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Academic Institutions Offering Degrees and/or Courses in Security

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We rely on ASIS members to inform us about security courses, programs or degrees, whether offered in traditional classroom or online (e-learning) environments. To assist us in our efforts to make this list as comprehensive and accurate as possible, please e-mail us (info@asisonline.org) information about changes to these listings if you know of address, phone, or e-mail changes. To submit a new listing please complete the **request form**. ( pdf or  MS Word)

We have recently received information about institutions which are offering courses in "homeland security." We will add them to this list when we can verify that security courses are included.

For general information on accreditation, contact the Council for Higher Education Accreditation at (202) 955-6126 or <http://www.chea.org/>

US Programs

Alabama

Amridge University

1200 Taylor Road
Montgomery, AL 36117
Contact: Rick Johnson
Director of Enrollment Management
1-800-351-4040, ext. 7513
rickjohnson@amridgeuniversity.edu

[Bachelor of Science in Public Safety and Business/Organizational Security](#)
[Bachelor of Science in Public Safety and Homeland Security](#)

Auburn University at Montgomery

P.O. Box 244023
Montgomery, AL 36124
334-244-3692
Classes in Security are offered.

[BS and MS in Justice and Public Safety](#)

University of Alabama at Birmingham

CJ Dept
Birmingham, AL 35294
205-934-2069
Class offered on Introduction to Private Security

[BA/BS Criminal Justice](#)

Arizona

Arizona State University-East

7001 E. Williams Field Road
Mesa, AZ 85212
480-727-3278
Aviation Management and Human Factors concentration
Program in Security Engineering Technology

[MS in Technology](#)

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

3200 Willow Creek Rd.
Prescott, AZ 86301
1-800-888-ERAU
Program allows for specialization in Global Security Intelligence. A second campus is located in Daytona Beach, Florida. This degree is designed to develop future security and intelligence professionals with a broad understanding of global interrelationships in politics, economics, and science and technology, among other fields.

[BS in Global Security & Intelligence Studies](#)

Northern Arizona University

PO Box 15005
Flagstaff, AZ 86011-5005
520-523-9519
Offers a class in corporate crime.

[MS in Applied Criminology](#)

California

California State University

1250 Bellflower Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90840
562-985-4111

This program in Criminal Justice offers a B.S., M.S. or minor to individuals interested in seeking a comprehensive education leading to a professional career in Law Enforcement, Corrections, Courts, or Security Administration.

BS and MS in Criminal Justice

Grossmont College

8800 Grossmont College Drive
El Cajon, CA 92020
619-644-7323

In addition to having a "Security Academy," which includes most of the major "certifications" for those interested in working as security officers, (Baton, Tear Gas, Firearms, CPR/First Aid and Firearms) Grossmont College also has a unique Security Management emphasis.

AA in Administration of Justice

Henley-Putnam University

25 Metro Drive, Suite 500
San Jose, CA 95110
Tel: 408-453-9900
Fax: 408-453-9700

Contact: Monica Sandoval
Admissions Coordinator

msandoval@henley-putnam.edu

1-888-852-8746 ext 9931

Henley-Putnam university's mission is to serve professionals in the strategic security industry, especially within the law enforcement, military and the intelligence community, by increasing their opportunities for advancement in the fields of intelligence management, counterterrorism studies, and the management of personal protection. Our focus is on delivering user friendly, high quality, online degree programs with an emphasis on furthering knowledge in deterrence and prevention.

BS and MS in Intelligence Management

BS and MS in Terrorism and Counterterrorism Studies

BS and MS in Management of Personal Protection

Doctorate in Strategic Security

Naval Postgraduate School Center on Terrorism and Irregular Warfare

589 Dyer Road
Code DA, Room 200a
Monterey, CA 93943

The Center on Terrorism and Irregular Warfare studies domestic and international terrorism and other forms of Irregular warfare, such as that waged by sub-state groups against established governments.

Colorado

Colorado Technical University

4435 North Chestnut Street
Colorado Springs, CO 80907
866-591-1987

MS in Computer Science with Computer Systems Security Concentration

Pikes Peak Community College

5675 S. Academy Blvd.
Colorado Springs, CO 80906
800-456-6847

AA in Criminal Justice

This program is designed to upgrade the skills and knowledge of employed criminal justice and private security

personnel and to provide a pre-employment program for persons interested in a career in one of the following areas: corrections, investigation/management, and police patrol.

University of Denver

2201 S. Gaylord Street
Denver, CO 80208
303-871-2544
fax : 303-871-3585

MA in International Studies

MA in Homeland Security

Masters in Global Studies

Certificate in Homeland Security

Masters in Security Management

Certificate of Advanced Study in Security Management

With courses offered by faculty trained in political science, law, economics, history, sociology, and the natural sciences, they offer a multidimensional approach to understanding the security environment of a new era in world politics.

University of Denver University College

2211 South Josephine
Denver, CO 80208
303-871-3155 or 800-347-2042
Contact: Dr. John Hill
johnhill@du.edu
303-871-7864

MAS In Security Management, Information Security

MAS In Security Management, Organizational Security

Certificate of Advanced Study in Information Security

Certificate of Advanced Study in Organizational Security

The Security Management program at the University of Denver University College designed specifically for business and organizational security management professionals, and the curriculum is based on recommendations from ASIS International.

Westwood College

7350 N. Broadway
Denver, Colorado 80221
17 campus locations
(Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas/Fort Worth, Denver, Los Angeles, and Northern Virginia), plus Westwood Online.
1-888-792-5121

Bachelor of Science in Information Systems Security

Gain the knowledge to secure industry-standard operating systems, design secure computer networks, apply industry-standard tools and techniques to implement and secure large-scale networks, evaluate strategies and policies to protect large-scale networks from security risks, and apply management tools and concepts to the planning, budgeting, and implementation of information systems security projects.

