E.M.P.H. IN EMERGENCY & DISASTER MANAGEMENT
A ONE-YEAR INTENSIVE MASTER’S PROGRAM TAUGHT IN ENGLISH TO FOSTER EXPERTISE IN MANAGING DISASTERS

PROGRAM BENEFITS

• One-year program provides students and professionals the skills needed to advance their careers in emergency management
• Study in Israel: a country well-known for its leadership in disaster management, with some of the world’s leading experts in the field
• OUR FACULTY is comprised of a unique balance of academic experts and field professionals
• AN INTERNATIONAL student cohort with professional experience which brings diverse insight and expertise

ABOUT TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

Tel Aviv University is one of Israel’s foremost higher education institutions, attracting talented students and world renowned faculty to our campus in Tel Aviv. More than 30,000 students take part in our academic programs, from the bachelor’s level to doctoral and beyond. Tel Aviv features an exciting mix of cultures and creativity with a Middle Eastern flair.

With its sunny Mediterranean beaches and vibrant social scene, Tel Aviv provides the ideal setting for an unforgettable study experience.
ACADEMIC FOCUS
• Interdisciplinary academic orientation provides extensive knowledge and research skills
• Topics covered include: crisis management, humanitarian action, medical management, and managing acute stress reactions
• Developing competencies in capacity building, management, organization and situation awareness
• Navigating the complexities of communication and collaboration between the various organizations tasked with managing disasters

PROGRAM FEATURES
• Develop new and critical ways of thinking in order to manage emergency and disaster situations
• Practical applications including visits to Israeli emergency agencies and drills
• Engage with leading expert guest lecturers presenting unique experiences & expertise
• Elite, international student body that builds networks within this specialized, in-demand field

DEVELOPING GLOBAL LEADERS IN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
Over the past few decades, the world has dealt with an increasing number of natural disasters and significant man made crises, stemming from terrorism and other causes. In order to efficiently overcome these challenges, the world needs leaders in emergency and disaster management who can direct multi-level organizational systems and coordinate their efforts with international aid agencies. This unique multidisciplinary Master’s program takes advantage of Israel’s international leadership position in disaster management to foster future leaders in this vitally important field.

CAREER PROSPECTS
In recent years there has been a major increase in demand for professionals qualified in emergency and disaster management within the United Nations, hospitals, and humanitarian organizations. Program alumni hold positions around the globe in international security organizations, emergency management departments, NGOs, and more.

PROGRAM LENGTH
3 SEMESTERS (10 MONTHS)

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION
ENGLISH

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
COMPLETED BACHELOR’S DEGREE WITH A FINAL GRADE EQUIVALENT TO 75 ON A SCALE OF 100. PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN TO CANDIDATES WHO HOLD POSITIONS IN FIELDS RELATED TO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND NATIONAL SECURITY

APPLICATION DEADLINE
ROLLING ADMISSION; MAXIMUM 25 STUDENTS PER COHORT

“This multidisciplinary program left me feeling inspired, because my voice mattered, my actions can make a difference, and my perspective is unique”
Saritte Perlman, Canada