## Notification of Request for Authorization under the Degree-Granting Institutions Act

**Date posted:** August 21, 2015

**Institution:** Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Worldwide

**Current status:** Authorized to offer degree programs in Washington State

**Nature of request:** Authorization to offer six additional degree programs

**Proposed programs:** Bachelor of Science in Communication
Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology
Master of Science in Aviation Finance
Master of Science in Information & Security Assurance
Master of Science in Management Information Systems
Master of Science in Unmanned Systems

**Locations:**

Everett campus:
c/o Applied Technology Training Center
2333 Seaway Blvd, Room 226
Everett, WA  98203

Seattle campus:
1000 Oakesdale Avenue, S.W. Suite 110
Renton, WA 98055

Spokane campus:
92nd FSS/FSDE
6 West Castle Street
Fairchild AFB, WA  99011-9406

Tacoma campus:
62 MSS/DPE
851 Lincoln Blvd., Suite 350
Joint Base Lewis-McChord, WA  98438-1317

Whidbey Island Center:
981 NE 21st Court
Oak Harbor, WA  98278-1000

**Background:**

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University has been authorized to offer degree programs in Washington State since 1981.  It has been accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) since 1968.

**Nature of the review:**

Prior to granting authorization to offer new degree programs in Washington State, the Washington Student Achievement Council/Degree Authorization reviews elements such as

program outcomes, course requirements, method of course delivery, faculty credentials, and student services.

The programs to be offered by Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Worldwide appear to meet the requirements of the Degree-Granting Institutions Act.

Information on the additional programs can be found on the university's website at:

[Bachelor of Science in Communication](#)
[Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology](#)
[Master of Science in Aviation Finance](#)
[Master of Science in Information & Security Assurance](#)
[Master of Science in Management Information Systems](#)
[Master of Science in Unmanned Systems](#)

**Timeline:**

The WSAC will accept comments on this application until September 4, 2015.

Any individuals with knowledge that may indicate the institution and/or the program does not meet the authorization requirements of WAC 250-61 are requested to submit comments to: [Degree Authorization](#).

If you would like to know more about the current law and regulations that govern the program, they can be found at the following links: the statute is [Chapter RCW 28B.85](#) and the regulation is [WAC 250-61](#).