Connecticut

University of New Haven

300 Orange Avenue
West Haven, CT 06516
800-342-5864

Masters program has a concentration in Security Management.

MS in Criminal Justice

Delaware

Delaware Technical & Community College

400 Stanton-Christiana Road
Newark, DE 19713
302-454-3900

AAS in Safety Management Technology

AAS in Criminal Justice Technology

District of Columbia

[The George Washington University](#)

Graduate Education Center - Arlington Campus
3601 Wilson Blvd. Suite 400
Arlington, VA 22201
703-248-6200

Offers a Master of Forensic Sciences degree with Concentrations in Security Management and High Technology Crime Investigation.

Master of Forensic Sciences

[Security Management concentration](#)

[High Technology Crime Investigation concentration](#)

[National Defense University](#)

[School of National Security Executive Education \(SNSEE\)](#)

Fort Lesley J. McNair
Washington, DC 20319
Dr. Joseph De Sutter
Director, SNSEE

E-mail: SNSEE@ndu.edu

All students must be sponsored by their government organization. Government contractors may enroll in SNSEE courses when it is determined that they work full time for the government in their capacity as contractors and attendance in the course will further their contract-sponsoring agency's mission.

[MA in Strategic Security Studies \(MASSS\)](#)

Florida

[Everest University Online](#)

3319 W. Hillsborough Avenue
Tampa, FL 33614
813-879-6000 or 888-741-4270

On November 5, 2007 Florida Metropolitan University Online changed names to [Everest University Online](#). The Homeland Security program, which falls under the School of Criminal Justice, will provide you with a solid foundation in planning, implementing, and managing security operations for an organization.

[AS in Homeland Security](#)

[BS in Homeland Security](#)

[Florida State University](#)

Rovetta Business Building
Tallahassee, FL 32306-1110
850-644-3090

Florida State University offers the School of Criminology and Criminal Justice undergraduate and graduate programs in Criminology. In addition to general criminology degree programs, a dual masters degree program is offered with the School of Public Administration and Policy. For undergraduates, certificates are available in corrections, law enforcement, and security administration.

[BS in Risk Management & Insurance](#)

[Certificate in Security Administration](#)

[University of Florida](#)

P.O. Box 117625
Gainesville, FL 32611-7625
352-392-9350

The Center for International Financial Crimes Studies is an academic research center with the mission of providing graduate instruction, research and policy analyses, academic symposia, grant supervision and consulting services on money laundering, forfeiture, corporate security, offshore finances, cybercrime, organized crime and international financial crimes.

[BS in Criminology](#)

[University of Central Florida](#)

4000 Central Florida Blvd.
Orlando, FL 32816
407-823-2000

[Undergraduate Certificate in Security Management](#)

Contact person: Jerome Randall
407-823-2603
Email: jrandall@mail.ucf.edu

This program is a "minor" ("certificate") and is only valid as part of a Bachelor's Degree program, not as a stand-alone certificate.

University of North Florida

4567 St. Johns Bluff Road, South
Jacksonville, FL 32224-2645
904-620-1360

MS in Public Administration

Georgia

Albany State University

504 College Drive
Albany, GA 31705
229-430-4646

BS in Criminal Justice

BS in Forensic Science

MS in Criminal Justice

Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA 30332-0610
404-894-8752
Courses offered in international security

MS in International Affairs

Georgia State University

Atlanta, GA 30303-3083
404-651-1913

MBA, MS, PhD in Risk Management

Keller Graduate School of Management of DeVry University

Atlanta/Perimeter Center
404-292-7900 x 6202 direct
770-671-1744 main
770-671-1745 fax

MBA w/ Concentrations in

Security Management, Information Security;
Graduate Certificate in Info. Security

University of Georgia

206 Brooks Hall
Terry College of Business
Athens GA 30602
706-542-4290
706-542-4295 fax

BS, MBA and Ph.D. in Risk Management and Insurance

The Risk Management and Insurance sequence provides the student with a framework for understanding the management of risk by businesses. Specifically, risk management involves risk identification, risk analysis, risk control, and risk financing. The program of study is designed to facilitate understanding of the various aspects of risk management and insurance, and to provide opportunities to apply the knowledge gained on these topics to business situations. The Ph.D. program in Risk Management and Insurance is designed to prepare students for teaching and research at universities and colleges and for positions in government and business.

Guam

Guam Community College

PO Box 23069
Guam Main Facility,
GU 96921-3069,
United States

AS in Criminal Justice

671-735-5531

Illinois

[Bradley University](#)

1501 W. Bradley Avenue
Peoria, Illinois 61625
309-676-7611

[BS in Risk Management and Insurance](#)

[Illinois Central College](#)

One College Drive
East Peoria, IL. 61635-0001
309-694-5011

[AAS in Industrial & Business Security](#)

Students seeking careers as security officers and supervisors can earn an Associate in Applied Science Degree by completing this 64 semester hour program. Industrial and Business Security positions include corporate and industrial security, loss prevention, and risk management. Students are trained in law enforcement, fire science, and first aid. Core courses include Industrial Fire Protection and Criminal Investigations.

[Lewis University](#)

One University Parkway
Romeoville, IL 60446-2200
800-897-9000

[BA in Private Security/Loss Prevention Management MS in Criminal/Social Justice](#)

This undergraduate program of study offers the student a broad base of knowledge through professional courses such as Private Security Investigation, Security Organization and Management, and Safety and Risk Analysis, to name a few. The Master's program offers a few security related classes.

