

Community College of the Air Force Vice Commandant Update



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A Message from the Vice Commandant

Hello, team! I hope this newsletter finds you and your Airmen well, especially as we approach nearly half a year in COVID 19-driven telework operations. The purpose of this update is to provide initial notification of many changes that will be coming down the pipe regarding CCAF degrees. In concert with Academic Affairs at Air University, CCAF is finalizing numerous changes to our policies. Some of these internal policies represent small changes in direction and may only affect one specific degree. However, in totality, these changes will make significant alterations to all degree programs.

Your Airmen will certainly have questions and you'll be at the forefront of these inquiries about credits, courses, timelines, and many other concerns from the field. We're putting the finishing touches on the strategic communication plan, so we can inform Career Field Managers, Recruiters, Education Service Officers and individual Airmen enrolled in the degrees. Some of these policies have been in effect for years, so it will take time to iron out all the issues and provide a new-normal for our students. Again, we must make these changes to ensure our Air University degrees are founded in integrity and remain relevant to our Air and Space Force professionals. I'll work with AU/CCC to get you detailed information on the changes, once we finalize the details.

I welcome your questions/comments/concerns as we navigate these upcoming changes.

CMSgt Kevin P. Kloepfel

Questions or Comments, Email Us:

- *CCAF Student Services/Diplomas/Transcripts - registrar.ccaf@us.af.mil
- *Education Services or Education & Training Managers - ccaf.edservices@us.af.mil
- *Air Force COOL Office - ccaf.deao.afcool@us.af.mil
- *Credentialing - https://auservicedesk.af.edu
- *AU-ABC or GEM - ccaf.decm@us.af.mil
- *CCAF Off-Campus Instructional Sites - ccaf.fac@us.af.mil
- *Command Section - ccaf.cc@us.af.mil

Total Force Maximum Education Levels

AMN Tier (E1 – E4)	AD	AFRC	ANG
AA/AS/AAS	3.06%	3.44%	2.83%
BS	1.90%	4.51%	3.19%
MA/MS	0.12%	0.51%	0.37%
PhD	0.01%	0.04%	0.02%
TOTAL DEGREES	5.10%	8.49%	6.41%
Some College	84.37%	71.80%	66.56%
NCO Tier (E5 – E6)	AD	AFRC	ANG
AA/AS/AAS	39.36%	28.60%	25.77%
BS	10.68%	13.02%	9.50%
MA/MS	1.21%	2.51%	1.61%
PhD	0.01%	0.04%	0.05%
TOTAL DEGREES	51.26%	44.17%	36.92%
Some College	48.67%	53.58%	60.63%
SNCO Tier (E7 – E9)	AD	AFRC	ANG
AA/AS/AAS	49.17%	42.03%	43.46%
BS	33.12%	25.98%	21.62%
MA/MS	11.69%	10.65%	6.43%
PhD	0.09%	0.24%	0.21%
TOTAL DEGREES	94.08%	78.90%	71.72%
Some College	5.88%	20.81%	28.00%

CCAF Degree Data by Component & Rank

CCAF DEGREES	AD	AFRC	ANG
All Enlisted	34.15%	35.70%	30.90%
Top 5 (E5-E9)	61.04%	51.27%	43.85%
Top 3 (E7-E9)	93.92%	76.19%	66.35%



AD	0.65%	0.07%	0.59%	7.05%
ANG	0.00%	0.17%	0.17%	4.29%
AFRC	0.20%	0.00%	0.19%	4.10%



AD	36.06%	70.18%	92.11%	99.98%	100.00%
ANG	24.99%	39.03%	57.17%	86.78%	85.09%
AFRC	30.54%	45.79%	67.01%	94.47%	97.12%

Recruiting, Readiness, Retention, Career Transition