

NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS - CERTIFICATE

The graduate certificate in National Security Affairs offered at the Bush School of Government and Public Service is intended to provide a comprehensive overview of United States national security policy for individuals with specific background and experience.

Individuals may apply who hold a terminal or graduate degree from an accredited university and three years employment (or a bachelor's degree and five years employment) in a firm, laboratory, agency or non-governmental organization in which the individual's responsibilities involve the development or provision of systems, services or products for use in national or international security. Applicants must meet these requirements and those for admission for graduate study at Texas A&M University as non-degree seeking students (G6). Proficiency in reading, writing and comprehending spoken English at a level necessary for graduate instruction is required.

Graduate-level courses for the certificate include four required courses selected from a structured menu. Among those courses included are those dealing with deterrence, American foreign policy, cyber policy and national security policy. Typically, this certificate requires residency in the first term of the summer semester during which two courses are taken, followed by two courses which may be taken synchronously via distance education to complete the program. An individual who successfully completes the program will be awarded the certificate by the Bush School. Inquiries may be addressed to the Bush School. For more information, visit <http://bush.tamu.edu/certificate/cnsa> or call (979) 458-2276.

This program is approved for 50% delivery via synchronous distance education technology in Livermore, California and Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Program Requirements

Graduate Certificate in National Security Affairs (CNSA)

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Select four of the following:		12
INTA 651	National Security Policy	
INTA 689	Special Topics in... (U.S. Military Policy)	
INTA 650	National Security Law	
INTA 652	The Role of Intelligence in Security Affairs	
INTA 657/ PSAA 657	Terrorism in Today's World	
INTA 689	Special Topics in... (International Security)	
INTA 689	Special Topics in... (Deterrence)	
INTA 659	Transnational Security Issues	
Total Semester Credit Hours		12