[Southern Illinois University at Carbondale](#)

Woody Hall A119
Carbondale, IL 62901-4701
618-453-2121
Security classes offered

[BA in Administration of Justice MA in Administration of Justice](#)

Indiana

[Indiana State University](#)

Department of Criminology
Indiana State University
Terre Haute, IN 47809
1-888-488-0959
Offers classes in Security

[Certificate in Private Security AA in Criminology BA/BS in Criminology MA/MS in Criminology](#)

[Vincennes University](#)

1002 N. First Street
Vincennes, IN 47591
812-888-6839

[AA in Loss Prevention and Safety](#)

Iowa

[Iowa State University](#)

Ames, IA 50011

[MS in Information Assurance](#)

515-294-4111

Iowa State University is pleased to offer a new multidisciplinary Masters of Science degree in Information Assurance that addresses technical and non-technical areas of the Information Assurance field. Information Assurance is focused on protecting the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of information.

St. Ambrose University

518 W. Locust St.
Davenport, IA 52803
563-333-6000
Class is Security Management

BA in Criminal Justice
MA in Criminal Justice

Kansas

Southwestern College

2040 S. Rock Rd.
Wichita, KS 67207
Contact: Deb Stockman
Director of Marketing and New Media
888-684-5335 ext. 214
Deb.stockman@sckans.edu
316-684-5335 (or 888-684-5335) ext. 214

MS in Security Administration
BS in Security Management
Homeland Security Certificate

Kentucky

Eastern Kentucky University

Stratton 250
Richmond, KY 40475
606-622-1009

The Department of Safety, Security & Emergency Management on-campus undergraduate programs are designed to educate and prepare individuals for positions within the field. The curriculum includes training in loss prevention/assets protection, including security, fire, industrial safety, traffic safety, risk management, and emergency medical services.. Also, offers Master's program.

BA/BS/MA/MS in Safety, Security & Emergency Management

Kentucky State University

College of Professional Studies
School of Public Administration, Social Work, & Criminal Justice
400 East Main Street
Hathaway Hall 210B
Frankfort KY 40601
(502) 597-6890
Contact: Arthur Hayden, Ph.D.
Classes in security

BA in Criminal Justice

Maryland

Capitol College

11301 Springfield Road
Laurel, MD 20708
301-369-2800
800-950-1992

Graduate Certificate in Security Management

Degree designed for information system professionals who desire to augment or update their skills and career with network security credentials.

Coppin State College

2500 West North Ave.
Baltimore, MD 21216
410-383-5400
Classes in Security Management

BA/BS in Criminal Justice

Johns Hopkins University

Columbia Center, School of Professional Studies in Business and Education
6740 Alexander Bell Drive
Columbia, MD 21046
From Baltimore: 410-290-1777
From D.C: 301-621-3377
410-290-0007 fax
contact: Linda Cortez – 410-312-2880
cortez@jhu.edu

BS in Business Management with Security Management Concentration

University of Maryland College Park

2101 Van Munching Hall
College Park, Maryland
301-405-6330
Specialization in international security
Specialization in computer security

MS in Public Management
Ph.D. in Policy Studies

University of Maryland University College (UMUC)

3501 University Blvd. East
Adelphi, MD 20783
800-888-UMUC (8682)

MS in Information Technology (Homeland Security Management Specialization)
MS in Information Technology (Information Assurance Specialization)
Graduate Certificate in Information Assurance
Graduate Certificate in Homeland Security Management

Massachusetts

Anna Maria College

50 Sunset Lane
Paxton MA 01612
508-849-3300

Masters of Arts in Security Management

Program is designed for professionals in the security field or for those seeking to gain knowledge to change careers.

Boston University

One Sherborne Street
Boston, MA 02215
617-353-2300

Graduate Certificate in Risk Management & Organizational Continuity

This certificate offers credit toward the Masters in Management. It includes four courses: The Social and Psychological Elements of Workplace Disruption; Introduction to Organizational Risk and Crisis Management in Public and Private Enterprise; Public Emergency Management: Structure, Systems, and Goals; and System Wide Compliance, Planning, and Strategy for Emergency and Continuity Management.

Boston University Metropolitan College

755 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston, MA 02215
617-353-6000

MS in Computer Information Systems Concentration in Security

Hampshire College
Amherst, MA 01002
413-559-5471

Program in Peace & World Security Studies

Nichols College
PO Box 5000
Dudley, MA 01571
800-470-3379

BS in Business Administration Criminal Justice Management

The Criminal Justice Management program at Nichols College offers undergraduate students an opportunity to pursue careers in the corporate security and safety departments of major corporations as well as local, state and federal law enforcement agencies.

Northeastern University
360 Huntington Ave
Boston, MA 02115
617-373-2000

BS and MS in Criminal Justice

Offers an Undergraduate and Graduate degree with a concentration in Security Management.

University of Massachusetts Lowell
883 Broadway Street
Lowell, MA 01854
978-934-3931

Certificate Program in Security Management and Homeland Security

Michigan

Davenport University
6191 Kraft Avenue S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49512
Local phone: (616) 698-7111
Toll-free: (866) 925-3884
Fax: (616) 698-0333
Contact: Janet Attman, Division Chief
586-752-5229 ext. 242
Email: janet.atman@davenport.edu

ABA in Public Safety and Security Management
BBA in Public Safety and Security Management

Eastern Michigan University
College of Technology
BTE Office
14 Sill Hall
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
734-487-4330
734-487-7690 fax

Graduate Certificate in Information Security

Grand Valley State University
Allendale, MI 49401-9403
616-895-6611

BA/BS and MS in Criminal Justice

The School of Criminal justice offers the bachelor of science or bachelor of arts degree and the masters degree in criminal justice with an emphasis in private security.

