HOMELAND SECURITY

MASTER OF ARTS IN HOMELAND SECURITY

36 semester hrs / 12 courses

CORE COURSES (18 SEMESTER HRS / 6 COURSES)

Students must take 5 core courses:

- » Research Methods in Homeland Security
- » Domestic Terrorism and Extremist Groups
- » Homeland Security Policy
- » Homeland security and Defense
- » Weapons of Mass Destruction and the New Terrorism
- » Homeland Security and the Law

MAJOR COURSES (12 SEMESTER HRS / 4 COURSES)

Students must select 5 major courses. Courses include:

- » Airport Security Design
- » Cargo Security Management
- » Port Security
- » Interagency Disaster Management
- » Immigration Law

In addition to a general concentration, concentrations are offered in Business Administration, Counterterrorism Studies, Criminal Justice, Cyber, Emergency Management and Public Health, Intelligence Studies, and Transportation Security.

ELECTIVES (3 SEMESTER HRS)

Students may choose from other courses not taken to meet required, core, or major requirements.

CAPSTONE COURSE (3 SEMESTER HRS)

» Master's Capstone in Homeland Security

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American Military University

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BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HOMELAND SECURITY

The Homeland Security program at AMU is truly an interdisciplinary degree. Instead of just repackaging existing criminal justice or political science courses, we draw courses from four key disciplines: Emergency & Disaster Management, Intelligence, Criminal Justice & Security, and Transportation & Logistics Management.

121 semester hrs/40 courses

GENERAL EDUCATION (37 SEMESTER HRS / 12 COURSES)

Requirements include foundations of online learning, English, history, literature and humanities, science and mathematics, political science, and social sciences.

CORE COURSES (18 SEMESTER HRS / 6 COURSES)

- Students must take 6 core courses:
- » Border and Coastal Security
- » Introduction to Homeland Security and Defense
- » Mind of a Terrorist
- » Private Sector Homeland Security
- » Intelligence and Homeland Security
- » Research Methods in Homeland Security Studies

MAJOR COURSES (27 SEMESTER HRS / 9 COURSES)

- Students must select 9 major courses from a list of 20 courses. Courses include:
- » Chemical, Biological, and Radiological Hazards
- » Consequence Management
- » Cyber Warfare
- » Emergency Planning
- » Immigration Law and Policy
- » Intelligence and Narcotics
- » Maritime Law
- » Psychology of Disaster
- » Risk Communications

ELECTIVES (36 SEMESTER HRS / 12 COURSES)

Students may choose from other courses not taken to meet required, core, or major requirements.

CAPSTONE COURSE (3 SEMESTER HRS)

» Senior Seminar in Homeland Security



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For the most current program, concentration, and degree path details, please consult the APUS catalog at: www.apus.edu/catalog

AMU is part of American Public University System, which is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, a member of the North Central Association (www.ncahlc.org, 312-263-0456) and certified to average by SCHEV.

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