements to maintain pace in higher education and with industry trends and be passionate about mentoring others and supporting a diverse environment.

**Key Responsibilities**

- Ability to develop meaningful partnerships, network which will lead to industry engagement, and fundraise to support advantageous departmental goals.
- Lead and foster an environment within the department to ensure a culture that supports adaptation to future education needs, diversity, classroom and co-curricular learning experiences and high productivity.
- Ensure alignment between FAA, department and university policies and success of FAR Part 61, 141, 145, and 147 requirements that are established in program and operational certificates.
- Oversee the integration of core disciplines and diversity into aviation curriculum. Enhance teaching by developing innovative pedagogy, lab experiences, and delivery methods
- Responsible for departmental budget oversight, project management, decision-making.

**Minimum Qualifications:**

- Earned a master's degree (Ph.D. preferred) from an accredited institution.
- Thought leader with the aptitude to manage, negotiate and recommend improvements to maintain pace in higher education and with industry trends.
- Demonstrated experience with good financial stewardship, decision-making, and project management.
- Demonstrated leadership experience in developing and supporting a positive, respectful, and culturally diverse work environment.
- Experience in developing and maintaining professional relationships with industry to ensure that the program provides appropriate student career preparation.

For more information or to apply, [here](http://calaero.edu/work-at-cau).

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**JOIN OUR TEAM**  
**NOW HIRING**

California Aeronautical University is looking for individuals who share our passion for aviation and our dedication to train the next generation of aviation professionals.

**Current openings:**

- Dir. of Flight Instruction
- Asst. Dir. of Flight Instruction
- Admissions and Outreach and more

**LEARN MORE** [calaero.edu/work-at-cau](http://calaero.edu/work-at-cau)



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### Professional Pilot Faculty – Open Rank

Kansas State University Salina is also seeking applications for a full-time Professional Pilot faculty member. The successful candidate shall teach undergraduate students covering subject matter in professional pilot curriculum (existing and future courses). This is an open-rank, nine-month position, with expected effort in teaching, service, and scholarship as appropriate to the academic rank. The position includes a full benefit package.

#### Minimum Qualifications:

- Master's Degree
- Teaching experience
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Desire to work with interdisciplinary teams
- FAA flight instructor, airplane certificate

For more information or to apply, [here](#).

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## South Dakota State University Chief Flight Instructor

South Dakota State University's Aviation program has experienced significant growth and we are hiring a second Chief Flight Instructor to provide leadership and oversight for the program. This is a critical and essential position in the Aviation program ensuring that all federal regulations, policies and procedures are met for students who are seeking flight certification. This position is located in Brookings, SD and is a 12 month, full-time, benefits-eligible position.

For a complete listing of responsibilities, the minimum and preferred qualifications, the application deadline, contact information for questions on position, and to apply, visit <https://YourFuture.sdbor.edu>, search for the position, and follow the electronic application process.

#### Full Consideration Deadline:

March 27, 2023

#### Questions:

For questions on the electronic employment process, contact SDSU Human Resources at (605) 688-4128. Or, learn more about Brookings by visiting <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IT8OnH5elgQ&feature=youtu.be>.

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## Airlines for America

### Airline Traffic Management Coordinator

The Airline Traffic Management Coordinator, working at the FAA ATC System Command Center (ATCSCC) in Warrenton, Virginia, is the primary advocate for all A4A member airlines working collaboratively to ensure implementation of appropriate solutions to operational problems while maintaining the safety and integrity of the National Airspace System (NAS).

#### Duties and responsibilities

- Facilitate seamless communication between A4A member carriers and FAA ATCSCC on all pertinent traffic management initiatives.
- Review tactical and strategic system efficiency constraints and collaborate with member carriers to heighten situational awareness.
- Facilitate the A4A daily conference call with A4A member carriers to develop a daily strategic plan of operation on behalf of member airlines situational awareness. ••••
- Participate in daily FAA ATCSCC Telcons, Event Reviews and National System Reviews (NSR).
- Represent A4A as required in various air traffic forums.
- Participate in A4A Council meetings and activities
- Develop and foster relationships between the aviation industry and the FAA Air Traffic Organization.
- Provide support to member airlines by exploring ways to increase safety and efficiency while reducing costs.
- Provide analyses of daily NAS operations

#### Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in a related aviation/safety field or equivalent experience.
- Strong knowledge of airline operations control and air traffic management system operations required.
- FAA Flight Dispatch Certification and/or FAA ATC experience preferred.
- Three-years of experience at FAA FAR 121 carrier preferred.
- Must be able to effectively facilitate communication and advocate positions on behalf of Airlines for America member carriers in a positive, even-tempered manner.
- Must be able to work with absolute integrity and sense of fair play to represent a diverse A4A membership.
- Must be available for various shifts, which includes evenings, weekends and holidays and on-call.
- Must be available for occasional travel, including travel to A4A headquarters as directed.
- Must be US citizen to obtain required security clearance.

