

Master of Public Administration Program
Degree Planner
Catalog Year 2019-2020

Core Curriculum – 21 Hours

All required

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
PAD 6200	Fund. of Public Admin. & Public Service		
PAD 6250	Research Methods & Computer Appl.		
PAD 6300	Public Organization Theory		
PAD 6350	Public Service Budgeting		
PAD 6450	Governmental Relations		
PAD 6700	Human Res. Management in Pub. Service		
PAD 6500	Policy Analysis (6500) or		
PAD 6600	Program Evaluation (6600)		

CONCENTRATIONS – Select One

Governmental Administration – 12 Hours

1 required course + 3 electives

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
PAD 7455	Administrative Law (Required)		

Nonprofit Administration – 12 Hours

2 required courses + 2 electives

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
PAD 7100	Philanthropy & the Nonprofit Sector (Required)		
PAD7180	Nonprofit Governance & Admin. (Required)		

Notes

- There are no substitutions for core courses.
- All elective courses must be taken at the graduate level.
- MPA Director must approve any non-PAD elective.
- See Graduate Catalog for full list of graduate courses.

Information Systems Administration – 12 Hours

2 required courses + 2 IS elective courses

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
IS 8100	Advanced IT Project Mgt. Methods		
IS 8700	Information Systems Policy & Strategy		

No Concentration – 12 Hours

Select any 4 non-core courses from PAD

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade

Professional Exercise – 3 Hours

Course determined by pre-service or in-service status

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
PAD 7985	Internship in Public Service		
PAD 7995	Public Service Practicum		

Elective Options

Course No.	Title	Term	Grade
PAD 7120	Health Policy		
PAD 7130	Regional Politics and Policy		
PAD 7140	International Environmental Policy		
PAD 7150	Contemporary Public Issues		
PAD 7230	Local Governance and City Management		
PAD 7250	Leadership and Ethics		
PAD 7390	Public Financial Management		
PAD 7430	Regional and Local Planning		
PAD 7900	Special Topics		