

Risk Management and Insurance

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Undergraduate major: risk management and insurance (B.B.A.)

Undergraduate certificate: risk management and insurance

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Career Advancement

Risk management is a growing field in all industries with huge potential for career advancement. In Iowa, the risk management and insurance (RMI) industry accounts for 11% of the state's gross domestic product. Chicago is a regional insurance hub, and the few other RMI programs in the country meet less than 10% of the national demand for talent.

While 75% of graduates with an RMI certificate remain in the Midwest, others are working in 36 states and four countries. Graduates are employed in 14 different industries and by 175 different companies. Nearly 40% work for insurance companies, brokers, and agencies.

Popular careers include those in underwriting, analytics, working for brokers or agencies, actuarial and consulting work, corporate finance, sales, marketing, investment banking, management, and as entrepreneurs.