

## **APPLICATION MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

This certificate provides students with graduate level instruction in Homeland Security, and balances conceptual knowledge in emergency management with skill acquisition in crisis management, hazard assessment and other analytic and management skills.

Applicants for the graduate certificate in emergency management must submit all the following documentation to the College of Graduate Studies, Jacksonville State University, 700 Pelham Road North, Jacksonville, Alabama 36265-1602 to be considered for admission:

1. Completed JSU Graduate Application for Admission ([http://www.jsu.edu/graduate/grad\\_app.html](http://www.jsu.edu/graduate/grad_app.html))
2. Non-refundable \$35.00 application processing fee
3. Official transcripts from the postsecondary institutions awarding the bachelor's degree. (Students who have previously attended JSU do not need to request a transcript from the University.)
4. If English is not the applicant's native language, the applicant is required to submit an official TOEFL score report, an IELTS score report, or a PTE score report (please refer to page 28 of this *Bulletin*).

## **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

The student must complete the 15 semester hours of required emergency management concentration courses listed below. A student who completes the graduate certificate may apply the 15 hours of credit toward the MS with a major in emergency management, the MPA with a concentration in emergency management, or the MA with a major in liberal studies.

**Required Courses for the Graduate Certificate in Emergency Management (15 semester hours):**

- EM 505 Foundations of Emergency Management (3)
- EM 525 Disaster Recovery (3)
- EM 540 Hazard Mitigation (3)
- EM 545 Emergency Preparedness (3)
- EM 555 Disaster Response (3)