**Park University, Hauptmann School for Public Affairs, Kansas City - Graduate Certificate in Disaster and Emergency Management**

The Graduate Certificate in Disaster and Emergency Management complements the existing graduate programs offered by the University’s Hauptmann School of Public Affairs which is housed within the College of Management. The public’s continued concern for efficient governmental response to natural and man-made disasters, along with the recent significant investment in emergency management activities, requires knowledgeable public managers, including managers transitioning from other areas of expertise. The array of potential hazardous events that now confront public managers includes Homeland Security issues, failures of complex technology and a wide range of natural hazards. Students possessing a Graduate Certificate in Disaster and Emergency Management will be well-prepared to engage the public policy issues surrounding these community hazards.

**Courses**

- DEM551: Principles of Disaster and Emergency Management - 3 credit(s)
- DEM552: Public Policy and Disaster - 3 credit(s)
- DEM553: Disaster and Society - 3 credit(s)
- DEM557: Continuity in Operations in Public and Private Sectors - 3 credit(s)

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Core Capabilities

Community Resilience
Economic Recovery
Environmental Response / Health and Safety
Infrastructure Systems
Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Operational Communications
Operational Coordination
Planning
Public Information and Warning
Risk and Disaster Resilience Assessment
Situational Assessment
Supply Chain Integrity and Security

Core Competencies

Abide by Professional Ethics
Disaster Risk Management
Leadership
Operate within the EM Framework, Principles, and Body of Knowledge
Possess Critical Thinking
Sociocultural Literacy
Value Continual Learning

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