Madonna University
36600 Schoolcraft Road
Livonia, MI 48150-1173

Private Investigations Certificate

800-852-4951

Michigan State University

560 Baker Hall
East Lansing, MI 48824-1118
517-355-2197

Offers a Bachelors and Masters in Criminal Justice with Specialization in Security Management both on campus and through the Internet. The Internet Security Management Masters Program requires successful completion of 30 credits in the areas of business, criminal justice, and security.

BS and MS in Criminal Justice and Online

Northern Michigan University

Department of Criminal Justice
Walter F. Gries Hall, Room 110
1401 Presque Isle Ave
Marquette, MI 49855
906-227-2660
906- 227-1754 fax

Offers a Bachelors and Masters in Criminal Justice, as well as degrees in Law Enforcement and Corrections. Includes a web-based course on Retail Loss Prevention Management.

BA and MS in Criminal Justice

University of Detroit Mercy

4001 W. McNichols Rd
PO Box 19900
Detroit, MI 48219-0900
313-993-1051

BS in Criminal Justice
MS in Security Administration

Minnesota

Rasmussen College Eagan

3500 Federal Drive
Eagan, MN 55122
1-800-852-6367
Includes a Certificate in Network Security.

AA in Information Technology
AA & BA in Criminal Justice

Saint Cloud State University

720 4th Avenue South
St. Cloud, MN 56301-4498
320-255-0121
Minor in Private Security

BA in Criminal Justice
MS in Criminal Justice

Mississippi

The University of Southern Mississippi

118 College Drive #10013
Hattiesburg, MS 39406-0001
Contact: Dr. Stacey A. Hall, Ph.D., M.B.A.
Associate Director, Center for Spectator Sports Security Management
Assistant Professor, Sport Management
601-266-4616

MS in Sport Management w/ Emphasis in Sports Event
Security Management
Certificate Program in Sport Security Management

Missouri

[Central Missouri State University](#)

Warrensburg, MO 64093
800-729-2678

The mission of the Department of Safety Sciences is to: assist the university in meeting its mission and goals by providing educational programming in the areas of safety, security, fire science, industrial hygiene, transportation safety, and public services.

[BS in Safety Management Minor in Security](#)

[Missouri Southern State University](#)

3950 E Newman Rd
Joplin, MO 64801-1595
417-625-9302
Security classes offered

[BS in Criminal Justice Administration](#) [MS in Criminal Justice Administration](#)

[Missouri State University](#)

901 South National Avenue
Springfield, MO 65804
417-836-4137

[MS in Defense and Strategic Studies](#)

The primary objective of the program is to provide professional, graduate-level education for students who are planning careers in the field of national security policy, defense analysis, arms control, and education.

[Saint Louis University School for Professional Studies](#)

3840 Lindell Blvd.
St. Louis, MO 63108
314-977-2330 or 800-734-6736

[B.A. in Criminal Justice & Security Management](#) [Security Management minor/certificate program](#) [Security Management Technology minor/certificate program](#)

SLU's programs in Criminal Justice & Security Management, Security Management and Security Management Technology are available worldwide in an online and accelerated format.

If you're seeking a bachelor's degree, you can choose to major in Criminal Justice & Security Management. This degree program uniquely brings two apparently similar, but very different, disciplines together. The curriculum is designed to transcend departmental boundaries and give you maximum exposure to legal, technological and practical investigative issues that are encountered in both sectors.

The Security Management and Security Management Technology minor and certificate programs are designed to complement your major field of study by preparing you for leadership and management positions within any organization that has a need to minimize the risks associated with criminal or terrorist activities. You may choose one of these 18-credit hour programs as a minor combined with a major in pursuit of a bachelor's degree, or as a stand-alone certificate.

For more information about these programs, including a list of courses, please follow the links above.

Saint Louis University is a Jesuit, Catholic university ranked among the top research institutions in the nation. The University fosters the intellectual and character development of more than 12,700 students. Founded in 1818, it is the oldest university west of the Mississippi and the second oldest Jesuit university in the United States. Through teaching, research, health care and community service, Saint Louis University has provided one-of-a-kind education, leadership and service for 190 years.

[Webster University](#)

470 E. Lockwood Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63119
314-968-6900

[MA in Business & Organizational Security Management](#)

Program allows you to major or focus in Security Management. Also the school offers a graduate certificate program in

Security Management. The content of the Security Management Program complements and assists the student in preparation for the Certified Protection Professional Program.

Note: Online graduate degree program in Organizational and Business Security Management (created jointly by Webster and ASIS in 2002).

Nebraska

[Bellevue University](#)

1000 Galvin Road South
Bellevue, NE 68005
800-752-7920

[BS in Security Management](#)

[MS in Security Management](#)

Nevada

[Truckee Meadows Community College](#)

7000 Danding Blvd.
Reno, NV 89512
775-674-7623

[AA in Criminal Justice](#)

[University of Nevada, Las Vegas](#)

4505 Maryland Pkwy
Las Vegas, NV 89154
702-895-3011
Classes offered in security

[BA and MA in Criminal Justice](#)

[MS in Business Continuity, Security and Risk Management](#)

New Hampshire

[Daniel Webster College](#)

20 University Drive
Nashua, NH 03063

[Bachelor of Science in Homeland Security](#)

This interdisciplinary program prepares entry-level professionals desiring to serve in public or private sector careers contributing to safeguarding the United States. Through classroom study, field experience and internships, students are exposed to the dynamics of complex man-made and natural threats, and how to best prepare, respond, manage, and recovery from them through risk management assessment, and analysis methods. Emergency management planning and execution principles are examined, with exercises to appreciate multi-faceted challenges associated with crisis management, while preserving continuity of the government, infrastructure, and helping communities reclaim their sense of stability and security.

