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| Master of Public Administration with Graduate Certificate in Project Management | | | | | |
| The Master of Public Administration (MPA) is a professional degree designed to equip students with the skills necessary to enhance the field of public service through positions both inside and outside government in the nonprofit and even private sector, e.g., as consultants to governmental organizations or as governmental service providers. The Project Management Certificate is a collaboration with the Master of Business Administration program and is intended to address trends with particular emphasis on the skills of project management, including the application of knowledge, skills, tools, and techniques to project activities to meet project requirements. To successfully complete the MPA, all students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 and earn a minimum grade of B- in all core courses. | | | | | |
| ***Administration Core (21 credits)*** | | ***Term*** | | ***Grade*** | ***Notes*** |
| *Required of all MPA students. Must earn a minimum grade of B-.* | | | | | |
| PPA 500 | Foundations of Public Service |  | |  |  |
| PPA 501 | Analysis & Decision Making I |  | |  |  |
| PPA 502 | Analysis & Decision Making II |  | |  |  |
| PPA 503 | Public Budgeting & Finance |  | |  |  |
| PPA 504 | Public Human Resource Management |  | |  |  |
| PPA 505 | Public Sector Organization Theory |  | |  |  |
| PPA 506 | Foundations of Nonprofit Management |  | |  |  |
| ***Certificate in Project Management Requirements (15 credits)*** | | | | | |
| *Selected under the advisement of the MBA Graduate Coordinator.* | | | | | |
| MBA 601 | Strategic Cost Management |  | |  |  |
| MBA 603 | Global Operation & Supply Chain Mgmt |  | |  |  |
| MBA 604 | Components of Effective Leadership |  | |  |  |
| MBA 616 | Applications of Project Management |  | |  |  |
| MBA 618 | Project Quality Management |  | |  |  |
| ***Capstone Seminar (3 credits)*** | | | | | |
| *Required of students without sufficient professional work experience. May be waived at the MPA director’s discretion.* | | | | | |
| PPA 600 | Capstone Seminar in Public Administration | |  |  |  |
| ***39 Total Credits*** | | | | | |
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| **MPA Advisor:** | | | | **Expected Graduation Date:** | |
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