

# What Can I Do With Aviation Management?

## What is Aviation Management?

Overseeing flight operations

Overseeing airport operations

Preparing students for professional roles in the aviation industry

## Day in the Life

**Role:**

[Airfield Operations](#)

[Route Planner](#)

**Source:** youtube, WSJ

## Sample Aviation Management Roles

**Airport Operations:** Ensuring smooth customer experience

**Aircraft Records:** Maintaining documentation for airworthiness

**Business Analyst:** Supporting airline route performance

**Planning & Noise Analyst:** Managing planning and air traffic noise compliance

## Characteristics for Success

Adaptability

Communication

Critical thinking

Problem solving

Teamwork

Working under pressure

## Sample Employers

L Brands, NetJets, Southwest Airlines, UPS

Amazon, American Airlines, Delta Airlines, FedEx

Columbus Regional Airport Authority, John Glenn International Airport

## Salary Information (2024–2025)

**Full-time:** \$70,000 annually

**Internship:** \$13 /hour

## Ohio State Resources

**Academic:** Center for Aviation Studies

**Extracurricular:**

Aviation Management Organization of AAEE

Alpha Eta Rho  
Center for Aviation Studies Student Association  
Aviation Management Specialization Courses

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