

Master of Arts in National Security and Intelligence Studies



ON CAMPUS
ONLINE

The M.A. in National Security and Intelligence Studies is an online degree program that features three intensive weekend visits to campus for on-site, practical exercises. This includes an Analytical Crisis exercise at the midpoint of the program. The Student Capstone taken at the end of the program is a real-world, strategic project from the government or private sector. Notre Dame College's exceptionally trained faculty work for a variety of security agencies and help students apply their coursework throughout the program. Coursework focuses on modern security challenges and appropriate response methods. National security and intelligence studies students learn the foundations of policy making and the factors that shape enacted policies.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Bachelor's degree in any field of study
Overall cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or above on official transcripts
Effective communication skills, demonstrated through the interview, writing sample and relevant work experience
Official test scores from one of the following tests*: Graduate Record Exam (GRE), Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT), Miller's Analogies Test (MAT). Students who have an undergraduate GPA of 3.5 or above will not have to take the assessments.

TUITION & FEES:

Current Tuition and Fees information can be obtained by going to www.notredamecollege.edu/Admissions/financial-information.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE:

Prospective partnership students are encouraged to contact the NDC partnership office at the Holden University Center for a review of their credentials and to plan a pathway to the successful completion of their degree. Once admitted, students are encouraged to speak with their

academic advisor at least once a semester. For more information please contact an NDC partnership counselor at 216-373-5173 or adultadmissions@ndc.edu

ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

The Notre Dame College Academic Calendar is available at www.notredamecollege.edu/academics/academic-calendar.

DELIVERY MODE:

The MA in National Security and Intelligence Studies is an online degree program with three intensive weekend campus visits and a Capstone Project.

TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

Textbooks can be ordered through the NDC Virtual Bookstore at My.NDC.edu (Virtual Bookstore).

PARALLEL LAKELAND PROGRAMS:

The successful completion of an Associates of Arts or Applied Business degree leading to the completion of a Bachelor's Degree in any field of study is the desired pathway.

TOTAL HOURS NEEDED:

After the completion of the Bachelor's degree, 36 credits in graduate level courses (500 and 600 level), and Capstone I & II are required.

FINANCIAL AID INFO:

Financial Aid is available to eligible students who have completed their FAFSA.

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