

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ATHLETIC TRAINING

Athletic Training is an exciting, highly-marketable field that is growing faster than average through 2026 according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Our Master of Science in Athletic Training program prepares students for a successful career as an Athletic Trainer.

The Master of Science in Athletic Training (MSAT) is a two year full-time program for students interested in a career as an Athletic Trainer. Students in our program will participate in comprehensive clinical experiences, including more than 16 weeks of immersive experiences in a variety of local medical settings and anticipated settings nationwide and globally.

The lab facilities are designed specifically for Athletic Training. Students are provided interprofessional opportunities with the Physician Assistant Program and the Nursing Program. The curriculum prepares students to sit for the Board of Certification (BOC) exam.

- Unique facilities and clinical experiences
- 16 weeks of immersive experiences
- Interprofessional opportunities
- Dedicated, energetic faculty and staff





The MSAT program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education



King's College Graduates have been employed at organizations like:

### National Football League:

Cleveland Browns Jacksonville Jaguars Kansas City Chiefs Minnesota Vikings Philadelphia Eagles

### NCAA Division I Colleges/Universities:

Bethune-Cookman University Florida International University University of Louisville University of Texas San Antonio University of Virginia

### US Olympic and Paralympic Teams:

Lake Placid Olympic Training Center

### Major League Soccer:

New York City Football Club

### **LEARN MORE AT**

www.kings.edu/MSAT

### **TO APPLY**

www. kings.edu/ATCAS

Prospective MSAT students apply through the Athletic Training Central Application Service (ATCAS)

### **QUESTIONS:**



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## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ATHLETIC TRAINING PROGRAM

#### **GENERAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Applicants to the Master of Science in Athletic Training program require a bachelor's degree from an accredited institution. They must have at least one year of Anatomy and Physiology, a Chemistry course, a Statistics course, a Physics course, a Biology course and a Psychology course. The minimum GPA is 2.67/4.00.

Preference will be given to applicants who have completed at least 10 observation hours under the supervision of a BOC-certified athletic trainer. Hours must be documented and verifiable.

### **GRADUATE YEAR I**

### **GRADUATE YEAR 2**

The graduate program is a 60 credit program. The program semesters are as follow:

SUMMER SESSION			
Prefix and Number	Name	Credits	
AT 400	Foundations of Athletic Training	3	
AT 405	Pharmacology & General Medicine	2	
AT 410	Evidence-Based Medicine I	2	
AT 415	Athletic Training Procedures	2	
TOTAL CREDITS		9	

FALL SEMESTER		
Prefix and Number	Name	Credits
AT 520	Athletic Training Practicum 3	4
AT 530	Advanced Therapeutic Interventions	3
AT 540	Psychosocial & Professional Issues	3
AT 550	Evidence-Based Medicine 2	3
TOTAL CREDITS		13

FALL SEMESTER			
Prefix and Number	Name	Credits	
AT 420	Athletic Training Practicum I	3	
AT 430	Prevention, Evaluation, & Diagnosis 1	4	
AT 450	Therapeutic Interventions I	4	
AT 470	Advanced Human Anatomy	3	
TOTAL CREDITS		14	

SPRING SEMESTER		
Prefix and Number	Name	Credits
AT 525	Athletic Training Practicum 4	4
AT 570	Management & Leadership Strategies	3
AT 580	Nutrition & Wellness	3
TOTAL CREDITS		10

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SPRING SEMESTER			
<b>Prefix and Number</b>	Name	Credits	
AT 425	Athletic Training Practicum 2	3	
AT 435	Prevention, Evaluation, & Diagnosis 2	4	
AT 455	Therapeutic Interventions 2	4	
AT 475	Head, Neck, and Spine	3	
TOTAL CREDITS		14	

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### **GRADUATE YEAR 2 TOTAL CREDITS**

AT Practicum 3 will consist of the following:

3 weeks of immersive clinical experiences prior to the start of the Fall Semester (no other classes are taken during this time)

4 weeks of immersive clinical experiences (no other classes are taken during this time)

8 weeks of no clinical experiences (all other Fall Semester classes are taken during this time)  $\,$ 

4 weeks immersive clinical experiences (no other classes are taken during this time)

### AT Practicum I and 2 will consist of the following:

**GRADUATE YEAR I TOTAL CREDITS** 

Clinical experiences that are weeks-long, non-immersive rotations across the entire semester in a variety of settings

(all other Fall Semester and Spring Semester classes are taken during this time)

### AT Practicum 4 will consist of the following:

3-4 weeks of immersive clinical experiences prior to the start of the Spring Semester (no other classes are taken during this time)

8 weeks of no clinical experiences (all other Spring Semester classes are taken during this time)

8 weeks immersive clinical experiences (no other classes are taken during this time)