Suggested Schedule for Full –time MPP Students Pursuing an Urban Planning Certificate

The following suggested sequence is based on historical program offerings (from Summer 2013-Spring 2014). Offerings in the future may be different, consult class schedules as they are published and consult Beth regarding conflicts (or new course offerings) that may arise.

Completing the urban planning certificate will add two 3 credit courses beyond the number of courses required by the MPP program and will take up the entirety of your elective course slots in the program. If you want to do the Urban Planning Certificate **you will need to APPLY** early on in the program (application form [here](http://www.arch.utah.edu/cgi-bin/wordpress-cmp/wp-content/uploads/2012/08/Graduate%20Certificate_Planning_APPLICATION_eform.pdf)). When applying you may wish to petition for the PADMN 6290 to count as the practical skills course or that ECON 6300 be counted as electives, there are no standard substitutions already approved, but petitioning with the CMP department on these two courses would cut the course load considerably.

The Urban Planning certificate is quite flexible (see information on their site [here](http://www.arch.utah.edu/cgi-bin/wordpress-cmp/wp-content/uploads/2012/08/Certificate%20Planning%20Completion%20Form.pdf)). This flexibility makes it difficult to suggest one single sequence that will work. Rather than suggesting a single sequence, please use these color-coded guides to choose which courses you will take in which terms. There are also two example sequences listed at the end, but many other combinations would work.

In order to complete the certificate you will need

**one** red course (foundational knowledge), **one** green course (practical skills), and **three** purple courses (electives).\*

\*Electives are only listed here that seem directly relevant to policy. A broader set of electives may be used for the urban planning certificate requirements, but you will want to check with Beth that they also will count as electives for the MPP requirements. You need 3 elective courses for the MPP program so 3 of your 5 urban planning certificate course need to qualify, if you take an unqualified purple course (not listed here, but confirmed by CMP to count for the certificate) you will want to be sure the red or green course will count toward the MPP requirements.

Courses marked in orange are ***required*** are required for the MPP program, but are listed in several different semesters – the semester you would take it depends on which Urban Planning courses you select. Note that students can choose between PUBPL 6002 (spring only) and STAT 6003 (fall and spring)-you only need to take one. Which one you choose will depend on the rest of your schedule.

**Please** consult with Beth & the CMP department regarding final courses chosen to ensure they comply with both sets of requirements. It is better to ask questions first than ask for exceptions afterward.

# Fall Semester (1st year)

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| **Course** | **Title** | **Day/Time Offered** | **MPP Core** | **Certificate** |
| PADMN 6320 | Public Policy Theories & Applications | Tuesday 6-9pm | X |  |
| PADMN 6290 | Applied Quantitative Methods | Thursday 6-9pm | X |  |
| ECON 6300 | Public Finance | Wednesday 6-9pm | X |  |
| CMP 6450 | GIS in Planning | Friday 9:40am-1:40pm (plus lab times) | Elective | X |
| CMP 6460 | R.E. Market Analysis | Wednesday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6322 | City & Metro Economics | Monday 9:40am-12:40pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6371 | Systems Complexity | Monday 6-9:00pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6710 | Intro. Transportation Planning | Tuesday & Thursday 3:40-5:00pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6960 | **Special Topics Courses**:\*Global Sustainable Development\*Game Changers: Climate/Health/Energy | \*Thursday: 9:10-12:00pm\*Wednesday: 9:40-12:00pm | Elective | X |

