

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Part-time student: Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301.846.2471 for advising, and contact the Emergency Management Office (301.624.2854 or EmergMgt@frederick.edu) for program-specific assistance.

Built to provide specialized instruction and credentials for Emergency Management students and practitioners, this Letter of Recognition is designed to be completed via a single, intensive online course. As such, there is no specifically recommended pace of completion.

However, students are strongly encouraged to contact an advisor when choosing which topic area to pursue. This will ensure a selection that best meets the student's needs and goals, and that the student is aware of the most current enrollment requirements for each EMGT course.

1 Requirement Details

Select any EMGT course numbered between EMGT 165 and EMGT 189

Each Letter of Recognition Module requires completion and conversion of the following FEMA courses:

1	Program Requirement	- FEMA 131 (IS-230.d)	6-7 credits
		- FEMA 205 (IS-822, 2000)	
		- 4 to 6 remaining "FEMA" credits; these will differ depending on the EMGT course selected (see requirements list below, and contact a program advisor for assistance)	

This Letter of Recognition is designed to provide focused study in, and a unique credential for, various specialized areas of study within the field of Emergency Management. Each credential is obtained through the following process:

- Review the EMGT courses to see which special topics are currently offered: <https://www.frederick.edu/degrees-certificates/downloads/emlettersofrecognition.aspx>
- Complete the required "FEMA" credits listed for the EMGT course you select, via completion of the appropriate FEMA Independent Study coursework (listed parenthetically alongside "FEMA" designation) and conversion to FCC credit via EMstudy.com.
- Enroll for your chosen EMGT course (EMGT 165 – 189, see Catalog) here at FCC. These are 5-week, instructor-led, online courses offered in the Spring, Summer, and Fall semesters, allowing more thorough study, engagement with, and assessment of the material and specialty area than what FEMA's Independent Study courses provide. **(NOTE: EMGT courses are requirements; completion of the appropriate 6-7 FEMA credits or their component Independent Study (IS) material will not by itself result in a credential of any kind.)**
- Complete the EMGT course and apply for graduation with the Letter of Recognition for Emergency Management – Specialized Studies!