

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT/ HOMELAND SECURITY: CRIMINAL JUSTICE, ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

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Financial Aid Eligible

The Emergency Management/Homeland Security (EM/HS) degree with a concentration in criminal justice is designed to prepare students for entry into the protective service fields of homeland security, emergency management, and justice administration. Our curriculum is designed to provide the learner with a foundation of technical and professional knowledge needed to solve complex public safety problems. Studying homeland security in an academic setting includes learning about protective measures governments put in place to minimize security threats, ranging from natural disasters to organized terrorist activities. Students who concentrate in the criminal justice field learn about law enforcement, the courts and correctional systems, exploring how different jurisdictions – city, county, state, federal or tribal governments – protect their communities from crime. The EM/HS/CJ program of study includes areas as diverse as disaster management, criminal investigation, legal analysis, and business communication. The emergency management/homeland security degree focusing on criminal justice studies puts students on a path toward employment fields ranging from emergency management, customs and border protection, cyber-crime, and transportation security.

Program Level Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this program, students will be able to:

1. Classify the roles, functions and interdependency between local, state, federal and international law enforcement to effectively coordinate disaster events.
2. Identify, describe and analyze the wide range of threats to national security, including transportation, border and cyber-security.
3. Demonstrate effective communication skills and appreciation for diverse communities to provide leadership during critical incidents.

Review the Associate in Science and Associate in Arts Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/coastline/graduation-requirements/associate-degree/>) and General Education (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/coastline/general-education/>) requirements.

Concentration in Criminal Justice

Criminal Justice courses at Coastline are only offered online through our Military/Contact Education Program and designed to meet the needs of our global military community. **Students not eligible for enrollment in our military/contract education programs:** Coastline College offers Criminal Justice courses in collaboration with our sister college, Golden West (GWC). Please enroll in Criminal Justice courses via GWC class schedule or apply equivalent transferrable Criminal Justice coursework to satisfy requirements.

Course	Title	Units
Required Core		
Complete the following:		
EMGT C101	Introduction to Emergency Management	3
EMGT C102	Introduction to Homeland Security	3
CJ C140	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
Program Electives		
Select courses from each of the following areas:		
Emergency Management/Homeland Security Area		
Select two of the following:		6
EMGT C105	Emergency Preparedness	
EMGT C110	Emergency Response	
EMGT C120	Disaster Recovery	
EMGT C130	Hazard Mitigation	
EMGT C283	Work Based Learning	
Criminal Justice Area		
Select two of the following:		6
CJ C110	Criminal Investigation	
CJ C128	Criminal Procedure	
CJ C135	Introduction to Policing	
CJ C141	Criminal Law	
CJ C146	Written Communication for Criminal Justice	
CJ C148	Multicultural Studies in Criminal Justice	
Management/Leadership Area		
Select one of the following:		3
BUS C139	Business Communication	
MGMT C115	Human Relations in Business	
Units Required for Major		24
Local General Education, CSU General Education, or IGETC pattern		Varies
Electives to satisfy unit requirement		Varies
Total Units		60