



ASCI 615 - Module 4 Discussion: How Important is Electronic Evidence Collection?

Module 4 will now look at the electronics or better known as “black boxes.” It’s evidence for data collection. It’s field collection and a lot of it is recorded. It could be the FDR, the CVR, or air traffic control recordings.

What you’ll do in this discussion area is you’ll pick two FAR 121 accidents. Again, it could be from the ASIAs or the NTSB. You need to discuss the similarities and the differences that may have challenged the investigations. Then, you need to compare and contrast data that came from the good and old CVR, FDR and ATC recordings. You will need to identify some of the challenges in collecting from crash sites or other places. You need to know how important electronic evidence is in determining the cause of an accident.