

# Texas Southern University – The Status of our Program

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# About TSU

## RANKED #1 IN TEXAS

In Degrees Awarded to African - Americans

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Accounting  
Marketing  
Law  
Physical Sciences  
including Physics  
and Chemistry

Health and Medical  
Administrative Services  
including  
Health Administration and  
Health Information  
Management

Communication,  
Journalism and  
Related Fields including  
Radio and Television

Management  
Information Systems

Transportation  
and Materials Moving

## TEXAS RANKINGS


- #3 for Bachelor's Degrees
- #5 for Masters Degrees
- #2 for Doctoral - Research
- #1 for Doctoral - Professional

## NATIONAL RANKINGS

- #32 for Bachelor's Degrees
- #45 for Masters Degrees
- #46 for Doctoral - Research
- #5 for Doctoral - Professional

\*Degrees awarded to African - Americans (IPEDS)

# B.Sc. Degree in EMHS

- ▶ The degree in Emergency Management and Homeland Security was approved by the Texas Higher Education Board in 2013.
  - ▶ Our first course offerings started in Fall 2013.
  - ▶ We graduated our first three in December 2017.
  - ▶ The TSU program is very unique because it combines both emergency management and homeland security (EMHS).
  - ▶ The program is designed to provide education in the management of natural hazards, technological hazards, and homeland security.
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# Enrollment Data of student majoring in EMHS

Year	Fall	Spring
2013	1	
2014	18	3
2015	20	21
2016	24	20

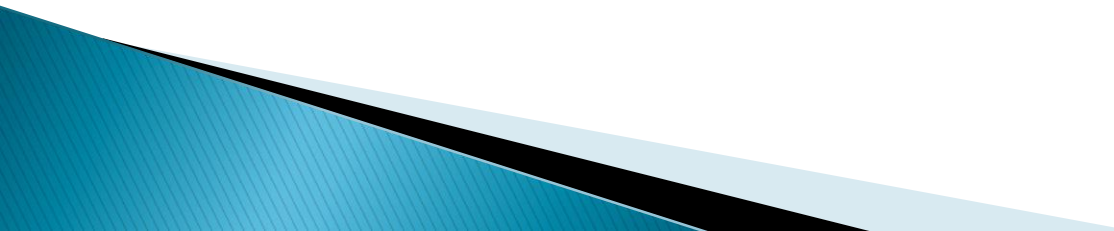
# Our Curriculum

Category	Semester Credit Hours
General Education Core Curriculum (bachelor's degree only)	46
Required Courses	30
Other Requirements	24
Minor Requirements	21
TOTAL	121

# Required Courses

Prefix and Number	Required Courses	SCH
EMGT 250	Introduction to Emergency Management	3
EMGT 251	Natural Hazards and Emergency Management	3
EMGT 252	Technological Hazards and Emergency Management	3
EMGT 351	Principles & Practices of Hazard Mitigation	3
EMGT 357	Emergency Recovery, Response, Preparedness and Planning	3
HMSC 260	Introduction to Homeland Security	3
HMSC 361	Terrorism and Homeland Security	3
HMSC 362	Domestic and Global Terrorism	3
HMSC 363	Legal/Political Issues of Homeland Security	3
EMGT 480	Internship	3

# Our Uniqueness

- ▶ Our degree provides a unique opportunity for both our community and minorities in general.
  - ▶ Our overall goal is to train emergency managers of all races with a focus and emphasis on understanding the underrepresented population.
  - ▶ Our program provides diversity in the emergency management and homeland security workforce.
  - ▶ We are the first program in the area with the combination of EM and HS.
  - ▶ Faculty to student ratio 1:10
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# Our Students

- ▶ Develop communication skills – writing, presentations
- ▶ 2018 – Had four students take notes at the National Table Top Exercise in San Antonio, TX





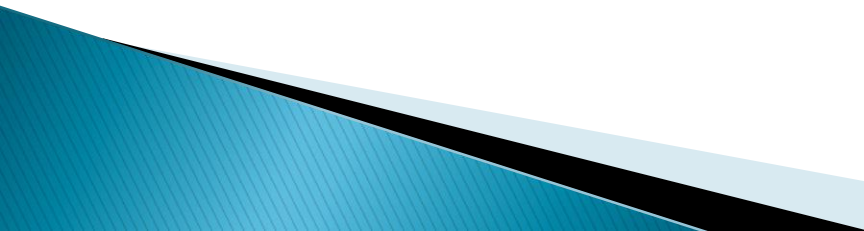
# Faculty

- ▶ Two core Faculty and one adjunct
- ▶ Urban Planners and a Public Administrator
- ▶ FEMA Higher Ed opportunities – Focus Group, this Collaborative, NITX, Higher Ed Symposium, AERA, etc
- ▶ Research Interests in EM/HS
  - Hazard Mitigation
  - Public Engagement
  - Technological Hazards

# Our Community

- ▶ Working with Campus Risk Assessment Office with FEMA on post Harvey mitigation grant proposal/Insurance
- ▶ Member Steering Committee for HCOEM Hazard Mitigation Plan
- ▶ Collaboration with Red Cross – students' training and volunteering for local events for course credits
  - Participate in the Sound the Alarm event on 5/11

# Enrollment Boosters

- ▶ Working with Football Head Coach
  - ▶ Encourage the 2+2 program with area community colleges
  - ▶ Students' Involvement in local events
  - ▶ Participate in High School career days
  - ▶ Feeder for in house graduate programs
  - ▶ Minor for AJ students
  - ▶ FEMA/DHS/Red Cross etc to TSU Career Days
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