

HOMELAND SECURITY AND SECURITY MANAGEMENT

**CRJ100 Introduction to Criminal Justice
3 Credits**

This course provides an introduction to the American criminal justice system. The definition of crime, the nature and measurement of crime, theories of crime, and criminal law will be discussed. In addition, changes in the criminal justice system, due process, and police discretion and indiscretion, the police department's role, courts, prosecuting and defense attorneys, corrections, parole, probation and the juvenile justice system will be examined. Police agencies, state-specific criminal justice guidelines within New York State, and how they interact in criminal investigations will be discussed.

**CRJ201 Methods of Investigation
3 Credits**

Security professionals in the field of investigative services need to understand the nature and purpose of criminal investigations. Various methods of interview and interrogation of witnesses and suspects will be discussed. Use of informants and special investigations will be examined as well as constraints on private security personnel in this area.

Prerequisite: CRJ100 Introduction to Criminal Justice

**ERM100 Basic Fire Safety/Basic CPR/and First Aid
3 Credits Training**

This course will encompass basic fire safety and preparedness within the workplace. This course is designed to instill the basic functions and understanding of workplace fire suppression and the protection of life and property. The student will learn cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) with regard to the American Heart Association Guidelines for 2009 including the use of an automated external defibrillator (AED). Basic incident management processes used to recognize how to operate and manage minor to moderate incidents in cooperation with federal, local, and international agencies will be addressed. The development and preparation of a workplace evacuation plan will be covered.

**ERM101 Critical Incident Management and Command
3 Credits Systems**

This course will introduce the student to the roles and responsibilities of emergency services within the United States and how to properly assist and interact with these agencies utilizing Incident Command System (ICS), National Incident Management System (NIMS), and the current technology associated with disaster management. An overview of the National Response Plan (NRP) is also provided. This course is intended to instill the ability to coordinate a response to a disaster as the incident commander using simulation, information retrieval systems, and analysis of past disasters natural and man-made.

**ERM202 Disaster Response and Recovery Operations
3 Credits**

This course will introduce students to what is a disaster. Basic operations applicable to the disaster environment will be discussed.

Students will examine the responsibilities of local, state, and federal emergency management teams in addition to problem solving aspects of disaster operations and the importance of interagency cooperation.

Prerequisite: ERM101 Critical Incident Management and Command Systems

**HCD201 Homeland Career Development and Management
1 Credit**

In this course, students are introduced to the modern workplace. Students will be prepared to make the transition from college student to employee through learning how to conduct a job search, prepare a professional resume and thank you letter, dress for the interview, develop interviewing techniques, and meet and exceed employer expectations. The course will also help develop student confidence through the practice of interviewing and time management techniques.

For students who enrolled in the Homeland Security and Security Management program prior to October 2013, this course can be substituted for NET100 Internet.

**HSM100 Introduction to Homeland Security
3 Credits**

This course provides students with the historical facts of the 9/11/01 attacks and the response of the United States to those attacks to include the creation of the Homeland Security Department. Students will be introduced to the Homeland Security Department and its roles. Students will also examine the issues post 9/11 such as: intelligence, the military's role in Homeland Security, communications assessments, counter-terrorism, and weapons of mass destruction and natural disasters. The current role of Homeland Security in domestic and international issues will be discussed.

**HSM101 Contingency and Emergency Planning
3 Credits**

This course introduces the student to the various pre-planning methods within the non-profit and municipal workplaces as well as communities in general. The topics of emergency and disaster management, contingency planning, damage assessment, as well as development and implementation of an effective disaster plan will be discussed. Students will develop, as well as implement, a complete emergency plan within the workplace.

**HSM201 Understanding Terrorism
3 Credits**

This course will explore the criminology and controversy of terrorism. A historical overview and perspective on terrorism including its origins, types, strategies, targets and the limits on military and civil authorities will be discussed. The students will also be exposed to key issues in international terrorism and domestic terrorism, and also explore issues affecting homeland security.

HSM204 Natural and Man-Made Disasters
3 Credits

The current world climate requires heightened awareness of types of security issues not previously imagined. At the beginning of the 21st century, employment of weapons of mass destruction (WMD) against the U.S. homeland has become a reality. This course will discuss the various types of WMDs, their origins, and proliferation. Attempts at controlling WMD production and strategies for defending against and responding to WMD attacks will be discussed.

LAW100 Law and Ethics for Security Professionals
3 Credits

This course will examine the American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS), the International Association of Chiefs of Police and Private Security Management, and Security Employee Codes of Ethics. This course will also examine the legal powers and limitations of security personnel as “private police officers” including such topics as arrest, search and seizure, and investigation. There is also an introduction to penal law pertaining to security professionals, including terrorism.

SEC100 Introduction to Security
3 Credits

Students will examine detailed methods of security and techniques to prevent losses due to theft and fraud. This course will include an in-depth review of training, security programs, surveillance systems, and supervision. Public and private building procedures including visitor and employee access control, emergencies, and unusual incidents will be discussed. This course provides the necessary preparation for the 8-hour security guard license certificate.

SEC101 Security Technology
3 Credits

This course will introduce the student to the basic systems in surveillance technology. The origins and applications of surveillance systems will be discussed as a foundation for exploring more advanced technologies such as radar, sonar, ultrasound, and computerized surveillance. The use of surveillance systems in conjunction with various barrier and access/egress systems will be discussed.

SEC103 Personnel and Physical Property Security
3 Credits Management

This course will provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the organizational, interpersonal and administrative aspects of various security work environments, as well as with the theoretical and practical knowledge of both traditional and innovative controls/methods/practices of physical asset security. It introduces the concepts and methodologies of workplace security used by small, medium, and large corporations. Topics related to personnel security include: pre-employment screening, training, employee security awareness, internal investigations, workplace violence, security officer operations, and executive protection. Physical property security topics include: perimeter integrity, facility protection, access control, and countermeasures technology.

SEC204 Introduction to Forensic Science
3 Credits

During this course the student will be introduced to the use of forensic sciences to determine the chemical and physical properties of various substances and materials as they relate to physical

evidence obtained during an investigation. The nature of physical evidence and its role in an investigation will be addresses. The course will also explore the recognition and preservation of physical evidence, particularly as it relates to Events of Mass Effect (EME).