

Homeland Security Major (Bachelor of Science)

96 credits for major/128 credits for degree

Requirements for students entering 2018-2019

NAME: _____

ADVISOR: _____

Discovery Foundation Courses				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
First Year Writing (WS)	ENGL 401			Must be taken within first 32 credits
Quantitative Reasoning (QR)				Must be taken within first 32 credits
Inquiry Requirement (INQ)				Must be INQ 444 or INQ Attribute Must be taken within first 25 credits
Discovery Courses				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
Biological Science (BS)				One of the two sciences (BS or PS) must include a lab
Physical Science (PS)				One of the two sciences (BS or PS) must include a lab
Environment, Technology & Society (ETS)				HLS 580 can be used to satisfy this category
Historical Perspectives (HP)				
World Culture (WC)				
Fine & Performing Arts (FPA)				
Social Science (SS)				PS 505 can be used to satisfy this category
Humanities (HUMA)				
Writing Intensive Requirements				
Description	Course	Source	Credits/Grade	Notes
ENGL 401: First Year Writing	ENGL 401			All undergraduates are required to complete 4 writing intensive (WI) courses, which must include ENGL 401 and three additional WI courses.
WI course in major				
600/700 WI course				
Other WI course				All students must have a total of 4 WI courses!

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Core Requirements (56 credits)			
Description	Source	Credits/ Grade	Notes
HLS 410: Introduction to Homeland Security			
HLS 415: Fundamentals of Corporate Security			
HLS 455: Introduction to Cybersecurity			
HLS 480: Professional Skills in Homeland Security			
HLS 510: Fundamentals of Emergency Management			
HLS 515: Critical Infrastructure Security and Resilience			
HLS 520: Homeland Security Law and Policy			
Select 1 of the following courses: PS 505: Political Violence and Terrorism* OR POLT 570: Counterterrorism: Nation States' Responses to Terrorist Activity OR SOC 656: Terrorism			*May be used to satisfy Discovery SS requirement
HLS 580: Environmental and Human Security			May be used to satisfy Discovery ETS requirement
HLS 610: Exercise Design and Evaluation in Homeland Security			
Select 1 of the following courses: HLS 650: Intelligence Systems and Structures in Homeland Security OR POLT 568: Introduction to Intelligence			
Select 1 of the following courses: HLS 760: Strategic Planning & Decision Making (WI) OR POLT 562: Strategy and National Security Policy			
Select 1 of the following courses: HLS 770: Internship in Homeland Security OR HLS 799: Thesis in Homeland Security			
HLS 790: Capstone in Homeland Security (WI)			

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Complementary Block of Courses (40 Credits)

In addition to the core HLS courses, students must complete 40 additional credits in one of five ways:

1. two minors;
2. a minor and a “coherent block”/self-designed concentration approved by the HLS coordinator;
3. a second major or a UNH dual degree;
4. an associate’s degree transferred into UNH;
5. some other combination of coursework with consent of the HLS program coordinator.

Please consult your faculty advisor to discuss your complementary block of courses. Indicate below your plan to complete this requirement.

Program Notes:

- All students must have at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA in order to graduate.
- Senior Residency: students must complete their last 32 credits of the degree at UNH.
- Students may take any undergraduate courses as electives in order to earn a minimum of 128 credits.
- Courses applied to the major must be completed with a minimum grade of C- and overall GPA of 2.0 or above in major courses.