MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY Athletic Training

Degree: Master of Athletic Training

Program Length: 2 years

The **Master of Athletic Training** program prepares you to work as a certified and licensed athletic trainer for high school, college and professional sports teams; in physician offices; and in corporate fitness and wellness settings. As professionals who specialize in the care of active individuals, athletic trainers provide on-field injury response; injury examination and rehabilitation; injury and illness prevention; and wellness promotion.

Direct-Admit: Freshmen and Internal Applicants

- Apply to the direct-admit athletic training program with your freshman application to the university. Students accepted to the 3+2 direct-admit program follow the undergraduate major in Exercise Physiology for the first three years at MU, which includes all program prerequisites.
- Upon meeting the progression requirements for the direct-admit program, begin the Master of Athletic Training curriculum in the summer after your junior year, allowing completion of both B.S. and M.A.T. degrees in five years instead of six.
- Current MU students in the Exercise Physiology major may apply to the direct-admit track during their freshman, sophomore or junior year. Applications are reviewed based on space availability.

External Applicants (Completed B.S. Degrees)

- Applicants who have (or will have) a completed undergraduate degree prior to starting the master's program apply through the Athletic Training Centralized Application System (ATCAS).
- Applications open the summer in the year prior to matriculation and are reviewed on a rolling basis until the class is filled.
- The incoming cohort begins the Master in Athletic Training curriculum in mid to late May of each year, with graduation in May upon successful completion of the two-year program.

See reverse side for program prerequisites and curriculum



For more information, scan the QR code or visit: <u>Marquette.edu/athletic-training</u>

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Why MAT at MU?

- Program history of success. Graduates of our program have a pass rate of nearly 90% on the national certification exam, compared to the national average of 40%.
- Division 1 athletic program experiences: Marquette's intercollegiate athletic teams participate at the Division I level, and you will spend much of your time learning in this setting.
- Practice what you learn. The inclusion of clinical experiences every semester of the program allows you to put what you learn to practice right away!

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Prerequisites

- ✓ Overall GPA of 2.8 on a 4.0 scale
- Course prerequisite GPA of 2.8 with C or higher in each course
- Advanced placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) credits may fulfill program prerequisites, but are not included in grade point calculations.
- Meet the essential functions for the program

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PREREQUISITE COURSES

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Biology (one semester with or without lab)	3
General Chemistry (two semesters with lab)	8
General Physics 1 (one semester with lab)	4
General/Introductory Psychology	3
Statistics	3
Medical Terminology	1
Anatomy and Physiology (two-semester A&P sequence or separate anatomy & physiology courses)	6
Kinesiology or Biomechanics (with or without lab)	3

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Curriculum

Year 1 (Summer after junior year for students in the direct-admit track)			
SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	
Emergency Management	Evaluation of the Lower Extremity	EBDM in AT Practice	
Athletic Training Principles	Evaluation of the Upper Extremity	Evaluation of the Spine	
Human Anatomy in AAT	Modalities in Rehabilitation	Rehabilitation of the Lower Extremity	
Athletic Training Practicum I	Athletic Training Practicum 2	AT Administration and Management	
	Nutrition and Exercise Performance	Neurological Disorders and Diseases	
	Ex. Phys. For Special Popul (UG"s only)	Athletic Training Practicum 3	
	Interprofessional Education	Interprofessional Education	
Year 2			
SUMMER	FALL	SPRING	
Psychology in Performance & Rehab	Pharmacology in Athletic Training	Athletic Training Immersion Clinical	
Diagnostic Imaging Testing	Rehab of the Upper Extremity & Spine	Capstone Project in Athletic Training	
Athletic Training Practicum 4	Systematic Medical Disorders		
Athletic Training Practicum 5	Biomechanics of Injury in Sport		
	Summative Assessment in AT		
August: B.S. degree completion for	Athletic Training Practicum 6		
students in the direct-admit track.	Interprofessional Education		
Note: This curriculum is subject to change, students are bound by the curriculum in place upon entering the first semester of the MAT curriculum.			

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