Safety Policy Statement of the Elizabeth City State University Flight Training Program

Elizabeth City State University Flight Training is committed to developing and promoting a culture of safety in all aviation activities and flight courses.

While acknowledging that flying aircraft is not inherently dangerous, it is also realized that there are certain risks associated with flight that can be managed, mitigated, or eliminated, and that good risk management will be taught as part of every flight course.

With regard to risk management each student will be taught to ensure that the risks associated with flight operations are systematically and formally identified, assessed, and managed so that each potential hazard is reduced to an acceptable level of safety.

The principles of the ECSU Flight Training Safety Policy shall be supported by all faculty and staff and will include the methods, processes, procedures and resources to demonstrate the compliance with industry safety standards, FAA regulations, and be able to deliver documented proof of the achieved level of safety for all flight activities. Also, the aviation safety methods used by the ECSU Flight Training Program shall support the identification of safety issues and hazards, which in turn will allow for the establishment and firm support of recommendations for safety improvement.

Aviation safety will be promoted at all levels through classroom education, practical training on the flight line, and dissemination through written or electronic safety notices, and entries placed in the standard operating procedures manual.

The ECSU Flight Training program is firmly committed to producing professional pilots and aircrew of the highest caliber, who are dedicated to excellence in flight training and the promotion of safety in all phases of flight and in all flight operations.

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