

CREATE Scholarship Program

Undergraduate students in the Emergency Management Technology concentration have opportunity to participate in the CREATE Scholarship program, funded by the U. S. Department of Homeland Security-Scientific Leadership Award (Award#: 21STSLA000010-01-00).

The purpose of the Community Resilience Engaging Advanced Training and Education (C.R.E.A.T.E) will be to enhance the fields of **Emergency Management (Technology concentration)**, Computer Science, Meteorology and Atmospheric Science, and Psychology so that underrepresented undergraduate minority students are highly qualified and prepared to successfully enter graduate programs and/or careers in Emergency Management with the S.T.E.M. emphasis, specifically, Emergency Management and/or Disaster Preparedness. It also informs and transforms the larger academic community about issues relevant to Emergency Management and/or Disaster Preparedness.

See URL for Application:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1_EZ1gkJNelZum_Hutwv_FtCSJy54ATTvalpInfgMqeM/view?edit_requested=true

Eligibilities:

- Applicants must be U.S. citizen.
- Applicants must have a cumulative G.P.A. of 3.20 or higher on a 4.00 scale upon graduation.
- If an applicant has earned a bachelor's degree as of the application deadline, you are ineligible.
- Applicants must be accepted into Jackson State University and enrolled in Industrial Systems and Technology (with a concentration in Emergency Management), Computer Science, and Psychology.
- Applicants must be a full-time enrolled (12 hours or more) student to be eligible.
- If awarded the scholarship, the applicant must maintain a 3.20 GPA (cumulative) or higher to retain the scholar and not withdraw from courses unless an official documented cause of withdrawal. If cumulative G.P.A. falls below 3.20, there will be a review to determine if the scholarship award will continue.
- Applicants must also complete a 500 to 1000-word statement of purpose that a panel will review indicated your interest in emergency management and preparedness and plans to contribute to the discipline after completion of the degree.
- Applicant must submit two letters of recommendation from those familiar with the applicant's academic performance, technical ability, and work ethic.