#### Work Environment and Competitive Benefits

- All A4A employees must be fully vaccinated for Covid-19.
- Choice of medical plans, plus free life, dental and vision coverage. 401(k) with matching contributions, airline travel privileges, tuition reimbursement plan, and 12 weeks of fully paid parental leave.

#### How to Apply

Applicants, please send cover letter, resume, salary requirements to [hr@airlines.org](mailto:hr@airlines.org) attention JOA# 23-0001

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## Southern Illinois University Carbondale Assistant Professor (Airframe and Powerplant)

The College of Health and Human Sciences at Southern Illinois University Carbondale is seeking eligible applicants for the above anticipated position beginning Fall 2023, or until suitably qualified individuals are found. This is a nine-month, continuing appointment which may lead to tenure. This position will support the baccalaureate degree in Aviation Technologies developed to prepare aviation technicians with advanced technical skills. Promising new faculty in CHHS are offered competitive startup packages, including graduate/undergraduate assistant support, course releases, and summer salary designed to jump-start research scholarship.

### Required Qualifications

Earned master's degree, required by time of appointment, and minimum professional experience of three years full-time employment in aircraft maintenance, repair or installation, aircraft/engine manufacturing or product support environment. Valid FAA Mechanic Certificate with Airframe and Powerplant Ratings. One earned degree in an aviation or related discipline.

### Preferred Qualifications

Earned doctorate. Successful post-secondary teaching experience in aircraft maintenance and/or product support. Professional experience/employment in helicopter maintenance. Demonstrated history of scholarly productivity

in Aviation Technologies or related fields. FAA Mechanic Certificate obtained as the result of completing an FAA-approved Part 147 curriculum.

### Responsibilities

Primary teaching responsibilities will include instruction in the undergraduate Aviation Technologies baccalaureate program which is also an FAA-approved Part 147 Airframe and Powerplant program. Participation in program/department support activities and service on committees at various levels is required. It is expected that the successful candidate will identify and develop an area of personal research interest resulting in scholarly productivity consistent with the applied research goals of the College and University. The individual will engage in scholarly activities and professional service related to the aviation discipline. Service which enriches the community, College and University is also expected, as is fulfillment of other assignments as may be required.

### Application Deadline

April 30, 2023, or until suitable applicants are found.

### To apply

Go to <https://job.siu.edu>. Create a profile and upload a letter of application specifying the position to which application is being made and including research interests, current resume or vitae, and names, addresses and telephone number of five references.

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**Saint Louis University**  
**Open Rank Professor of Aviation Science**

Saint Louis University’s Oliver L. Parks Department of Aviation Science is seeking dynamic, collegial, collaborative, and creative applicants that are dedicated to performing ground-breaking, externally funded research in the field of both crewed aircraft and unmanned aircraft sensor engineering with the potential to build an exceptional national/international research reputation.

**Job Description and Primary Responsibilities**

- Develop, deliver, and assess aviation courses in support of the school’s teaching mission.
- Establish a vibrant and productive research program and actively engage in scholarly activities including publishing in peer reviewed journals, dissemination at conferences, and seeking external funding opportunities.
- Contribute to the growth of the Aviation-related research and outreach.
- Create inclusive, engaging teaching and research experiences to develop socially conscious aviation industry practitioners.
- Mentor undergraduate and graduate students.
- Participate in departmental, school, university, and professional service activities.

**Minimum Qualifications**

- An earned bachelor’s degree in aviation and a doctoral degree in aviation, education, or a closely related field.
- Federal Aviation Administration certificates and ratings, including Certified Flight Instructor and Part 107 (Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems) certification, commensurate with teaching and research expectations.
- Demonstrated excellence in research and scholarly activity, including peer reviewed journal and conference papers, grant writing, mentoring students, and developing an independent research agenda.
- Excellence in teaching as demonstrated through previous teaching and curriculum development experiences.
- Desire to engage with SLU’s mission-driven learning and outreach activities
- The applicant should be authorized to work in the United States at the time of employment.

**Minimum Qualifications**

- BS degree in an aviation discipline or a closely related field.
- Post-doctoral fellowship experience in aviation, flight, aviation education, or a related disciplinary area.
- Relevant teaching experience that promotes hands-on, experiential learning.
- Established record of interdisciplinary collaboration and impactful research work.
- Demonstrated ability and vision to collaborate and build a multidisciplinary initiative in pursuit of enhancing undergraduate and graduate education.

All applications must be submitted through the Saint Louis University online system, [here](#).

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**Florida Tech College of Aeronautics**  
**Aeronautical Science and Technology – Instructor**

The College of Aeronautics is seeking full-time instructor for the undergraduate aeronautical science and technology programs. Selected applicants must be in place for the Fall 2023 semester.

**Responsibilities**

Teach four of the following undergraduate courses/sections:

- Private pilot ground school.
- Instrument rating ground school.
- Commercial pilot ground school.
- Instructor pilot ground school.
- Meteorology.
- Aerodynamics.
- Aviation Safety.
- Aviation Physical Science.
- Advanced Aircraft Systems.
- Advanced Aircraft Operations.
- Teach undergraduate courses on-campus, online, or at extended campuses.
- Advise undergraduate students on academic matters and career planning.
- Advise student organizations and clubs on campus.
- Serve on division, school, and university committees as assigned.

