



**SOUTHWESTERN**  
COLLEGE

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

# EMERGENCY RISK MANAGEMENT



## Graduate Certificate

The Emergency Risk Management certificate is designed to prepare the manager with risk management responsibilities for contingency planning, mitigation, continuity, and investigation, in addition to systematic assessment of organizational risk.

### Practical Application

Hands-on experience

### 15 Credit Hours

Complete in as little as 8 months

### No Prerequisites

Streamlined admissions process

### Stackable

Transfer credits toward the M.S. in Security and Emergency Studies degree at SC

## About Southwestern College

Southwestern College Professional Studies offers practical online degree programs focused on an enhanced learner experience, provided by a regionally accredited, 130+ year old non-profit institution. Each learner can expect: hands-on counselors to help you navigate your program requirements; generous transfer credits to reduce your overall cost and time to completion; progressive, nationally recognized programs; accessible student resources to minimize the stress of degree completion; and small class sizes with experienced, practicing faculty to facilitate interaction and ensure your academic success.



# Graduate Certificate in Emergency Risk Management

## Core Requirements

- MSSE510 Enterprise Risk Assessment and Mitigation
- MSSE520 Administration of Information Security
- MSSE530 Insider Threats
- MSSE531 Business Continuity Planning
- MSSE565 Organizational Security Investigations

## Program Description

The graduate certificate in emergency risk management emphasizes the executive analysis and assessment of organizations' security vulnerability. It is designed to prepare the manager with risk management responsibilities for contingency planning, mitigation, continuity, and investigation, in addition to systematic assessment of organization risk. Students will have an opportunity to examine various models and practices that help the management professional balance the costs and risks facing today's organizations.

## Admission Requirements

Anyone interested in completing the Emergency Risk Management certificate may complete a Southwestern College Professional Studies Graduate Application for Admission. The five courses comprising the Emergency Risk Management Certificate can be completed in eight months or less in convenient six-week classes with no prerequisites.

Individuals completing the Emergency Risk Management Certificate at Southwestern College may apply 12 of the credit hours earned toward a Master of Science in Security and Emergency Studies degree.