

MINOR IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT

The College of Design and Social Inquiry proposes to establish a Minor in Disaster Management for undergraduate students. The minor will allow students from any undergraduate major in the University to expand their knowledge and skills about the concepts, issues, technologies, and skills involved in preparing for and managing the aftermath of a major disaster. This topic is of particular relevance to the population of South Florida. Educational outcomes for the minor will integrate the material from the unique perspectives of the departments involved into skills such as communication, use of resources, visual planning technologies, cultural competence, and preparedness as professionals and as individual, family and community members.

Students must complete 12 credit hours from the courses below. Of the 12 credits, at least 9 must be earned from FAU. All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of "C" or better.

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	
ARC 4384	Designing Safer Communities	3	Methodology of designing for security using Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED).
URP 4430	Planning for Hazards/Disasters	3	Impact of and mitigation strategies for natural hazards/disasters.
PAD 3006	Intro to Public Safety Administration	3	Public safety administration within the context of disaster management, homeland security, criminal justice administration, and fire/emergency
PAD 4393	Emergency and Disaster Management	3	Historical evolution and governmental function of emergency management
FES 3803	Multiagency Incident Command	3	Examines multiagency coordination in the response to and mitigation of disaster
SOW 4678	Social Work and Emergency Relief	3	Psychosocial effects and interventions with victim of natural and technological disasters

Approved by:

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