

MASTER OF PUBLIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION (MPSA)

Your Christian faith is an integral part of who you are, the decisions you make, and the life you live. Shouldn't it also be a part of developing the leader you were created to be within the demanding career of public safety? Through this completely online program, you will be challenged to integrate your faith and your career as you learn from professors, course materials, and your peers.

The master's in public safety empowers today's leaders with the tools to succeed and provides the resources for those who wish to grow in their career. The core curriculum of the public safety program blends courses in leadership and management with practical tools in public safety. It includes courses in leadership and organizational behavior, finance reporting and control, strategic planning and policy development, and operational management to equip you as a leader in your field.

The MPSA allows you to complete your master's degree in just one year. Courses integrate leadership and best practices with biblical truth, preparing you to make a difference as an innovative, effective, and influential leader in public safety.

FAST FACTS

- 8-week sessions
- 12 months from start to finish
- Rolling admissions (start any 8-weeks)
- Entirely online
- Taught by core faculty and industry leaders
- Less than \$15,000

COURSEWORK

CORE COURSES (30 CREDITS)

BUS534 Finance, Reporting and Control	5
BUS564 Leadership and Organizational Behavior	5
PSA530 Operational Management of Public Safety Systems	5
PSA540 Public Safety Relations and Partnerships	5
PSA550 Strategic Planning and Policy Development	5
PSA560 Ethics, Legitimacy and Social Responsibility	5

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

BUS534 FINANCE, REPORTING AND CONTROL (5)

This course provides a broad overview of accounting (communication), finance (decision making) and control (risk management) activities within an organization.

BUS564 LEADERSHIP AND ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR (5)

This course is both an investigation of Leadership and Organizational Behavior. Students will examine Leadership through both traditional and contemporary leadership theories while developing an awareness of their own personal leadership capabilities. Organizational Behavior will study human behavior in organizations; emphasizing theoretical concepts and practical methods for understanding, analyzing, and prediction individual, group, and organizational behavior.

PSA530 OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY SYSTEMS (5)

This course is intended for criminal justice, forensic psychology, or other graduates in a public safety related field who are interested in an advanced degree in public safety administration. The operational management of public safety systems course is designed to give students the analytical and technical skills needed to make critical and essential decisions that are vital to an organizations effectiveness and operational success.

PSA540 PUBLIC SAFETY RELATIONS & PARTNERSHIPS (5)

This course is intended for criminal justice, forensic psychology, or other graduates in a public safety related field who are interested in an advanced degree in public safety administration. Students in this course learn the relationship between public safety organizations and the development of effective partnership strategies to support public safety efforts. Serving as professionals in a public safety role, students will explore the essential roles and responsibilities associated with leading and managing relations and partnerships within a public safety organization. The course uses real-life public safety case studies to illustrate important public safety relationship and partnership principles.

PSA550 STRATEGIC PLANNING AND POLICY DEVELOPMENT (5)

This course is intended for criminal justice, forensic psychology, or other graduates in a public safety related field who are interested in an advanced degree in public safety administration. Students in this course will learn how to develop a strategic plan and public safety policies with critical input from key stakeholders.

PSA560 ETHICS, LEGITIMACY & SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (5)

This course will explore how ethical principles, personal values, moral obligations, and social responsibilities shape a leader's role in the field of public safety. The course focuses on enhancing a student's ability to apply ethics, integrity, and social responsibility in strategic and risk management, critical decision making, and creating public trust and legitimacy.

TUITION AND FEES

TUITION	COST PER CREDIT	CREDITS	TOTAL COST
Master of Public Safety Administration	\$499	30	\$14,970

FEES	COST
Tuition Deposit	\$200
Technology Fee	\$40 each semester
Graduation Fee	\$150
Course Fees	Varies (some courses may have fees to cover the cost of provided materials)

APPLICATION AND ADMISSIONS PROCESS

Complete and submit the following items in order for your application packet to be reviewed for acceptance. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis and should be completed at least 4 weeks prior to the start of classes.

- ❑ **APPLICATION**
Begin your application at corban.edu/apply
- ❑ **OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS**
To be requested from the institution where your bachelor's degree was awarded and any schools where graduate coursework was taken. Official transcripts should be sent to Graduate Admissions at Corban.
- ❑ **CHRISTIAN CHARACTER REFERENCE (INCLUDED ON THE APPLICATION)**
Provide the name of an individual who can serve as a Christian Character Reference. This should be an individual who is familiar with your Christian walk, professional conduct and potential as a student. The individual should be someone who is not a relative and preferably has known you for at least a year.
- ❑ **RESUME (OPTIONAL)**

AFTER ACCEPTANCE

- ❑ **PAY ENROLLMENT DEPOSIT (\$200)**
The enrollment deposit reserves your place in class and is applied directly toward your tuition.
- ❑ **COMPLETE "WALK TO CLASS"**
Your Admissions counselor will create your account and send you information on how to use our online learning platform, Populi, before classes start.