

Degree Planning Worksheet Master of Public Policy

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Use this tool in combination with the University's Class Schedule and the MPP Course Listing Sheet available on the website or in the MPP program manager's office, to plan your program of study. Planning ahead can save time and helps you think through your graduate career. Page two is a suggested program of study for a full time student and also serves to suggest the sequencing of courses for part time students. Please keep in mind that some courses are meant to be taken in a series. For example, students should take Policy Theory and then Policy Analysis. The Quantitative Courses should be completed in this order: Quantitative Methods, Public Policy Research, Policy Evaluation. The reason for taking classes in order is that the faculty works together to build concepts throughout the program.

Name: _____

ID #: _____

Common Core Courses -

Course # and Title	Semester	Credits	Grade	Semester Offered
PADMN 6320 - Public Policy Theories and Applications		3		Every Fall
PADMN 6323 - Policy Analysis		3		Every Spring
PADMN 6330 - Practice of Public Management		3		Spring (this course for students starting the program 2007 or 2008)
PUBPL 6563 - Program and Policy Evaluation		3		Every Fall
ECON 6300 - Public Finance: Public Expenditures and Cost-Benefit Analysis		3		Every Fall
ECON 6380 - Law and Economics		3		Every Spring
PADMN 6290 - Quantitative Analysis for Public Policy		3		Every Fall
PUBPL 6900 - Public Policy Research		3		Every Spring
PUBPL 6950 - Applied Policy Project (take your last or second to last semester)		4		Every Spring
PUBPL 6965 - Survey Research Methods		3		Every Fall (this course for students starting 2009 and later)

Policy Concentration Electives

Policy Area: _____

Course # and Title	Semester	Credits	Grade

Program Total: 40 semester credit hours

Possible Schedule for Full Time MPP Student

Fall Semester

PADMN 6320 - Public Policy Theories and Applications

PADMN 6290 - Quantitative Analysis

ECON 6300 - Public Finance: Public Expenditures and Cost-Benefit Analysis

Spring Semester

PUBPL 6980 - Public Policy Research

PADMN 6323 - Policy Analysis

ECON 6380 - Law and Economics OR

Elective

Fall Semester

PUBPL 6963 - Policy and Program Evaluation

PUBPL 6965 - Survey Research Methods

Elective

Elective

Spring Semester

Elective

PUBPL 6950 - Applied Policy Project

ECON 6380 - Law and Economics OR

Elective