

# Homeland Security

School of Arts and Sciences

## Inspired to learn

Homeland security is one of the fastest growing fields in the United States. All levels of government and the private sector are at the forefront of the nation's homeland security mission. The homeland security program at Marian University prepares students to take what they learn in the classroom and apply it to the real world of public safety.

The homeland security program is committed to the education of the whole person for careers in public safety leadership. The program's objectives are to actively participate in public safety and the homeland security enterprise. This program is dedicated to teaching individuals how to prevent, protect, respond to, mitigate, and to recover from situations that could potentially hinder the safety of the nation. Throughout the course of this program topics that will be addressed include: building in security, ensuring resilience intelligently, and creatively meeting the dynamic demand of the professional environment.

Marian University's homeland security program provides the educational opportunity for the nation's future homeland security leaders to develop the strategies and policies needed to prevent terrorism and build resilient communities throughout the United States.

## Inspired to lead

Marian University offers experiential learning experiences for undergraduate students so classroom knowledge and skills can be applied. Graduate schools, as well as employers, look for students who have practical field experiences. Preparing for the future, students in the homeland security program have found internships at the local, state, and federal levels, as well as in various private organizations.

Homeland security students have participated in internship experiences with the following organizations:

- Department of Corrections
- Dodge Correctional Institution
- Fond du Lac County District Attorney's Office
- Ripon Police Department
- Taycheedah Correctional Institution
- Winnebago County Sheriff's Department

## Inspired for success

Homeland security majors are open to careers that will lead to success within the public and private sectors. Students who complete the homeland security program are professionally prepared to solve management problems, develop strategic plans, enhance human resource potential, increase productivity, address internal organizational issues, and better prevent incidents or manage them should they occur.

Recent graduates have found career success within the following organizations:

- Chicago Police Department
- Department of Corrections — Probation and Parole
- FBI Civilian - Records Management Division
- Fond du Lac County Sheriff's Department
- Milwaukee Police Department
- U.S. Customs
- U.S. Marshals Service
- U.S. Treasury Department — Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms
- Wisconsin Department of Justice — Division of Criminal Investigation

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## 4-year course sample

### Freshman Level

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CRJ 101	Introduction to the Criminal Justice System	3	ENG 106	Argumentative and Research Writing	3
ENG 105	Expository Writing	3	PHI 132	The Examined Life	3
GEN 101	First-Year Seminar	3	SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
HIS 10x	World Civilizations I or II	3	MAT	Mathematics Elective	3
THE 101	Introduction to Christian Theology	3		Lab Science	4
15 credit hours			16 credit hours		

### Sophomore Level

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COM 215	Introduction to Public Relations	3	HSL 212	Homeland Security Resource Management	3
HSL 201	Introduction to Homeland Security	3	THE	Theology Elective	3
ART/MUS	Art/Music Elective	3		Math/Science Elective	3
ENG	Literature Elective	3		Major Elective	3
	Electives	6		Electives	6
18 credit hours			18 credit hours		

### Junior Level

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CRJ 303	Law Enforcement Administration	3	HOS 312	Crisis Intervention and Management	3
HOS 350	Principles of Professional Practice	3	HSL 350	Administrative Law	3
HSL 313	Emergency Planning			Applied Liberal Arts Elective	3
	Arts/Humanities Elective	3		Major Elective	3
	Major Elective	3		Elective	3
	Electives	6			
18 credit hours			15 credit hours		

### Senior Level

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HSL 305	Leadership and Organizational Management	3	HOS 405	Critical Perspectives of Disasters	3
HOS 407	Critical Perspectives of Terrorism	3	HOS 494	Homeland Security Field Experience	3
	Major Elective	3	HSL 495	Capstone Project in Homeland Security	3
	Electives	6		Major Elective	3
				Electives	6
15 credit hours			15 credit hours		

Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 required

Marian University homeland security program graduate Tim Neumann had the opportunity to participate in a unique internship/ training 10 week program with the Advanced Technical Intelligence Center (ATIC). The Analyst Boot Camp (ABC) is a rigorous 10-week program which enables students to develop critical and creative thinking skills to be successful analysts in the Intelligence Community (IC). Upon completion, students with no previous intelligence experience may be qualified for entry-level positions in the intelligence workforce with a security clearance.