

CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION SAFETY LIAISON OFFICER POSTGRADUATE SPECIALIZATION PROGRAMME

Institute of Disaster Management of the Faculty of Law Enforcement of the University of Public Service in cooperation with the National Directorate General for Disaster Management Ministry of the Interior started a two-semester long critical infrastructure protection safety liaison officer postgraduate specialization programme for the first time in February 2022. Subsequently, the training begins in February each year.

According to Section 2 (7) (b) of Act No. CLXVI of 2012 on the identification, designation and protection of essential systems and facilities the sectoral designating authority requires the operator of the designated system components to employ a critical infrastructure protection safety liaison officer. The Section 6 (2) Government Decree 65/2013 (III.8.) on the implementation of Act CLXVI of 2012 on the identification, designation and protection of critical systems and facilities defines the training requirements for the Safety Liaison Officer.

The aim of the training is to train professionals with legal and professional knowledge who are able to perform the professional safety liaison duties in a complex manner of the operator in the protection of critical infrastructure. Graduates will obtain competencies that will enable them to take on the role of safety liaison for the protection of critical systems and facilities. They do it with a complex approach and knowledge focused on the consistent application of the principles and practices of modernization.

After completing the requirements of the final exam, students will receive a diploma of professional competence.