# DIPLOMA IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT

(N/0312/4/0003)(1/29)(MQA/ PA 17048)

#### PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

The Diploma in Disaster Management program offers a concise yet comprehensive pathway for individuals looking to acquire fundamental skills in crisis response and management. Through a focused curriculum, students delve into key aspects such as risk assessment, mitigation strategies, emergency response protocols, and community resilience building. This program provides a solid foundation in disaster management principles, equipping students with practical knowledge that can be immediately applied in real-world scenarios. The program also emphasises practical skills development and networking opportunities to position students for success in securing employment and building a strong professional network within the industry upon graduating.

Overall, the Diploma in Disaster Management from ELMU opens doors to diverse and rewarding career opportunities in emergency management, disaster recovery, risk assessment, humanitarian aid, and environmental protection. This program offers a valuable opportunity for individuals passionate about making a positive impact in times of crisis and serves as a stepping stone towards a fulfilling career dedicated to disaster management and community resilience.

## **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

- Possess Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM)/O-Level with minimum 3Cs and a pass in Mathematics and English; or
- Certificate [Level 3, Malaysian Qualifications Framework (MQF)] with minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) 2.00; or
- Any equivalent qualification recognised by the University Senate; And
- → International applicants are required to have a minimum score of International English Language Testing System (IELTS) 5.0 or equivalent OR have attained a secondary education from an institution where the medium of instruction is in English.



#### **STUDY MODE**

Full Time and Part Time

#### **DURATION OF STUDY**

#### **FULL TIME STUDY:**

Number of Semester	
Long Semester	Short Semester
<b>√</b> 4	<b>√</b> 2
Number of Year	
✓ 2 Years	

# PART TIME STUDY:

Number of Semester	
Long Semester	Short Semester
<b>√</b> 7	<b>√</b> 3
Number of Year	
✓ 3 Years 4 Months	

## **ACADEMIC PATHWAY**

Diploma -> Bachelor's Disaster Management



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## **SUBJECTS**

#### **MPU COURSES**

- ✓ Penghayatan Etika dan Peradaban
- ✓ Bahasa Melayu Kom.1 International Students
- ✓ Thinking Skills
- ✓ Bahasa Melayu A\*\*
- ✓ Integrity And Anti-Corruption
- ✓ Co-curriculum

#### **MAJOR COURSES**

- ✓ Introduction to Disaster Management
- ✓ Introduction to Psychology
- ✓ Human Behaviour in Disasters
- ✓ Hazards, Risk, Resilience and Community Preparedness
- ✓ Disaster Management in a Malaysian Context
- ✓ Disaster Risk Management & Reduction
- ✓ Integrated Emergency Management
- ✓ Planning for and Responding to Disasters
- ✓ Disaster Legislation and Policy
- ✓ Technology and Disasters
- ✓ Smart Cities and Disaster Reduction
- ✓ Governance, Ethics and Human Rights in Disasters
- ✓ Disaster Recovery
- ✓ Introduction to Crisis
- ✓ Warning and Informing Communicating with the Public in a Disaster

#### **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

ELMU's Diploma in Disaster Management program not only provides students with theoretical knowledge but also emphasises practical skills development through internships, fieldwork, and simulations. Some career opportunities includes and not limited to:

a. Emergency Management Officer: Responsible for developing and implementing emergency response plans, coordinating disaster relief efforts, and conducting training exercises for emergency responders.

- b. Disaster Recovery Coordinator: Collaborate with government agencies, community organisations, and funding, coordinate businesses secure reconstruction efforts, and provide support to affected populations.
- c. Risk Assessment Analyst: Evaluate potential hazards and vulnerabilities in communities and develop strategies to mitigate risks by utilising geographic information systems (GIS), statistical analysis, and other tools to assess the likelihood and impact of disasters and recommend preventive measures.
- d. Humanitarian Aid Worker: Those passionate about international development and humanitarian assistance can pursue careers as humanitarian aid workers with organisations such as the Red Cross, Nations agencies, or international non-governmental organisations (NGOs). provide essential assistance to populations affected by disasters, including food, shelter, medical care, and psychosocial support.
- e. Environmental Protection Officer: Graduates interested in environmental conservation and sustainability can specialise in disaster management within the context of environmental protection. They work to minimise the environmental impact of restore ecosystems, disasters, and promote sustainable development practices that enhance resilience to future disasters.

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