



2018 Charlottesville Regional Tabletop Exercise for **Institutions of Higher Education**

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the University of Virginia invite you to participate in the Charlottesville Regional Tabletop Exercise for Institutions of Higher Education on June 11, 2018.

This one-day event will include a tabletop exercise and an after-action review session on preparing participants to respond to a campus emergency. The focus of this regional event will be a **soft target** incident, specifically campus unrest caused by a controversial speaker. More detailed information on the specific topics for the tabletop exercise will be available closer to the event.

The event provides participants with insight into planning, preparedness and resilience best practices for the academic community. Because emergency planning involves coordination from across an institution, we recommend a team of five to seven senior leaders representing various functions (i.e. information technology, security, leadership, public safety, student life, communications, etc.) attend from each institution. Teams will be limited to a maximum of seven participants per institution. Participants also include representatives from federal and state departments and agencies that support campus resilience.

To register, please visit https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2018CharlottesvilleRTTX

For more information on the Regional Tabletop Exercise for Institutions of Higher Education Series, please visit https://www.dhs.gov/rttx.

There is no cost to attend or present at this event. Participants and presenters are responsible for their own travel, lodging and per diem expenses. Space is limited and attendees will be confirmed by DHS on a first come, first-served basis.