University of Hawaii, West Oahu – A Concentration (Major) and A Certificate in Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management

The University of Hawaii, West Oahu offers a Concentration (Major) and a Certificate in Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management. Students may pursue a Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration with a Concentration in Disaster Preparedness & Emergency Management or a Certificate in Disaster Preparedness & Emergency Management. Courses for the bachelor’s degree and certificate are offered through in-class and/or on line via distance learning instruction.

The certificate program provides students and practitioners in the field of disaster preparedness and emergency management with a broad range of administrative skills and knowledge required in the growing and challenging areas of disaster preparedness, emergency management, and homeland security. It can be earned as a self-standing credential and may also be used as a part of a Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration.

Required Courses:
- PUBA 411  Emergency Management and Disaster Preparedness
- PUBA 463  Disaster Recovery and Hazard Mitigation
- PUBA 464  Terrorism and Emergency Management

Select Three courses from the following:
- PUBA 460  Environmental Policy Planning and Administration (Recommended)
- PUBA 461  Social Dimensions of Disaster Response (Recommended)
- PUBA 462  Disaster Recovery and Business Continuation (Recommended)
- PUBA 465  International Disaster Management
- PUBA 466  Ethics in Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management

The University of Hawaii, West Oahu is fully accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC).

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