[Hesser College](#)

3 Sundial Ave.
Manchester, NH 03103
1-800-526-9231
Classes in Security

[AA and BA in Criminal Justice](#)

[Keene State College](#)

Keene, New Hampshire 03435-2604
1-800-572-1909

[BS in Safety Studies](#)

This major prepares students for a variety of safety and safety-related positions in industry, government, and the private

sector. Emphasis is placed on employee protection and cost effectiveness. Graduates might work in such areas as loss control, risk management, institutional safety, and consulting.

New Jersey

[Farleigh Dickinson University](#)

Metropolitan Campus
1000 River Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
(201) 692-2000
email: globaleducation@fd.edu

A concentration in private security administration is offered as part of the Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. In addition, professionals may select to complete the Private Security Certificate Program. Also have a Master's Program in Administrative Science as well as Certificate programs in Homeland Security.

[BA in Criminal Justice](#)

[Graduate Certificate in Homeland Security](#)
[Master of Administrative Science \(MAS\)](#)

[New Jersey City University \(NJCU\)](#)

[Dr. Tsung \(Bill\) Soo Hoo](#)

Department Chairperson

[Dr. John W. Collins, Jr., CPP™](#)

Graduate Programs Coordinator

New Jersey City University (NJCU)

College of Professional Studies,

Professional Security Studies Department, Rm. P-449

2039 Kennedy Boulevard

Jersey City, NJ 07305

University Toll-Free: (888) 441-NJCU

Department Direct Telephone - (201) 200-2275

[BS in Professional Security Studies](#)

[MS in Professional Security Studies](#)

[Executive Doctor of Professional Studies in Professional Security Leadership, Management and Policy \(Under Development\) *](#)

BS in Professional Security Studies --New Jersey City University (NJCU) has demonstrated a long history of contemporary educational offerings. It is the only institution of higher education in the State of New Jersey offering a bachelor's degree in Professional Security, and has done so long before the tragedy of 9/11. The degree is offered by covering the three distinct areas recognized by ASIS – International: National, Corporate, and Information Assurance/Cyber Security. Completion of this degree prepares one to assume the responsibilities of a security professional/manager (corporate), as well as a career in the National Security field (CIA, NSA, NIS, FBI, etc.). Continued study may include a master's and/or doctoral degree in security administration, criminal justice or public administration, or a law degree. Within this degree students can pursue a certification in Information Security (INFOSEC) under the authority of the National Security Agency (NSA) – standard 4011.

MS in Professional Security Studies --In only 36 semester hours, students will be prepared at the graduate level. This program allows students to specialize in three distinct areas recognized ASIS – International: National, Corporate, and Information Assurance/Cyber Security. This is a scholar-practitioner degree, which has a strong research and analysis component that is ultimately demonstrated by a successful thesis/capstone project/final comprehensive exam. Completion of this degree prepares one to assume the responsibilities of a security professional/manager (corporate), as well as a career in the National Security field (CIA, NSA, NIS, FBI, etc.). Continued study may include a doctoral degree in security administration, criminal justice or public administration, or a law degree. Within this degree students can pursue a certification for Information Systems Security Officers (ISSOs) under the authority of the National Security Agency (NSA) – standard 4014 (Entry).

Executive Doctor of Professional Studies in Professional Security Leadership, Management and Policy *Planned to be offered - Starting in the Summer of 2010, this doctoral degree will be the first of its kind in the world. This program will ensure all students are immersed into a generalist doctorate using the three distinct areas recognized ASIS – International: National, Corporate, and Information Assurance/Cyber Security. This is a scholar-practitioner degree, which will have a strong research and analysis component that is ultimately demonstrated by a successful dissertation. Completion of this degree prepares one to assume executive-level responsibilities of a major security position within

government, business or education. Further, this terminal degree will prepare students to become post-secondary teachers in the professional security field, at institutions that require or expect graduation from an accredited doctoral program. Within the curriculum and based on the minimum entry requirement of ten years experience - within the appropriate security domain(s), students will be prepared to apply and set for the test lead to board-certification as a Certified Protection Professional (CPP™). Students that already possess the CPP™ designation are expected to assist the faculty in mentoring their classmates while in the program.

Based on the scholar-practitioner structure of these degree programs, all full-time and adjunct professors hold the appropriate graduate degree(s), professional certification(s) and a minimum of 15 years of professional security experience – with most over 25 years. NJCU is currently under review for becoming a National Center of Academic Excellence (CAE) by the National Security Agency (NSA). NSA's CAE designations are considered reciprocal with the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) – authorizing various research projects, grants and scholarships for security professionals that are participating in the above degree programs.

New Mexico

[New Mexico State University](#)

P.O. Box 30001
Las Cruces, NM 88003-8001
505-646-3121

The Departments of Criminal Justice and Engineering Technology at NMSU have joined together to offer an academic minor in Security Technology & Intelligence to support Criminal Justice majors. The program is being funded by Congress through the FBI.

[AA, BA, MA in Criminal Justice](#) [Minor in Security Technology & Intelligence](#)

New York

[Technical Career Institutes](#)

320 West 31st Street
New York, N.Y. 10001
212-594-4000 or 800-878-8246

The Electronic Security Systems program teaches students the skills required to install, configure, maintain, and repair intrusion detection, surveillance, and access control technology hardware and software equipment. Students will gain insight into the key elements of protecting facilities and other assets from unwanted intrusion.

