

# YOUR TALENT. YOUR FUTURE. YOUR COMMUNITY. EARN A DEGREE IN FIRE SCIENCE.



Top positions in fire departments and the emergency services industry are typically filled by the most dynamic individuals. Fire chiefs are looking for the most qualified candidates to fill managerial and high-level support roles. Many fire departments even require a bachelor's degree for promotion.

So how can you stand out in this competitive field? Kaplan University's fire science and emergency service programs are designed to give you the education you need to be eligible for a leadership role. And, all of our coursework closely follows the Fire and Emergency Services Higher Education national curriculum.

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# WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING DEGREES:

## Associate of Applied Science in Fire Science

This program is designed to provide students with foundational skills in firefighter safety, building codes, fire prevention, code inspection, and firefighting strategy and tactics. Students completing the program can seek employment as firefighters, fire inspectors, and fire investigators, among other positions.\* This program also prepares students who are looking to continue their education with the foundation to earn higher degrees.

## Bachelor of Science in Fire Science

Earn your bachelor's degree to pursue or enhance a career in fire services. The curriculum includes analytical approaches to fire protection and investigation, the role of fire service within the community, and the technical, legal, and social aspects of arson. The degree serves fire service professionals seeking enhanced skills and a broad spectrum of knowledge in the field of fire science. It may be a good fit for individuals aspiring to become firefighters, fire inspectors, fire investigators, first-line supervisors, or managers of firefighters.\* The program may also help prepare graduates looking to pursue graduate-level education.†

## Bachelor of Science in Fire and Emergency Management

This program is designed for emergency services personnel who want to increase their administrative and managerial knowledge as well as occupational and life safety awareness. Students prepare to face new challenges in the field, including technology, human resource management, and fiscal responsibility. Career opportunities may include chief and mid-level fire service personnel, emergency planners, and emergency program managers and directors.\*

## Advanced Start Option for the Bachelor's Degree Programs

If you already have your associate's or bachelor's degree, our advanced start program option can help you earn a bachelor's degree online in as little as 2 years.‡ Lower-level (100/200) coursework will be transferred as a block of 90 credits. Upper-level (300/400) coursework will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis and applied toward appropriate upper-level degree requirements. In addition to possessing an associate's or bachelor's degree, students applying for admission under the advanced start option must complete all prerequisites required for the bachelor's degree courses.

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\*Kaplan University's programs are designed to prepare graduates to pursue employment in their field of study, or in related fields. However, the University does not guarantee that graduates will be placed in any particular job or employed at all.

†While many of Kaplan University's degree programs are designed to prepare graduates to pursue continued graduate- or doctorate-level education, the University cannot guarantee that students will be granted admission to any graduate or doctoral programs.

‡Associate's and bachelor's degrees and credits considered to be remedial, occupational, or specialized may not be accepted for transfer under this option. See University Catalog for Transfer of Credit policy.

