

- FSAD 244 Executive Skills Series: Leading Diverse Communities Beyond Conflict
- FSAD 245 Executive Skills Series: Managing & Leading Change
- FSAD 250 Managing in a Changing Environment
- FSAD 251 Fire Service Communication or Communications for Emergency Services Success
- FSAD 253 Training Operations in Small Departments
- FSAD 260 Shaping the Future
- FSAD 273 Interviewing-Interrogation Techniques and Courtroom Testimony

Previously Offered Courses:

- FSAD 163 Management of Arson Prevention & Control
- FSAD 164 Management of Fire Prevention Programs
- FSAD 165 Plans Review for Inspectors
- FSAD 166 Strategic Analysis of Community Risk Reduction
- FSAD 180 Emergency Response to Terrorism: Tactical Considerations- Company Officer
- FSAD 181 Emergency Response to Terrorism: Tactical Considerations- Emergency Medical
- FSAD 182 Emergency Response to Terrorism: Tactical considerations- Hazardous Materials
- FSAD 183 Hazardous Materials Incident Response: Operations
- FSAD 232 Managing Company Tactical Operations: Tactics
- FSAD 270 Initial Fire Investigation
- FSAD 271 Fire Cause Determination for Company Officers
- FSAD 272 Fire Arson Investigation

Please Note: If you have taken additional coursework focused in the area of fire service leadership it may be considered on appeal as a substitution for the required FSAD courses. Please speak to your advisor regarding the appeal process once you have been admitted to the program.

A minimum of 60 semester hours must be completed to earn an Associate in Science in Fire Service Administration from Columbia College. Fifteen semester hours of the degree coursework must be taken with Columbia College to fulfill the residency requirement.

Columbia College — 160 years of excellence

Columbia College is a private, nonprofit institution that has been providing a quality education to students since 1851. Today, approximately 30,000 students attend the college each year, taking classes at our Day, Evening, Online and Nationwide campuses, as well as within our Graduate Studies Program.

Academic quality

Columbia College is consistently ranked among “America’s Best Colleges” by *U.S. News and World Report*, who also lists the school in their “Great Schools at a Great Price” category. *Princeton Review* also names Columbia College as a “Best Midwestern College.”

Accreditation

Columbia College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and is a member of the North Central Association, a federally approved organization that accredits 8,500 public and private schools.

Contact Information

For admissions assistance:
Columbia College Admissions Office
Phone: (573) 875-7352
Toll Free: 1 (800) 231-2391, ext. 7352

For transfer evaluation assistance:
Columbia College Evaluations Dept.
Phone: (573) 875-7658
Toll Free: 1 (800) 231-2391, ext. 7658

For information regarding MU FRTI transcripts and currently offered courses:
MU Fire and Rescue Training Institute
Phone: (573) 882-4735

Fire Service Administration

Associate in Science



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You may be closer to a degree than you think. The associate degree in fire service administration is a comprehensive two-year program offered by Columbia College in collaboration with the University of Missouri Fire & Rescue Training Institute (MU FRTI) to provide those currently working in the fire service field a technical and managerial foundation for leadership. This degree is a combination of general education and management courses offered through both Columbia College online and face-to-face classes, along with select fire service courses offered by MU FRTI and the National Fire Academy (NFA). The technical requirements for the degree are designed to closely correspond with the requirements of MU-FRTI's Fire Officer Certificate Program.

Steps to obtaining the AS.FSAD

- Be a current Missouri firefighter.
- Complete a Columbia College Admissions Application at www.ccis.edu or of one of our Missouri campuses located near you.
- Once accepted, submit transcripts from all previously attended institutions.
- Once accepted, submit your MU FRTI transcript to Columbia College. The transcript request form can be downloaded from the MU FRTI website at www.mufrti.org/pdf/transcript.pdf.
- Once accepted, submit NFA certificates that correspond to applicable courses.
- Complete all degree requirements.
- Apply for graduation at least one semester or session prior to expected date of degree completion.

Degree Requirements

General Education.....30 hours

Offered by Columbia College

All individual courses below are three credit hours.

(Please note *GE courses have pre-requisite courses or placement test)

ENGL 111*	English Composition I
ENGL 112*	English Composition II
CISS 170	Introduction to Computer Information Systems
COMM 110	Introduction to Speech
MATH 150*	College Algebra or Higher GE Math course
BIOL/ENVS 115	Intro to Environmental Science
CHEM/PHYS 108*	Physical Science Survey

Nine hours selected from the following:

PSYC 101	General Psychology
SOCI 111	General Sociology
POSC 111	American National Government
HIST 121	American History to 1877
HIST 122	American History since 1877

Management Core.....12 hours

Offered by Columbia College

MGMT 254	Business Communications
MGMT 330	Principles of Management
ECON 293	Macroeconomics
And successfully complete one ethics course from:	
PHIL 330	Ethics
MGMT 368	Business Ethics
CJAD 345	Ethics & Morality in Criminal Justice

Fire Service Administration Core.....13 hours

Offered by MU FRTI

FSAD 101	Fire Instructor I.....2 hours
FSAD 110	Fire Officer I.....2 hours
FSAD 120	Incident Management System.....1 hour

NIMS: Incident Command System for the Fire Service may substitute for FSAD 120.

FSAD 140	Intro to Emergency Management for Fire Service.....2 hours
FSAD 150	Principles of Building Construction: Combustible.....1 hour
FSAD 155	Principles of Building Construction: Noncombustible.....1 hour
FSAD 210	Fire Officer II.....3 hours
FSAD 220	Advanced Incident Management System.....1 hour

NIMS: Advanced Incident Management System, NIMS: Advanced Incident Command System or ICS 300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents may substitute for or waive FSAD 220.

Fire Service Major Area Electives.....5 hours

Offered by MU FRTI and/or NFA

Students will need to complete a total of five hours from the following list of courses currently or previously offered* by MU FRTI and/or NFA with required American Council on Education (ACE) recommendation. Credit hours may vary depending on the time period the course was completed.

* Previously offered courses are shown overleaf.

Currently Offered Courses:

FSAD 130	Incident Safety Officer
FSAD 135	Health and Safety Officer
FSAD 146	Executive Analysis of Fire Service Operations in Emergency Management (Resident Program at NFA)
FSAD 160	Introduction to Fire Inspection Principles and Practices
FSAD 161	Fire Inspection Principles (Resident Program at NFA)
FSAD 162	Principles of Fire Protection: Structures & Systems (Resident Program at NFA)
FSAD 170	Introduction to Wildland & Wildland/Urban Interface Firefighting for the Structural Company Officer
FSAD 184	Command and Control of Fire Department Operations at Natural and Man-Made Disasters
FSAD 185	Command and Control of Fire Department Operations at Target Hazards
FSAD 201	Fire Instructor II
FSAD 202	Challenges for Local Training Officers
FSAD 203	Community Education Leadership
FSAD 230	Managing Company Tactical Operations: Preparation or Preparing for Initial Company Operations
FSAD 231	Managing Company Tactical Operations: Decision Making or Decision Making for Initial Company Operations
FSAD 240	Leadership I: Strategies for Company Success
FSAD 241	Leadership II: Strategies for Personal Success
FSAD 242	Leadership III: Strategies for Supervisory Success
FSAD 243	Executive Skills Series: Influencing