[Electronic Security Systems](#)

[Herkimer County Community College](#)

Reservoir Road
Herkimer, NY 13350-1598
1-888-464-4222 or 315-866-0300

The AAS in Criminal Justice Security's curriculum is designed to develop occupational competence in loss prevention and crime control for entry into the private security field as a paraprofessional in industrial, retail, commercial and institutional security and similar fields. Students in the Economic Crimes program will study basic Criminal Justice topics, such as criminal law, private security and criminology, and will benefit from a program focus on technology that features several computer courses.

[AS in Criminal Justice](#) [AS in Economic Crimes](#)

[John Jay College](#)

899 Tenth Avenue
New York, NY 10019
212-237-8000

[AA in Security Management](#) [BS in Security Management](#) [MS in Protection Management](#)

Long Island University/CW Post

720 Northern Boulevard
Brookville, NY 11548-1300
516-299-2900

The Department of Criminal Justice and Security Administration offers a Master of Science in Criminal Justice and graduate-level degree specializations in Fraud Examination or Security Administration.

MS in Criminal Justice

Long Island University at Riverhead
Homeland Security Management Institute

121 Speonk-Riverhead Road – LIU Building
Riverhead, NY 11901
Dr. Vincent Henry
Vincent.Henry@liu.edu
631-287-8279

This institute offers both a 36-credit Master of Science and 15-credit Advanced Certificate in Homeland Security Management. Both are delivered fully online and have been designed to meet the complex, contemporary needs of homeland security professionals. The HSMI faculty is comprised entirely of practitioner-scholars. Both full time and adjunct faculty are highly experienced homeland security professionals who generally hold terminal degrees and other outstanding academic credentials.

M.S. in Homeland Security Management
Homeland Security Advanced Certificate

Mercy College

555 Broadway
Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522
1-800-637-2969

Certificate Program in Private Security

The Center for Catastrophe Preparedness and Response (CCPR) at New York University (NYU)

70 Washington Square South
New York, NY
212-998-2138
email: centerforcpr@nyu.edu

In response to the events of 9/11/01, New York University received federal funding to develop a university-wide, cross-disciplinary center to research efforts to improve preparedness and response to terrorist threats and catastrophic events.

State University of New York, Brockport

350 New Campus Drive
Brockport, NY 14420-2914
716-395-2796
Offers classes in Security Management

BS in Criminal Justice

State University of New York, Farmingdale

2350 Broadhollow Road, Route 110
Farmingdale, NY 11735-1021
631-420-2000
email: webmastr@farmingdale.edu

The security systems laboratories includes 4 specialized teaching and research labs in access control, closed-circuit television, computer forensics, and intrusion detection.

BS in Security Systems

St. John's University

8000 Utopia Parkway
Jamaica, NY 11439
1-888-978-5646 or 718-990-2000

BS in Homeland and Corporate Security
BS in Computer Science with Security Option

Utica College

1600 Burrstone Road
Utica, NY 13502

BS in Criminal Justice
BS in Economic Crime Investigation

315-792-3111

Utica College's criminal justice-economic crime investigation undergraduate major is the only academic program of its kind. It combines the study of criminal justice with that of accounting and computer science to provide future practitioners with an understanding of the evolving problems of business fraud and computer crime. The Master's program combines the areas of management, technology, analytical skills, and a knowledge and understanding of economic crime from a global perspective.

North Carolina

[Appalachian State University](#)

I. G. Greer Hall,
PO Box 32021
Boone, NC 28608
828-265-8629
Offers a class in Private Security

[BS in Criminal Justice](#)

[Central Piedmont Community College](#)

P.O. Box 35009
Charlotte, NC 28235 USA
704-330-2722

[AA in Criminal Justice Technology](#)

[UNC Charlotte](#)

9201 University City Boulevard
Charlotte, NC 28223-0001
704-687-2165

[BS in Finance](#)

A Risk Management & Insurance concentration within the undergraduate Finance major.

Ohio

[Kent State University](#)

113 Bowman Hall
Kent, OH 44242
330-672-2775
330-672-5394 fax

[BA/MA in Justice Studies](#)

The Department of Justice Studies offers undergraduate and graduate level courses in criminology and justice studies, including select courses in security.

[Ohio State University](#)

Columbus, OH 43210-2602
614-292-6446

[BS in Criminology Intl & Homeland Security Program](#)

The campus-wide research program focuses on International and Homeland Security, providing research opportunities in this field. This research program is the source for the National Academic Consortium for Homeland Security. Also, education, outreach and training programs are provided. Although courses are offered in this field and terrorism, no degree program is provided yet.

[Sinclair Community College](#)

444 West Third Street
Dayton, OH 45402-1460
1-800-315-3000

[AS in Industrial/Retail Security](#)

[Tiffin University](#)

[MS in Criminal Justice, Concentration- Homeland Security](#)

Kristi Krintzline
Director of Graduate Admissions
155 Miami St.
Tiffin, OH 44883

[MS in Criminal Justice, Concentration- Crime Analysis](#)

[University of Findlay](#)

1000 North Main Street
Findlay, OH 45840-3695
1-800-472-9502
419-434-6551
419-434-5517 fax

[BS in Criminal Justice Administration](#)

The Criminal Justice Administration Program seeks to prepare majors for a public service career in policing, corrections, courts, probation, parole, federal agencies or the private sector.

[Youngstown State University](#)

One University Plaza
Youngstown, OH 44555
877-468-6978
Concentration in Security/ Loss Prevention

[BA/BS in Criminal Justice](#)

Oregon

[Clackamas Community College](#)

19600 South Molalla Ave.
Oregon City, OR 97045
503-657-6958

[AA in Criminal Justice](#)

The Criminal Justice Department offers a variety of course options, including online classes. AA degree programs include criminal justice, adult corrections, emergency management, and juvenile corrections.

