Keeping America Safe
The U.S. Department of Homeland Security employs more than 240,000, with another 1.5 million employed in the private security industry. These individuals are involved in the important work of anticipating, preventing, preparing for and reacting to a variety of threats and catastrophes, including natural disasters, acts of terrorism, cyber attacks and industrial accidents. If you would like to join their ranks, earning an Associate of Applied Science Degree or Certificate in Homeland Security from Macomb is a good place to start.

The Homeland Security Program at Macomb
Macomb’s Homeland Security Program will provide you with the foundation of knowledge and skills necessary for building a career in homeland or private security. The program is for both those seeking entry into the field and those currently employed in it and seeking advancement. Macomb’s program will develop or improve your skills and knowledge in:
- Homeland Security
- Terrorism
- Border Security
- Emergency Management
- Intelligence Analysis
- Other Facets of Law Enforcement

Associate Degree and Certificate Options
The Associate of Applied Science Degree in Homeland Security requires successful completion of a minimum of 62 credit hours, with the certificate option requiring a minimum of 26 credit hours.

Most positions with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security require a bachelor’s degree and experience. If you intend to transfer to a four-year college or university, please consult with a Macomb counselor or academic advisor as early as possible in your college career. For more information and/or to make an appointment, call the Center Campus office of Counseling and Academic Advising Services at 586.286.228.

Specialty Areas within Homeland Security
- Citizenship and Immigration
- Customs and Border Protection
- Immigration and Customs Enforcement
- Transportation Security Administration
- Office of the Inspector General
- U.S. Coast Guard
- U.S. Secret Service

Employment Outlook
With a bachelor’s Degree in Homeland Security or related field, you may be qualified for positions that include emergency management specialist, emergency preparedness coordinator and emergency services director.

GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT DISCLOSURE
For information about program cost, on-time completion rates, typical student debt, and other important information, visit: Homeland Security, Certificate: http://www.macomb.edu/ge/HLNDCT/
Public Service Institute

Since 1971, Macomb Community College has been educating students and working professionals for positions of responsibility and leadership in public service, including law enforcement, emergency medical services, security, and health and safety education and training.

Macomb’s education and training enhances the tactical and operational preparedness of first responders and emergency personnel to safely and effectively manage emergencies. The Homeland Security program was developed at the request of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Transportation Security Administration, in response to growing homeland security needs and issues.

Looking for a Job?
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