**Spring Semester (1st year)**

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| **Course** | **Title** | **Day/Time Offered** | **MPP Core** | **Certificate** |
| PUBPL 6900 | Public Policy Research | Thursday 6-9pm | X |  |
| PADMN 6323 | Policy Analysis\* |  | X |  |
| ECON 6380 | Law & Econ | Monday 6-9pm | X |  |
| PUBPL 6002 | Statistical Packages for Public Policy | TBD | X |  |
| CMP 6010 | Urban Research | Monday & Wednesday 4-5:20pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6020 | Urban & Reg. Analysis | Thursday 12:25-3:20pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6450 | GIS in Planning | Wednesday & Friday 3-4:20pm | Elective | X |
| GEOG 6140 | Methods in GIS | Tuesday & Thursday 12:25-1:45pm (plus lab times) | Elective | X |
| LAW 7010 | Mediation/Adv Negotiation | Wednesday & Thursday 9:10-10:35am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6260 | Land Use Law | Tuesday & Thursday 3:40-5:00pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6250 | Plan Process & Methods | Monday 6:30-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6380 | Green Communities | Monday & Wednesday 8:05-9:25am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6390 | Sustainability Planning | Wednesday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6405 | Urban Design Methods | Tuesday 10:45am-1:45pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6440 | Urban Design Principles | Tuesday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6610 | Urban Ecology | Tuesday & Thursday 9:10-10:30am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6720 | Land & Transportation Planning | Friday 9:40am-12:40pm | Elective | X |

\*Though PADMN 6323 is offered this term, it is highly recommended that it be taken in the summer to free up space for Urban Planning courses which are typically only offered in the fall and spring terms.

# Summer Semester (1st year)

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| **Course** | **Title** | **Day/Time Offered** | **MPP Core** | **Certificate** |
| PADMN 6323 | Policy Analysis | Online (2014)Tuesday 6-9pm (2015) | X |  |
| GEOG 6140 | Methods in GIS | Online | Elective | X |
| CMP 6380 | Green Communities | Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9:30am-12:30pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6390 | Sustainability Planning | Thursday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6410 | Site Development | Wednesday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6960 | **Special Topics Courses:**\*Intro to New Urbanism\*Transportation Analysis Methods | \*Monday 3-6pm\*Tuesday 6-9pm (this will conflict with Policy Analysis if it is the in person course rather than online) | Elective | X |

**Fall Semester (2nd year)**

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| **Course** | **Title** | **Day/Time Offered** | **MPP Core** | **Certificate** |
| PUBPL 6563 | Policy & Program Evaluation | Monday 6-9pm | X |  |
| PUBPL 6965 | Survey Research Methods | Thursday 6-9pm | X |  |
| STAT 6003 | Survey of Statistical Packages | Wednesday 6-9pm | X |  |
| ECON 6300 | Public Finance | Wednesday 6-9pm | X |  |
| CMP 6240 | Reason, Power, Values | Tuesday 6-9pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6430 | Planning Communication | Tuesday 6-9pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6450 | GIS in Planning | Friday 9:40am-1:40pm (plus lab times) | elective | X |
| CMP 6460 | R.E. Market Analysis | Wednesday 6-9pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6322 | City & Metro Economics | Monday 9:40am-12:40pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6710 | Intro. Transportation Planning | Tuesday & Thursday 3:40-5:00pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6960 | **Special Topics Courses**:\*Global Sustainable Development\*Game Changers: Climate/Health/Energy | \*Thursday: 9:10-12:00pm\*Wednesday: 9:40-12:00pm | Elective | X |

\*The two required courses for the MPP program offered this term are quite time intensive making this an ideal time to take STAT 6003 rather than taking PUBPL 6002 in a spring term. Students are strongly discouraged from taking four courses this particular semester.

