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Application for Admission 2012 - 2013

Please complete this application for admission and return it to the **School of Missionary Aviation Technology**. If applying for flight training, it will be necessary to review flight training requirements and complete the additional attachment on page 5 of this application.

Personal Information
please print

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\$25 Application Fee pd. _____ by _____

\$500 Registration Fee pd. _____ by _____

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME
PERMANENT ADDRESS:	(____) _____	HOME PHONE
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
EMAIL ADDRESS	(____) _____	CELL PHONE
BIRTH DATE	<input type="radio"/> FEMALE <input type="radio"/> MALE	
COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP	ETHNIC BACKGROUND	

Family Background

Marital Status: Single Engaged Married Separated Divorced Widowed

Spouse's name (if applicable) _____

Is your spouse in complete agreement with your choice to attend SMAT? (explain) _____

Names & ages of children (if applicable) _____

Educational Background

Highest level of education: High School Trade School College

If high school was not completed, have you earned a GED? Yes No

Graduated (highest level): High School College Graduate School/Seminary

Year graduated _____ Degree(s) earned: _____

Submit transcript(s) for high school and any college attended.

Work experience: _____

Briefly state your life goals. _____

Name of the affiliated college through which you are receiving credit?

State "NONE" if you are an independent student

List any colleges previously attended or any mission agencies with which you are currently affiliated.

Church Background

Note: Completion of this section is optional since SMAT realizes that some applicants do not have a current church affiliation.

Name of home church: _____ Denomination: _____

Address _____ City, ST _____ Zip Code _____

Name of Senior Pastor _____

Name of Youth or Missions Pastor _____

Describe your involvement (length of time attended, ministries, etc.) _____

Are you a member? Yes No

Is your church supportive of your call to missionary aviation? Yes No Explain. _____

Do you envision yourself being a missionary pilot and/or mechanic? Yes No

On a separate sheet of paper, please describe your personal relationship with God. In this history, include the major decisions you have made in your spiritual walk. Please keep your response to no more than two pages.

Medical Background

How would you describe your health? Excellent Good Fair Poor

List any allergies. _____

List any physical limitations. _____

Are you capable of lifting 50 or more pounds? Yes No

Health insurance carrier _____ Policy # _____

Creativity Background

What, if any, musical instruments do you play? _____

What hobbies do you have? _____

What things in life bring you great joy? _____

Describe what you would consider an ideal work experience and why you would find it desirable. _____

Would others describe you as someone who enjoys taking on a challenge? Yes No

Explain _____

What led to your decision to become a missionary pilot/mechanic? _____

How did you learn of the School of Missionary Aviation Technology and why did you choose to apply?

Financial Status

Privacy

- 1. SMAT takes the privacy of your personal financial information very seriously and will use that information only in accordance with the terms of this submission. We will not use your personally identifiable information for any purpose other than the stated intent.
- 2. The information included with this document is only for the purpose of ensuring that funds will be available to pay for the training you are pursuing.
- 3. SMAT conforms to the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and no disclosure will be made for any purpose other than what may be deemed necessary by the administrative staff of the School of Missionary Aviation Technology.

Proof of funds for training:

Sponsor List name(s) and address(s) of sponsor(s) [attach proof of their funding source(s)].

Employment List name and address of employer.

Other Describe other source(s) of funding [attach proof].

Will you have the total tuition & living expense amounts by the scheduled due dates? Yes No

If no, please explain. _____

Are you in need of SMAT's assistance in finding student housing? Yes No, I already have this taken care of.

If yes, what are your specific needs? _____

What is the maximum you are willing to pay for housing? \$_____ per month

What amount have you budgeted per month for living expenses? _____

Are you willing to share accommodations with other students? Yes No

Will you have your own vehicle available for local transportation during the school year? Yes No

If no, are you prepared to financially assist another student with gas and upkeep of their vehicle in order to carpool? Yes No

Will your church family partner with you for financial support? Explain. _____



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Admissions Attachment for Flight Training

Check one

- 2012 – 2013** (currently hold an A&P certificate)
- 2013 – 2014** (enrolling in SMAT's 2012-2013 A&P program)

Because of the accelerated flight training program at SMAT, the following prerequisites are necessary in order to assure success in meeting the completion requirements of the program. If applying for Aviation Maintenance Training only, with no intention of enrolling in flight training, you may skip to page 6 of this application.

1. Completion of Aviation Maintenance Training and possession of an A&P certificate. Please include verification with this application. Students currently enrolled in the A&P training at SMAT, with reasonable expectations of completing training prior to beginning flight training, are acceptable.
2. Second class medical certificate: See <http://www.faa.gov/pilots/amelocator/> for a list of FAA approved aviation medical examiners (AME).

(Note: flight applicants will need to send with their application, a copy of their Second Class Medical with a Student Pilot Certificate.)

3. Successful EPST (European Pilot Selection Test) aptitude evaluation (*administered by SMAT- \$100 fee*).

Autobiographical Information

Is English your primary language? Yes No If no, you will need to provide a copy of your TOEFL score report. See <http://www.ets.org/toefl>, for information on taking the TOEFL test.