Pennsylvania

[Carnegie Mellon University](#)

5000 Forbes Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15213
1-888-634-9604
Specialization in information security management

[MS in Information Systems Management](#)

[ICM School of Business and Medical Careers](#)

10 Wood Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15222
1-800-441-5222

[AA in Criminal Justice](#)

[AA in Criminal Justice-Cybercrime](#)

[Indiana University of Pennsylvania](#)

Indiana, PA 15705-1075
(724) 357-2720
Sometimes offer special classes in security

[BA and MA in Criminology](#)

[Pennsylvania State University](#)

801 Oswald Tower
University Park, PA 16802
814-863-0176
Security classes offered

[BA/BS in Crime, Law and Justice](#)

Temple University

Speakman Hall 5 (006-00), 1810 North 13th Street
Philadelphia, PA 19122-6083
215-204-7678
Concentration in risk management and insurance

Masters in Business Administration

University of Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, PA 15260
412-648-7640
Focus in security and intelligence studies

MS in Public and International Affairs

York College of Pennsylvania

York, PA 17405-7199
717-849-1600
Security Classes offered - see Criminal Justice department, which includes a minor in Asset Protection

BA/ BS in Criminal Justice

Puerto Rico

Columbia Centro Universitario

Maurice Cohen
Coordinador
Columbia Recinto de Caguas
787-743-4041 x 242

Certificado en Gerencia en Seguridad

South Dakota

Dakota State University

820 N. Washington Avenue
Madison, SD 57042
888-DSU-9988

MS in Information Assurance

Texas

University of Houston Downtown

Richard H. Hill, Coordinator
College of Public Service
University of Houston Downtown
One Main Street, C340 Commerce Bldg.
Houston, Texas 77002-1001

Master of Security Management for Executives

The MSME is designed to provide security professionals with the knowledge and expertise necessary to meet the global challenges of tomorrow. The two-year cohort design (classes meet every other Saturday) insures students will learn not only from their instructors, but from the experience of the class as a whole. Courses in the program integrate practice and theory from the security and business disciplines in order to equip executives with the tools and techniques to be successful. Program faculty includes industry leaders in security management, business and higher education. Admission is competitive and selective, and is designed to identify applicants who have the ability, interest, and qualities necessary to complete the program, and the potential to contribute to the field of security management.

The University of Texas at San Antonio

Graduate Certificate in Security Studies

Dept. of Political Science and Geography
One UTSA Circle
San Antonio, TX 78249
210-458-7671
Dr. James D. Calder, Ph.D., CPP
James.Calder@utsa.edu

15 hour graduate certificate program in Security Studies. 6 hours of core courses in Political Science and 9 hours of electives selected by student from approved menu list of courses across the University. Audience is partly military, retired military, civilian contractors, and local, state, or federal emergency management or HSD personnel, and regular graduate students generally in POL, Public Administration, Business, and/or Criminal Justice.

Tennessee

[Middle Tennessee State University](#)

1301 East Main Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37132-0001 USA
615.898.2300

Offers classes in Security Administration and Private and Industrial Security

[BS in Criminal Justice Administration](#)

Utah

[Weber State University](#)

Ogden, UT 84408-3804
contact: Patricia Logan, Ph.D.,
Associate Professor, Information Systems & Technologies
(801) 626-6839

Offers undergraduate course in computer forensics, a graduate course in information security and a certificate program for Chief Information Security Officer.

[Information Systems & Technologies](#)

Vermont

[Norwich University](#)

158 Harmon Drive
Northfield, VT 05663
John Orlando, MSBC Program Director
802-485-2729

The Master of Science in Business Continuity Management provides a comprehensive, in-depth, and practical understanding of all aspects of business continuity management. The topics include plan development, emergency response, crisis management and communications, risk management, organizational resiliency, IT continuity, testing, implementation, and regulatory issues.

[Master of Science in Business Continuity Management](#)

Virginia

[American Military University](#)

**American Public University System
Administrative Offices**
10110 Battleview Parkway, Suite 114
Manassas, VA 20109

[Certificate in Security Management](#)
[BA & MA in Criminal Justice Management](#)
[BA in Security Management](#)
[MA in Security Management](#)

[IT Infrastructure Security & Information Security Planning Certificate](#)

Phone: 703-330-5398
Toll Free: 877-755-2787
info@apus.edu

[Terrorism Studies Certificate](#)

AMU offers a student-focused online learning platform. AMU is affiliated with the American Public University, which offers graduate and undergraduate degree and certificate programs relating to the National Security and related communities and other interested scholars. AMU has two administrative offices – the headquarters are in Charles Town, WV (see West Virginia) and supporting administrative offices are in Manassas, VA.

[George Mason University](#)

4400 University Drive
Fairfax, VA 22030
703-993-1000

[MS in Computer Science](#)

[MS in Biodefense](#)

The Graduate Certificate Program in Information Systems Security has been designed for persons who are interested in science and methods for ensuring secrecy, integrity, and availability of information systems. The Certificate in Information Systems Security may be pursued concurrently with any of the graduate programs in the School of Information Technology and Engineering. A graduate degree in Biodefense is offered by the National Center for Biodefense.

[James Madison University](#)

INFOSEC Program Office, MSC 4103
701 Carrier Drive
Harrisonburg VA 22807

[Online MS in Computer Science](#)

Master's program with a concentration in Information Security taught completely on the Internet.

