

University of Denver, University College – Masters of Science in Security Management with Concentrations in Organizational Security, Emergency Planning and Response, and Information Security

The University of Denver, University College is offering a Master's in Security Management with concentrations in Organizational Security, Emergency Planning and Response, and Information Security, which can be earned entirely online. Today's security positions are more complex than ever, requiring leadership and management of security operations addressing personnel, property, facility, information, and business continuity security. Graduates of the Master's program will be able to:

- Lead the strategic, planning and management efforts of private and public sector organization
- Evaluate and analyze emerging security issues, regulations, and threats
- Analyze financial implications of security program and options
- Protect vital assets such as people, physical structures and equipment, intellectual property, information and maintain post-incident continuity of operations.

A Master of Applied Science in Security Management can be earned in less than two years by completing 48 credit hours (12 courses). Credits earned as part of a graduate certificate (offered in the same three concentrations) can be applied toward the completion of a University College master's degree.

Program Requirements: MS in Security Management requires completion of 48 credit hours (12 courses)

Core Courses - 20 qtr. hrs

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- SMGT 4050 - Security Concepts Overview
- SMGT 4100 - Business Function of Security
- SMGT 4350 - Business Assets Protection
- SMGT 4910 - Research Practices and Applications
- SMGT 4901 - Capstone Project
OR
- SMGT 4902 - Capstone Seminar
OR
- SMGT 4904 - Interdisciplinary Capstone Seminar

Concentration Courses - 16 qtr. hrs (choose one of the following 3 concentrations)

Emergency Planning and Response

- SMGT 4210 - Critical Incident Management
- SMGT 4220 - Hazardous and Radiological Material Preparedness
- SMGT 4230 - Mitigation for Emergency Managers
- SMGT 4400 - Emergency Planning

Information Security

- SMGT 4200 - Integrated Security Systems
- SMGT 4250 - IS: Threats in Security
- SMGT 4450 - Legal and Ethical Issues in Security Management
- SMGT 4500 - Human Factors in Security

Organizational Security

- SMGT 4150 - Risk Management
- SMGT 4300 - Security Administration
- SMGT 4400 - Emergency Planning
- SMGT 4500 - Human Factors in Security

Elective courses - 12 qtr. hrs (Choose 3)

Electives may be chosen from among all courses in Security Management programs. You may also select courses from other University College graduate programs.

Your academic advisor will help you select electives that align with your career and personal goals.

University College programs maintain the highest level of accreditation offered by The Higher Learning Commission, one of the regional accrediting bodies recognized by the federal government. The University of Denver and all of its academic programs are regionally [accredited](#) by this commission, and regional accreditation is the highest standard for universities in the United States.

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