Program Description

This curriculum is designed to provide individuals with the principles, theory, and practices associated with state-of-the-art fire science and management, including issues related to tactical fire operations, fire safety, firefighting and emergency services leadership and management, and community fire issues.

Students expand their thinking beyond fire-specific issues in areas related to firefighting through coursework in human resource management, administration, homeland security and emergency/disaster management, fire protection services, safety and prevention, and investigation.

This curriculum is designed to meet the needs of professional and volunteer fire service personnel and those seeking employment in the fire and emergency services.

Program Outcomes

Upon completion the student will be able to:

- Describe inspections, corrections of fire hazards, and fire investigations.
- Apply proper procedures for storage, handling, transportation, and fire control involving hazardous materials.

Program Advisors

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For more information, please visit https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/academics/programs/fire-science-and-emergency-services/fire-and-emergency-services-management-certificate.html
Program Requirements
A suggested course sequence for full-time students follows. All students should review this advising guide and consult an advisor.

Program Requirements
- FIRE 101 - Principles of Emergency Services 3 semester hours
- FIRE 102 - Fire Behavior and Combustion 3 semester hours
- FIRE 103 - Building Construction for Fire Protection 3 semester hours
- FIRE 104 - Principles of Fire and Emergency Services Safety & Survival 3 semester hours
- FIRE 105 - Fire Prevention 3 semester hours
- FIRE 201 - Fire Protection Systems 3 semester hours
- FIRE 202 - Fire Protection Hydraulics and Water Supply 3 semester hours
- FIRE 203 - Principles of Fire and Emergency Service Administration 3 semester hours

Total Credit Hours: 24
Transfer Opportunities
Montgomery College has partnerships with multiple four-year institutions and the tools to help you transfer. To learn more, please visit https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/transfer or http://artsys.usmd.edu.

Get Involved at MC!
Employers and Transfer Institutions are looking for experience outside the classroom.

MC Student Clubs and Organizations: https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/life-at-mc/student-life/

Related Careers
Some require a Bachelor’s degree.

Career Services
Montgomery College offers a range of services to students and alumni to support the career planning process. To learn more, please visit https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/career

Career Coach
A valuable online search tool that will give you the opportunity to explore hundreds of potential careers or job possibilities in Maryland and the Washington D.C. metropolitan area. Get started today on your road to a new future and give it a try. For more information, please visit https://montgomerycollege.emsicareercouch.com

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