# Spring Semester (2nd year)

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| **Course** | **Title** | **Day/Time Offered** | **MPP Core** | **Certificate** |
| PUBPL 6950 | Applied Policy Project/Capstone | Tuesday 6-9pm | X |  |
| ECON 6380 | Law & Econ | Monday 6-9pm | X |  |
| PUBPL 6002 | Statistical Packages for Public Policy | TBD | X |  |
| CMP 6010 | Urban Research | Monday & Wednesday 4-5:20pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6020 | Urban & Reg. Analysis | Thursday 12:25-3:20pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6450 | GIS in Planning | Wednesday & Friday 3-4:20pm | elective | X |
| GEOG 6140 | Methods in GIS | Tuesday & Thursday 12:25-1:45pm (plus lab times) | elective | X |
| LAW 7010 | Mediation/Adv Negotiation | Wednesday & Thursday 9:10-10:35am | elective | X |
| CMP 6260 | Land Use Law | Tuesday & Thursday 3:40-5:00pm | elective | X |
| CMP 6250 | Plan Process & Methods | Monday 6:30-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6353 | Performance Analysis | Tuesday & Thursday 9:10-10:30am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6380 | Green Communities | Monday & Wednesday 8:05-9:25am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6390 | Sustainability Planning | Wednesday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6405 | Urban Design Methods | Tuesday 10:45am-1:45pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6420 | Open Space Design | Thursday 6-9pm | Elective | X |
| CMP 6610 | Urban Ecology | Tuesday & Thursday 9:10-10:30am | Elective | X |
| CMP 6720 | Land & Transportation Planning | Friday 9:40am-12:40pm | Elective | X |

**Example Sequence 1:** (note: one red, one green, three purple, and the black courses are MPP required)

\*This one requires students take an intensive class 2nd year fall (with two pretty intense MPP courses), but **all classes are in the evening. Fall 1:**

PADMN 6320 – Public Policy Theories & Applications – Tuesday 6-9pm

ECON 6300 – Public Finance – Wednesday 6-9pm

PADMN 6290 – Applied Quantitative Methods – Thursday 6-9pm

## Spring 1:

ECON 6380 – Law & Economics – Monday 6-9pm

CMP 6390 – Sustainability Planning – Wednesday 6-9pm PUBPL 6900 – Public Policy Research – Thursday 6-9pm

## Summer 1:

PADMN 6323 – Policy Analysis – Online or Tuesday night (alternates every other summer) GEOG 6140 – Methods in GIS – Online

CMP – Site Development or Special Topics course -- different nights, 6-9pm

## Fall 2:

PUBPL 6563 – Policy & Program Evaluation – Monday 6-9pm CMP 6240 – Reason, Power, Values – Tuesday 6-9pm

PUBPL 6965 – Survey Research Methods – Thursday 6-9pm

## Spring 2:

CMP 6250 – Plan Process & Methods – Monday 6:30-pm PUBPL 6950 – Capstone Project – Tuesday 6-9pm PUBPL 600s – Stats Packages for Public Policy

**Example Sequence 2:** (note: one red, one green, three purple, and the black courses are MPP required)

\*This one requires students take an afternoon class, but it will lighten the load 2nd year fall by putting the stats packages class then.

## Fall 1:

PADMN 6320 – Public Policy Theories & Applications – Tuesday 6-9pm ECON 6300 – Public Finance – Wednesday 6-9pm

PADMN 6290 – Applied Quantitative Methods – Thursday 6-9pm

## Spring 1:

ECON 6380 – Law & Economics – Monday 6-9pm

CMP 6390 – Sustainability Planning – Wednesday 6-9pm PUBPL 6900 – Public Policy Research – Thursday 6-9pm

## Summer 1:

PADMN 6323 – Policy Analysis – Online or Tuesday night (alternates every other summer) GEOG 6140 – Methods in GIS – Online

CMP – Site Development or Special Topics course -- different nights, 6-9pm

## Fall 2:

PUBPL 6563 – Policy & Program Evaluation – Monday 6-9pm STAT 6003 – Survey of Statistical Packages – Wednesday 6-9pm PUBPL 6965 – Survey Research Methods – Thursday 6-9pm

## Spring 2:

CMP 6250 – Plan Process & Methods – Monday 6:30-pm PUBPL 6950 – Capstone Project – Tuesday 6-9pm

CMP 6260 – Land Use Law – Tuesday & Thursday 3:40-5:00pm