

East Carolina University – Online Master of Science in Security Studies with Homeland Security Emphasis

The Master of Science in Security Studies program provides students an interdisciplinary approach to understanding and addressing the diverse domestic and international threats to U.S. security. These threats may be posed by natural disasters or by man, whether through governments or non-state actors such as terrorist groups. The program is designed to enable students to evaluate threats and develop responses to those threats at the international, national, state, and local levels. The program will also increase student understanding and skills of the response coordination required to meet the challenges posed by such threats.

Core Requirements

SECS 6000: Security Studies Foundations - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6155: Changing Nature of National Security Policy - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6250: Policy and Practice of Security - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6300: Research Methods for SECS - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6350: Weapons of Mass Destruction - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6450: Internship - 3 credit(s)
SECS 7000: Thesis or non-Thesis option - 6 credit(s)

Area of Emphasis in Homeland Security Policy

BIOL 6110: Bioterrorism and Biosecurity - 3 credit(s)
EHST 6010: Fundamentals of Environmental Health - 3 credit(s)
HIST 6260: The United States and the Middle East, 1783 to the Present - 3 credit(s)
JUST 6502: Criminal Justice and Terrorism - 3 credit(s)
PADM 6163: Environmental Policy Analysis - 3 credit(s)
PADM 6170: Intergovernmental/Interagency Relations - 3 credit(s)
PADM 6220: Leadership and Ethics in the Public Sector - 3 credit(s)
PLAN 6015: Emergency/Disaster Planning [Seminar] - 3 credit(s)
POLS 6382: Global Terrorism - 3 credit(s)
POLS 6345: Comparative Public Policy - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6260: Intelligence and National Security - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6270: Intelligence Analysis - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6320: Cyber Warfare and Security - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6400: The Foundation of Homeland Security and Defense - 3 credit(s)
SECS 6430: Special Topics Seminar - 3 credit(s)
SOCI 5500: Seminar in Population - 3 credit(s)

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