

Higher Education Program News

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Higher Education Updates

This week, while short, has been full catching up with our community! We had a good gathering on Monday for our Higher Education community call, and we have been in conversations with many partners to catch up on research projects, webinars and future opportunities to collaborate. Today, you will find several EM higher education job openings in the newsletter. Please share them throughout your network! Wishing each of you Happy Thanksgiving!

The Emergency Management Institute is now on Social Media!

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EM Higher Education Community Conference Calls – Please join us. The purpose of the call is to: learn from the emergency management academic community what is new and exciting in their world; find out about ongoing projects; discuss higher education community needs that we can address; and provide the opportunity for callers to ask questions. **The date for the next conference call is THURSDAY, December 15** from 2:00-3:00 p.m. EST. Let us know if you have topics you would like to discuss. The call information is **800-320-4330, PIN: 376368**.

EM Hi Ed Webinar Series - If you are interested in sharing your expertise, or would like us to cover a specific topic in a future webinar, please contact Wendy Walsh at wendy.walsh@fema.dhs.gov.

Higher Education Program Webinars

- “Jobs and Internships for Emergency Management Students” [Training announcement](#), November 30, 2016 - 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. EST. [To register](#). Conference Call-In: 800-320-4330, PIN: 376368
- “Case Study Development & Use” December 6, 2016 – 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST. The training announcement and registration information will be available next week. This will be the first of a series of four webinars on the topic of case studies.

College List - The EMI Higher Education Program keeps a [list](#) of colleges and universities that offer emergency management, homeland security, and related programs. EMI staff do not provide college recommendations or discuss the relative merits of the colleges and universities listed. Please send information updates to FEMA-emi-collegelist@fema.dhs.gov. Next year, the college list update templates will be pre-populated with your information.



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Mark Your Calendar for the next Hi Ed Symposium! [The 19th Annual Emergency Management Higher Education Symposium](#) will be held June 5-8, 2017 at FEMA's National Emergency Training Center (NETC) in Emmitsburg, Maryland.

Employment

Vacancy announcements posted for Emergency Management Specialist:

- (Recovery) IC-0089-11/11, **OPEN** 11/21/2016 and **CLOSE** 11/28/2016, [FEMA-17-KNH-124252-CORE](#), Denton, TX
- (Infrastructure Branch Director) AD-0089-03/03, **OPEN** 11/18/2016 and **CLOSE** 12/2/2016, [FEMA-17-SLB-124755-IMAT](#), Atlanta, GA
- (Supervisory, Recovery) GS-0089-13/13, **OPEN** 11/18/2016 and **CLOSE** 11/25/2016, [FEMA-17-TT-124348-DE](#), Denton, TX
- (Recovery) IC-0301-11/11, **OPEN** 11/17/2016 and **CLOSE** 11/24/2016, [FEMA-17-CAS-120308R-CORE](#), Philadelphia, PA
- (Training) IC-0301-12/12, **OPEN** 11/18/2016 and **CLOSE** 11/28/2016, [FEMA-17-AH-117785-CORE](#), Anniston, AL

Vacancy announcement posted for Supervisory Instructional System Specialist:

- GS-1750-12/12, **OPEN** 11/21/2016 and **CLOSE** 11/30/2016, [FEMA-17-TM-122676-DE](#), Anniston, AL

Higher Education Vacancies

- Adelphi University, College of Nursing and Public Health, [Clinical Assistant Professor/ Emergency Management](#)
- Bellingham Technical College, [Emergency Preparedness and Safety Manager](#)
- Texas A&M University, Instructor - [Enhanced Incident Management Program](#)
- Massachusetts Maritime Academy, [F/T Tenure-Track Emergency Management Faculty](#)
- Western Carolina University, [Assistant Professor – Criminology, Emergency & Disaster Management](#) and [Assistant Professor - Emergency & Disaster Management](#)
- Northern Virginia Community College, [Emergency Management Coordinator](#)
- Palm Beach State College for [Adjunct Instructor, Emergency Management](#)
- Western Illinois University, [Assistant Professor of Emergency Management](#)
- Embry-Riddle, [Tenure Track Assistant/Associate Professor of Homeland Security](#)
- Capella University, [Core Faculty – Emergency Management](#)





Resources and Announcements

[The Resilient Infrastructure Initiative](#), Argonne National Laboratory

Hazus 3.2 is now available: Hazus is a nationally applicable standardized methodology that contains models for estimating potential losses from earthquakes, floods, and hurricanes. The software can be downloaded for free on the FEMA Flood Map Service Center (MSC) [Hazus Download page](#). Hazus 3.2 is now supported on ArcGIS 10.4 and Windows 10 64-bit, with continued support for Windows 8.1 and 7 (64-bit only).

Calendar

DHS Partners with Department of State and Department of Commerce to host a free one-hour [International Student Webinar](#), December 7, 2016, at 11:00 a.m. EST. Designed specifically for community colleges, the webinar will provide an overview of the international student immigration process, share information related to the recruitment of international students and compliance with federal regulations and describe resources available to international students and institutions. [For information.](#)

National Emergency Training Center Library

The library this year provided a deep dive into published dissertations and theses on a wide variety of emergency management topics. Here are [some 20 titles among those we discovered on the topic of preparedness](#). [To browse or search among our other 1200 plus dissertations](#)

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