**Minimum Qualifications**

- Master’s degree in aeronautical science, aviation or a related field
- Experience in fields applicable to aviation.
- Teaching experience.
- FAA Advanced Ground Instructor (or Certified Flight Instructor) and Instrument Ground.
- Instructor (or Certified Flight Instructor Instrument) certificates.
- Ability to apply current instructional technology in classroom and distance learning.

**Desired Qualifications**

- University teaching experience.
- Air carrier, charter, or corporate aviation experience.
- Current pilot qualifications.
- At least one rating in a turbine aircraft.
- FAA Aircraft Dispatcher Certificate.

**Salary**

Competitive salary commensurate w/ qualifications and experience.

**To Apply**

Qualified applicants should submit a letter of application noting specific qualifications and interests related to the list of responsibilities above and resume or CV through Florida Tech employment webpage <https://www.fit.edu/employment/>. Florida Tech is an equal opportunity employer committed to excellence through diversity.

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**Florida Tech College of Aeronautics**  
**Tenure-Track Aeronautics Faculty – Assistant Professor**

The College of Aeronautics is seeking tenure-track full-time faculty members for the undergraduate and graduate aeronautical programs. Selected applicants must be in place for the Fall 2023 semester.

**Minimum Qualifications**

- Doctoral degree in aeronautical science, aviation field.
- Experience in fields applicable to aviation.
- Teaching experience.
- Funded research experience.
- Ability to publish in peer reviewed academic journals.
- Ability to apply current instructional technology in classroom and distance learning.
- Experience in successful proposal writing and program management.

**Salary**

Salary commensurate w/ qualifications and experience.

**To Apply**

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**Florida Tech College of Aeronautics**  
**Aviation Management – Instructor**

**Minimum Qualifications**

- Master’s degree in aviation management, MBA, aviation Science and Technology or a related field.
- Experience in fields applicable to aviation.
- Teaching experience.
- Ability to apply current instructional technology in classroom and distance learning.

**Desired Qualifications**

- University teaching experience.
- Airport management, airline or business aviation management, aviation consulting, experience.
- CM or AAE certification.

**Salary**

Salary commensurate w/ qualifications and experience.

**To Apply**

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**Assistant Professor or Instructor - Aviation**

Southeast Missouri State University is seeking qualified applicants for a full-time faculty position to develop and support an aviation program in the Department of Engineering & Technology.

**Primary Responsibilities**

- Support the continued development of the professional pilot program
- Teach undergraduate courses in aviation and potentially other areas as assigned and qualified
- Advise students and provide service to the Department/ College/University
- As an Assistant Professor, establish a productive research program to support undergraduate degree programs

As a public regional university (with a graduate mission), Southeast seeks candidates with a commitment to excellent undergraduate (and graduate) education and student success within the framework of the teacher-scholar model. Applications of instructional technology and pedagogical research are supported through the Center for Teaching and Learning and the Office of Online Learning. Successful candidates will contribute to the development of innovative curricula and delivery strategies, including traditional, blended and online formats, and participate in initiatives promoting student success, retention, and degree completion.

**Application Deadline**

The position is available August 2023 and will remain open until filled. To ensure full consideration, applications must be received by March 13, 2023.

**Required Information**

- Letter of interest addressing the position required qualifications and how you learned of this position.
- Current curriculum vitae
- Statement of no more than one page on how your research, professional experiences, and/or related activities could contribute to the program
- Statement of no more than one page introducing your teaching philosophy
- Unofficial copies of transcripts (official transcripts are required when offer of employment is accepted)
- Names and contact information of three professional references

**Departmental Information**

Additional information regarding the Department of Engineering & Technology can be found at <http://www.semo.edu/eng-tech/>.

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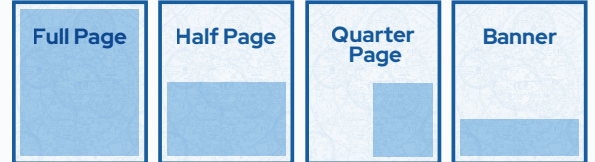


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### World Aviation Training Symposium

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### SAFECON

May 8-13, 2023

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### AAAE Conference & Exposition

June 3-5, 2023

Denver, CO

### AIAA Aviation and Aeronautics Forum and Exposition

June 12-16, 2023

San Diego, CA

### EAA Air Venture

July 24-July 30, 2023

Oshkosh, WI

### National Association

College Admission

Counselors Conference

September 21-23, 2023

Baltimore, MD

### RAA Leaders Conference

September 26-27, 2023

Washington, D.C.

### UAA 2023 Collegiate Aviation Education Conference & Expo

September 27-29, 2023

St Petersburg, FL

### NBAA Conference

October 17-19, 2023

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January 3-5, 2024

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