EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND DISASTER RECOVERY
SPECIALIZED STUDIES PROGRAM • ONLINE

The ability to respond effectively to natural, human-caused and technology-related disasters is essential to keeping populations safe, mitigating losses, and ensuring the continuity of essential services and business operations. Aging infrastructures, climate change, population growth, scarce natural resources, terrorist and active shooter scenarios, and sophisticated cyber-crime all contribute to the rapidly expanding need for individuals who are skilled at preventing, responding, mitigating and recovering from a wide variety of threats. The Emergency Management and Disaster Recovery Specialized Studies certificate prepares professionals to enter or advance their career in this rewarding and high job demand field.
WHO SHOULD ENROLL
The program is for individuals who wish to enter this exciting field and those already in the field looking to enhance their professional credentials with applicable knowledge and practical skills. The certificate is valuable for government employees, first responders and private sector professional who are or wish to become more skilled in emergency management, disaster recovery and business continuity. The program is also ideal for military personnel transitioning to civilian careers, facilities and human resource managers, and recent college graduates. The program is also valuable for individual citizens who wish to become effective members of an emergency response team.

PROGRAM BENEFITS
• Build skills that are essential when preparing, mitigating, responding and recovering from a wide variety of possible disasters
• Become an effective member of an emergency response team
• Understand the relationships between local, state and federal agencies, including the Department of Homeland Security, during a disaster
• Enhance your knowledge of risk and threat assessments, prepare emergency plans, manage response, and develop and implement recovery plans
• Learn how to apply the regulations, standards and tools that govern emergency management
• Build a business continuity plan

TO ENROLL
Visit ce.uci.edu/em for full course descriptions, instructor biographies, and enrollment information.

CERTIFICATE ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS
A specialized studies certificate is awarded upon completion of a minimum of 9 units of required courses with a grade of “C” or better in each course. To receive the certificate after completing all program requirements, students must submit a Request for Certificate. All requirements must be completed within 5 years after the student enrolls in his/her first course. Students not pursuing a specialized studies award are welcome to take as many individual courses as they wish.

PROGRAM FEES
Actual fees may differ from the estimate below. Fees are subject to change without prior notice.
Course Fees (9 required units) $2,550
Candidacy Fee $35
Textbooks $200
Total Estimated Cost $2,785

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This certificate is recognized by the IAEM (International Association of Emergency Managers)