

Criminal Justice Technology **Homeland Defense & Emergency Management**

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The Criminal Justice Technology, Homeland Defense and Emergency Management Option is a comprehensive technology option that will provide opportunities to partner with non-credit and continuing education offerings of the college. Students may elect to complete an associate degree in the Homeland Defense and Emergency Management Option, take courses in the subject matter while majoring in another career area for a dual associate degree, take courses for a credit certificate in the discipline, or take courses in a non-credit format earning continuing education credits (CEU's).

What You'll Learn...

- Constitutional law, the nature of terrorist behavior, and counseling
- Contemporary issues and daily operations in homeland security
- Using your background and skills in a variety of job opportunities including local, state, and federal criminal justice agencies as well as private agencies.
- Applying your criminal justice background to a variety of situations

What You'll Earn...

- A competitive salary with excellent opportunities for advancement
- Employment opportunities in law enforcement and related services, corrections, counseling, probation and parole, courts, and private security and investigations
- The opportunity to broaden and advance your skills in new areas

Why You'll Succeed...

- Many of the higher paying jobs, now and in the future, will be in a technical career field requiring an education beyond high school
- Employees with degrees tend to be more eligible for promotion*
- Associate degree holders generally earn more than high school graduates*
- College credit may be awarded for relevant work experience
- Many credits from an Associate Degree may be applied toward a Bachelor Degree

**Statistics from U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census*

Criminal Justice

You can enroll in the Criminal Justice Homeland Defense & Emergency Management Technology on either a full-time or part-time basis. The length of time required to complete an Associate Degree depends on the number of courses you take each semester. Some students may need refresher courses at the basic or pre-tech level; others may receive transfer credit or credit for work experience. Delaware Tech operates on a semester system with new terms beginning in late August and mid-January, plus summer terms beginning at the end of May and in mid-June. You can start taking courses any semester or summer term; however, all technical courses may not be offered every term.

CORE COURSES

Courses	Credits
ENG 121 Composition.....	3
or	
ENG 125 Honors Composition	3
ENG 122 Technical Writing & Communication	3
or	
ENG 130 Honors Technical Writing & Communication	3
MAT 153 College Math & Statistics.....	4
PSY 121 General Psychology.....	3
SOC 111 Sociology I.....	3

TECHNICAL SUPPORT/COMPUTER COURSES

Courses	Credits
CIS 107 Intro to Computers & Applications.....	3
CIS 200 Intro to Info Security & Incident Recovery	3
ENG 124 Oral Communication	3
or	
ENG 131 Honors Oral Communication.....	3
ENV 110 Intro to Environmental Issues	3
SPA 136 Spanish Communication I	4

TECHNICAL COURSES

Courses	Credits
CRJ 222 Constitutional Law.....	3
CRJ 223 Criminology	3
HDM 101 Intro to Homeland Defense and Emergency Mgt.....	3
HDM 102 National Incident Mgt. System	3
HDM 110 Contemporary Issues in Homeland Defense	3
HDM 202 First Responder.....	3
HDM 204 All Hazards Mgt. & Critical Infrastructure.....	3
HDM 225 Supervision & Leadership in Emergency Mgt. .	3
HDM 226 Crisis Intervention & Disaster Recovery	3
HDM 235 Homeland Defense/Emergency Mgt. Internship	4
PSY 244 Psychology of Terrorism	3

Getting Started

1. Obtain an application by calling (302)857-1020. Complete and return to the Terry Campus with a \$10 application fee.
2. Take the College Placement Test (CPT) *unless college-level math, reading, and English courses have been completed with a "C" grade or better*. The CPT will determine appropriate placement and is scheduled by the Admissions Office.
3. Request that high school and/or college transcripts be sent to the Admissions Office.
4. Meet with a Delaware Tech counselor to discuss CPT results.
5. Meet with advisor to plan schedule.
6. Apply and register early for the best selection of courses.

Standards of Excellence

- ❖ Regularly scheduled internships allow students to experience real-life situations in this career field