L0101 Foundations of Emergency Management

Course Dates:
May 21-25, 2018 (Week 1)
June 25-29, 2018 (Week 2)
**Must complete both weeks for full credit**
8:00 am – 5:00 pm each day

Course Length:
This course is offered in two parts at 5-days each in length.

Training Location:
DMACC Southridge
1111 E Army Post Rd, Campus Room #20
Des Moines, IA 50315

Course Description:
FEMA recognizes the need to tie training programs to an established set of emergency management competencies and to a Career Development Program through a progressive training and education system that includes the entry-level Academy, called the National Emergency Management Basic Academy. Training objectives for this course are based on the newly established emergency manager competencies that the National Emergency Management Association; the International Association of Emergency Managers; and state, local, territorial, and tribal emergency management professionals have established in coordination with EMI. The following topics in emergency management are covered in this course: history; legal issues; intergovernmental and interagency context; influencing and organizing; social vulnerability issues; managing stress; collaboration, preparedness, and team-building; mitigation, response, prevention, and protection; ethical decision-making; recovery; technology; administration; and the future.

Course Goal:
At completion of this course, students will have a basic knowledge of the history of doctrine and authorities of emergency management, the role of the emergency manager, and an overview of all hazards.

Prerequisites:
The following courses are mandatory prerequisites to this course:

- IS 100 (any version) – Introduction to the Incident Command System (ICS)
- IS 120 – An Introduction to Exercises
- IS 230 – Fundamentals of Emergency Management
- IS 700 (any version) – National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction
- IS 800 – National Response Framework, An Introduction

Continuing Education Units (CEU’s):
EMI awards 8.0 CEUs for completion of this 2-part course.

Target Audience:
This course is intended for newly appointed emergency managers from Federal, state, local, tribal, and territorial emergency management agencies, and prospective professionals transferring from another discipline to emergency management.

How to Register for the Course:
https://hsemdtraining.iowa.gov/Event
To Apply:
Complete a FEMA Form 119-25-1, General Admissions Application form with student signature and signature of supervisor or sponsoring agency official. Submit completed application and supporting prerequisites to the State Emergency Management Training Office.

Scan the QR Code, or click the link to get download the application:

Out of State Students must obtain the approval and signature of their Sponsoring Organization and their State Training Officer.

Application Review:
In order to be evaluated for admission into this course, block #16 on the application form must be completed. Please refer to the Target Audience above and indicate how you meet the requirements based upon your position and experience.

Notice to Applicants for EMI courses:
Individuals applying for EMI classes will be required to register using the FEMA Student Identification (SID) number.

How do I obtain my FEMA SID number?
Step 1:To register, go to: https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid
Step 2: Click on the "Register for a FEMA SID" button on screen.
Step 3: Follow the instructions and provide the necessary information to create your account.

EMI Point of Contact:
For additional information contact the course manager, Jeff Januchowski at (301) 447-1356 or by email at Jeffrey.januchowski@fema.dhs.gov.

State of Iowa Training Point of Contact:
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515-725-3204

Lodging Information:
Fairfield Inn & Suites Des Moines Airport
6880 Fleur Dr, Des Moines, IA 50321
(515) 309-4444

Quality Inn & Suites Des Moines Airport
5231 Fleur Drive, Des Moines, IA 50321
(480) 568-4516

Americinn
1920 Hackley Ave, Des Moines, IA 50315
(515) 285-5180

Holiday Inn Des Moines-Airport
6111 Fleur Dr, Des Moines, IA 50321
(515) 287-2400

**Funding Support:**
There is NO funding support to attend this 2-part course, all travel and meal expenses will be on your own.

Priority of FEMA’s Basic Academy Certificate:
Completion of all five courses collectively qualify a student for certificate of completion:
L101 Foundations of Emergency Management
L102 Science of Disaster
L103 Planning: Emergency Operations
L105 Public Information & Warning
L146 Homeland Security Exercise Evaluation Program (HSEEP)
Priority will be given to those students seeking the full Basic Academy certificate who register for **all five courses** by March 23, 2018. After March 23, 2018 individual course registrations will be accepted.