

Missouri State University – Graduate Certificate in Public Safety

The Graduate Certificate in Public Safety can be either a part of the Master of Public Administration program or as a free-standing certificate. The certificate includes four 3-credit courses and is intended to provide the student with an orientation to public safety services as well as a more in-depth and practical knowledge in its application. The program is intended to provide a blend of baseline material augmented with projects based on, and applicable to, real world use. The faculty is primarily composed of practice-experienced professionals.

Required Courses (6 Credits)

PLS 772 Intro to Public Safety Services 3 credits

PLS 773 Hazard Analysis, Mitigation and Preparedness 3 credits

*PLS772 may be waived for those with adequate public safety experience.

Elective Courses (6 Credits)

PLS 719 Strategic Planning and Organizational Imperatives in Homeland Security 3 credits

PLS 717 Multidisciplinary Approaches to Homeland Security 3 credits

GLG 647 Water Resources 3 credits

GRY 731 Environmental Assessment 3 credits

CRM 740 Foundations of Homeland Defense and Security 3 credits

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