



Master of Arts in Disaster Management

Fully Online or Face-to-Face Formats

Learn the fundamentals of emergency preparedness, disaster management and humanitarian assistance in this graduate program for students and professionals in governmental, corporate and nonprofit sectors. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics projects that positions in disaster management will grow by 8% from 2016 through 2026, outpacing the average growth for all professions in the United States.

80%

of the students are
full-time employees

10

courses taught
by local, state, federal and
international emergency
management faculty

12

months
or completion
of the program

Florida International University's master's degree in disaster management is a 30-credit, interdisciplinary program that provides students with the critical thinking, leadership and management skills needed to meet the challenges associated with preparing for, responding to and recovering from natural and man-made disasters. The courses are designed to train students to lead effectively in any environment in the world.

If you're a first-responder or you're passionate about learning modern skills and knowledge used to lead a disaster response, this program was created specifically for you.

The majority of the program's students are working professionals who seek to advance their professional careers.

Together for the **greater good**

COURSES

- Comparative Disaster Management Systems
- Introduction to Vulnerability Analysis and Hazard Mitigation
- Disaster Preparedness and Planning Methodologies
- Disaster Response and Recovery
- Crisis Communications
- Environmental Disasters and Human Health
- Special Topics in Disaster Studies
- Disaster Health Readiness
- Foundations in Humanitarian Assistance and Coordination
- Disaster Field Operations

HOW TO APPLY

Applications must be submitted through FIU University Graduate School. To complete the application online, please visit gradschool.fiu.edu.

Requirements

All applicants must have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, or equivalent degree from a foreign institution with a minimum upper division GPA of 3.0.

Online tuition is estimated at \$19,990 and in-person tuition is estimated at \$24,990 (including all fees and textbooks).