cbu | GRADUATE SCHOOL

California Baptist University

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ATHLETIC TRAINING

Quick Look 2014-2015*

Length of Program: 53-56 units (5 semesters, full-time)
Approximate Cost: $573 per unit; $30,400 - $32,100 plus $355 per semester general fee and $500 per semester program fee
Tuition for program prerequisites is $511-$1062 per unit
Program Starts: Summer only (mid-June start date) Pre-Athletic Training courses offered Fall, Spring and Summer, availability varies
Application Deadline: January 15 *application completion deadline*. Interviews conducted 1st week in February. Applications for Pre-Athletic Training should be complete 14 days prior to desired start date.
Program Format: Classes meet Monday – Friday mornings, clinical rotations occur afternoons, evenings and weekends; Pre-Athletic Training courses offered online, hybrid and on site; days, evenings and/or weekends
GPA Requirement: 2.75. Low GPA may be overcome w/satisfactory GRE score
GRE Requirement: GRE **not** required for applicants who meet GPA requirement
Accreditation: Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education (CAATE)
*Requirements and costs subject to revision without notice

Application Requirements

1. Application for admission with a $45 non-refundable graduate application fee
2. Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution or the evaluated equivalency with a minimum GPA of 2.75. Applicants with a GPA below 2.75 may be considered for admission
3. Official sealed transcripts from all colleges and universities attended sent to *Graduate Admissions*
4. Three recommendations from sources who can address your potential for success. Family members and friends may not complete recommendations. Request recommendations at www.calbaptist.edu/gradrecrequest
5. Comprehensive essay of at least 500 words that includes;
   - Purpose for entering the program
   - Background and/or experiences in sports, athletic training, physical education or related areas
   - Short and long-term professional goals
   - Reasons for choosing to study at CBU
6. Current resume documenting all related professional and extracurricular experiences
7. Prerequisites*
   Completed with a "C" or better within last 8 years
   - Human Anatomy & Physiology I with Lab - BIO 153
   - Human Anatomy & Physiology II with Lab - BIO 163
   - Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries with Lab - KIN 353
   - Applied Movement Anatomy - KIN 274
   - General Psychology - PSY 213
   - Exercise Physiology - KIN 383
   - Contemporary Health Issues KIN 302
8. CPR for the Professional Rescuer Certification demonstrated by coursework or certification*
9. Verification of 150 clinical observation hours in an athletic training setting, supervised by a Certified Athletic Trainer*
10. Successful Interview(s) with the Athletic Training Admission Committee*
11. An applicant whose first language is not English and/or does not have a degree from an institution where English is the primary language of instruction is required to demonstrate English language proficiency by submitting a recent test score from Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English or International Language Testing System (IELTS).

***Not required for admission to Pre-Athletic Training**

Admission to the Athletic Training Program is competitive and selective; completion of program application requirements and prerequisites does not guarantee an interview or program acceptance.

Course Requirements

ATR 501	Athletic Training Clinical I- Modalities & Equipment	3
ATR 502	Athletic Training Clinical II- Lower Extremity	3
ATR 503	Athletic Training Clinical III-Upper Extremity	3
ATR 504	Athletic Training Clinical IV- General Medicine	3
ATR 506	Practicum in Athletic Training I	1
ATR 507	Practicum in Athletic Training II	1
ATR 508	Practicum in Athletic Training III	1
ATR 509	Practicum in Athletic Training IV	1
ATR 510	Therapeutic Modalities	3
ATR 511	Functional Anatomy for Athletic Trainers	3
ATR 512	Emergencies in Athletic Training ^	3
ATR 515	Therapeutic Exercise and Rehabilitation	3
ATR 520	Evidence-Based Research in Athletic Training	3
ATR 521	Clinical Research in Athletic Training I	1
ATR 522	Clinical Research in Athletic Training II	1
ATR 523	Clinical Research in Athletic Training III	1
ATR 524	Clinical Research in Athletic Training III	1
ATR 525	Assessment of Lower Extremity Athletic Injury	3
ATR 530	Assessment of Upper Extremity Athletic Injury	3
ATR 536	Nutrition and Wellness	3
ATR 540	Pathology of Athletic Injury and Illness	3
ATR 545	Management & Professional Issues in Athletic Training	3
ATR 550	Manual Therapy	3
ATR 555	Therapeutic Interventions for Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation	3
Total Units		**53-56**

^ May be satisfied with EMT certification or completion of KIN 302