[Northern Virginia Community College](#)

3001 North Beauregard Street
Alexandria, VA 22311-5097
703-845-6200

[AA in Administration of Justice](#)
[Certificate in Industrial and Commercial Security](#)
[Certificate in Physical Security](#)

Campuses located in Alexandria, Annandale, Loudoun, Manassas and Woodbridge

Washington

[University of Washington](#)

UW Box 355740
Seattle, WA 98195
800-506-1317

[Master in Strategic Planning for Critical Infrastructures](#)

A professional distance learning program for leaders in charge of protecting critical infrastructures and emergency services. Developed for officials in public and private infrastructure systems, emergency management and homeland security.

West Virginia

[American Military University](#)

Corporate Offices
111 West Congress Street
Charles Town, WV 25414
Phone: 304-724-3700
Toll Free: 877-468-6268
info@apus.edu

[Certificate in Security Management](#)
[BA & MA in Criminal Justice Management](#)
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Wisconsin

[Fox Valley Technical College](#)

1825 N. Bluemound Drive
P.O. Box 2277
Appleton, WI 54912-2277
920-735-2410

[Online AA in Security and Crime Prevention](#)

The Security and Loss Prevention Associate Degree is designed for the security officer/professional or career changing law enforcement officer who, because of employment conflicts or distance, cannot complete a degree in a traditional classroom format. All reading assignments are completed on and off line while classroom discussion occurs in an asynchronous discussion room within the Internet software program (Blackboard).

International Programs

Australia

[Edith Cowan University](#)

100 Joondalup Drive
Joondalup WA 6027
+61 8 6304-0000
+61 08 9300-7257 fax

Email: FutureStudy@ecu.edu.au

The Bachelor of Science (Security) course emphasizes the function of management of security technology in the protection of assets, and is supported by appropriate studies in law and ethics. Other offerings include Executive/Graduate Certificate in Security Management, Graduate Diploma of Science (Security Science), Master of Science (Security Science), and Doctor of Philosophy (Security Science).

[BS in Security and Justice Studies](#)

[MS and Ph.D in Security Science](#)

[Graduate Certificate in Security Management](#)

Brazil

[Universidade Anhembi Morumbi](#)

Rua Dr. Almeida Lima, 1.134
Sao Paulo
Brazil

+11 6090-4500
+11 6090-4511 fax

Offers an associate degree in Security Management (the first security management course recognized by the Brazilian Culture & Education Ministry). It is a two-year course with emphasis in management, security administration, planning, VIP protection, loss prevention, physical and electronic security & systems, training skills, investigation and risk analysis.

Associate degree in Security Management

Canada

[Algonquin College](#)

1385 Woodroffe Avenue
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. K2G 1V8.
Phone: (613) 727-4723 (5063)

This two-year diploma program provides students with the skills and abilities at the management or specialty level for the security sector. This program includes the study and application of security principles with respect to protection of personnel, assets and information, the law, investigative techniques, ethnic/human relations, supervisory and management skills, computers, crisis intervention and threat risk analysis. Over the duration of the program, students acquire eight weeks of hands-on experience through field placement. Students who receive Field Placement with the Federal Government or its agencies are security cleared at least to the Secret level. An Articulation Agreement between Athabasca University and Algonquin College permits graduates of the Security Management Program to receive 60 credits towards the degree of Bachelor of Professional Arts-Criminal Justice.

[Corporate Security and Risk Management](#)

[University of Calgary](#)

2500 University Drive, NW
Calgary, Alberta
Canada T2N 1N4
403-220-5110

[Certificate in Security Management](#)

Germany

[Steinbeis-Hochschule Berlin](#) –

Steinbeis Business Academy
59 D-/6456 Kuppenheim
Germany
(Adress is changing 10.Jan.2010)
Eisenlohrstraße 23, 76593 Gernsbach

[Bachelor of Business Administration Business Security \(securityBBA\) Economic MBA with certificate in Business Security Management](#)

United Kingdom

[Cranfield University](#)

RMCS Shrivenham,
Swindon, Wiltshire
SN6 8LA, UK
+44 (0) 1234-750111

The aim is to provide Corporate Security Managers with the necessary knowledge and expertise to introduce higher standards of security needed in a modern enterprise be it public or private.

[MS in Corporate Security Management](#)

[Leicester University](#)

University Road
Leicester LE1 7RH, UK
0116 252 2522
0116 252 2200 fax

Courses are offered through distance learning.

[BA \(Hons\) in Professional Studies \(Security & Risk Management\) MSc in Security and Risk Management](#)

[Loughborough University](#)

Leicestershire, LE11 3TU, UK
+44 (0) 1509 263171

[MA in Security Management \(distance Learning\)](#)

This unique programme provides a comprehensive security management programme, enabling you to advance your knowledge, skills and qualifications within the dynamic field of security. The programme provides the opportunity for security managers and non-specialists alike to acquire invaluable security and managerial expertise, and to obtain the highest security management qualification of its type.

University of St. Andrews

Informa UK Ltd
6th Floor, 29 Bressenden Place
London SW1E 5DR, United Kingdom
Tel: +44 (0)20 7017 7363 or +1 646 957 8929

info@terrorismstudies.com

Certificate in Terrorism Studies

This 16-week online programme of study from the renowned Centre for the Study of Terrorism and Political Violence (CSTPV) at the University of St Andrews provides a sophisticated introduction to the fundamental issues behind terrorism as well as the motivations, methodology and modus operandi of the various strains of terrorism in the world today. Knowing how and why terrorists plot against civilians, governments, corporations, commercial operations, transport or IT networks makes an unmistakable difference to counter terrorism and security strategies, whilst providing a valuable context to operational duties of military, police or security personnel.

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<http://www.asisonline.org> under *Academic Resources* in the Education section of the navigation bar,

IRC Online Reference Services/Research Guides, and *Security Toolkit* section from the homepage navigation bar.