Are you fluent in reading, speaking and understanding English? Yes No

What languages do you speak? _____

Are there any medical conditions, such as weight, dizziness, heart conditions, etc., that may be of concern in flight training? Yes No Explain. _____

Costs & Fees

Aviation Flight Training	Dual Airplane	Solo/PIC Airplane	Simulator	Total Flight Hours	Ground School & Briefing Hrs	Total Cost
Module 1						
Private Pilot Certification Course	35.8	19.2	1.0	56.0	113	\$11,000*
Module 2						
VFR Cross-Country Experience	7.0	13.0		20.0	34	\$11,000
High Performance (HP) Transition	14.6	1.4		16.0	30	
Complex (RG) Transition	14.6	1.4		16.0	30	
Tailwheel Transition	18.5	1.4		20.0	24	
Module 3						
High Performance Proficiency	10.4	5.6		16.0	23	\$11,000
Complex Proficiency	10.0	9.0		19.0	24	
Advanced VFR Cross-Country	16.0			16.0	23	
Module 4						
Instrument Certification Course	26.8	3.6	22.6	53.0	87	\$12,500
Commercial Pilot Certification Course	13.8	9.2		23.0	19	
Total	167.6	63.8	23.6	255.0	407	\$45,500

Note: prices are subject to change without notice.

All prices indicated are estimated maximums for each module of flight training. Some students may achieve course completion in less than the indicated hours. In those cases, any remaining funds in the student's account can be either applied to the next module or returned to the student. However, all early withdrawal refunds are subject to the program refund policy as stated in the catalog.

***For those already possessing a Private Pilot Certificate who are entering Module 2, a mandatory Standardization Course (2 weeks duration) is required prior to the beginning of the course at a cost of \$1750. Payment of costs associated with any additional flight hours required during the Standardization Course will be the student's responsibility.**

Aviation Maintenance Training Modules

GENERAL (August – November)

Tuition \$4,175.00

Lab Fee \$650.00

AIRFRAME (December – April)

Tuition \$7,650.00

Lab Fee \$500.00

POWERPLANT (April – August)

Tuition \$7,650.00

Lab Fee \$375.00

Total Maintenance Tuition & Lab Fees \$21,000.00

Additional costs will be incurred for books, tools, FAA testing and field trips.

Application fee \$25.00

Books \$350.00

Tools \$500.00 (approx.)

FAA Tests

Knowledge Tests \$450.00

Orals and Practicals \$600.00

Field Trip \$25.00 (Aviation Seminar fee)

General Admissions Information

Admission to the School of Missionary Aviation Technology is open to all individuals who have the proper background and capacity to benefit from the program and courses taught in our FAA approved Aviation Flight and Aviation Maintenance curriculums. SMAT does not discriminate or exclude persons from training on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, political persuasion, handicap, age, weight, height, or marital status except for reasonable physical limitations in flight training.

The School of Missionary Aviation Technology is committed to training persons in aviation for the purpose of equipping them for Christian Service in missionary aviation. Our students are expected to uphold a high standard of personal and behavioral values in accordance with our Christ-centered environment. For this reason there are certain standards of conduct to which we ask all students ascribe. These can be found in our school catalog or our Student Handbook.

Admissions Fees and Costs

- A. Include with this application the application fee of \$25. An additional registration fee of \$500 will also be required once your application has been approved and you have been accepted into SMAT's program. This registration fee will assure your place in the upcoming class and will be applied to your tuition installment.
- B. Refer to the catalog for all other information regarding schedules, program content, total costs, refund policies, etc.
- C. Tuition and fees for each module are due and payable on the first day of each module.
- D. Students are responsible to arrange for their individual housing needs. The Admissions Office is available to help you with these arrangements.
- E. Flight applicants will incur a cost of \$100 for the EPST test at the time of evaluation.

References

Reference forms will be sent to individuals that have had an influence in your life. Please provide the appropriate information for each of two references which may include: 1) *pastor or spiritual advisor*; 2) *former instructor or 3) employer*. These individuals will share their thoughts and recommendations regarding you and your desire to enroll in our program(s). SMAT will contact these individual prior to considering you for acceptance into the program.

1. Reference No. 1

Name: _____

Address: _____, City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____

Email: _____

WAIVER OF RIGHT TO ACCESS: I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily waive any right or privilege by Public Law 93-380 to inspect or challenge the content and comments expressed in this reference. I expect that the observations made shall remain confidential between the writer and the School of Missionary Aviation Technology.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date _____

(The signing of this waiver is voluntary. It is not required as a condition for admission.)

2. Reference No. 2

Name: _____

Address: _____, City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____

Email: _____

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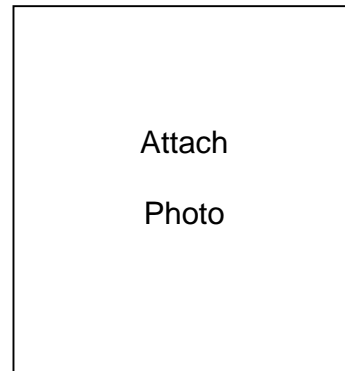
Signature of Applicant: _____ Date _____

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Application Deadline

US Citizen - July 15, 2012

International - June 15, 2012



Application Checklist

- Non-refundable application fee (\$25) included
- Current photo attached
- Flight applicants only - copy of Second Class Medical with a Student Pilot Certificate
- Copy of TOEFL score report (if applicable)
- Application completed and signed

Notification Process

Upon receipt of your application, SMAT will acknowledge its arrival with an email communication. Once a decision has been made regarding your acceptance to register, you will receive written notification along with further information regarding the registration process itself. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the Admissions Office.

Send completed application and check made payable to:

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To the best of my knowledge, I certify that the information on this application is true and correct.

Applicant's Signature

Date