Public Administration Associate of Science



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Semester 1				
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Milestone	Completed
College Writing I	Pick one: ENGL 1200‡ or 1201	4-5		
PADM 1100	Introduction to Public Administration	3	Yes	
CIS 1220 or 1101	Decision Making Excel or Business Computer Systems	3		
PSYC 1150	General Psychology	3		
MnTC Goal 6 Elective	Humanities & Fine Arts (NOT from PHIL)	3		

Total Credits: 16

Semester 2				
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Milestone	Completed
POLS 1100	American Government and Politics	3		
College Writing II	Pick one: ENGL 1202 or 1203‡	2-3		
PADM 1200*	Public Policy Analysis	3		
HSER 1200/COMM 1310	Multicultural Awareness in Human Services -or- Intercultural Communications	3		
MnTC Goal 4 Elective	Mathematical and logical Reasoning	3		

Total Credits: 14

Semester 3				
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Milestone	Completed
COMM 2610+ [★]	Introduction to Public Relations & Strategic Communications	3		
HSER 1100	Introduction to Human Services & Social Work	3		
PADM 1300	Public Finance and Budgeting	3		
ECON 1060	Principles of Macroeconomics	3		
MnTC Goal 3 Elective	Goal Area 3 (Natural Science, lab recommended)	3		

Total Credits: 15

Semester 4				
Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Milestone	Completed
PHIL 1120*	Ethics in Organizations	3		
SOC 1110	Introduction to Sociology	3		
ECON 1070	Principles of Microeconomics	3		
PADM 1700	Case Studies & Policy Discussions in Public Administration	3	Yes	
Program Elective	Choose from list of Program Electives listed in helpful hints	3		

Total Credits: 15

Program Credit Total: 60





Helpful Hints

- ‡ ENGL 1200 corequisite ‡ENGL 1001– College Writing I Workshop ENGL 1203 corequisite ‡ENGL 1002– College Writing II Workshop
- -Although not required consider CIS 1000 if you are fairly new to Microsoft Office Suite applications and or would like more typing skills
- -CIS 1220 recommended before PADM 1300
- -For Goal Area Natural Sciences: Highly recommend BIOL 1000, CHEM 1000, GEOG 1010, ANTH 1020, NSCI 1050 or PHYS 1030
- -Take ECON 1060 Principles of Macroeconomics before ECON 1070 Principles of Microeconomics
- -Program Electives (need 1 course):
- PSYC 2360 Psychology, Race & Law
- BUS 1110 Human Relations & Professional Skills
- SOC 2210 Social Inequalities
- HSER 1400 Basic Counseling Skills

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Disclaimer: This roadmap represents one possible pathway through the program, so please make an appointment with your Academic Advisor to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This information subject to change.