



Master of Public Administration (MPA)

Nonprofit Management Specialization

Effective Fall 2018

Name: _____ ID#: _____

A total of 42 credits is required, consisting of core and elective courses. Students may use electives to complete a generalist program or an area of specialization.

CORE REQUIREMENTS (26 credit hours)		Credits	Term	Grade
UST 600	Foundations in Public Administration (co-requisite for UST 671)	3	_____	_____
UST 601	Applied Quantitative Reasoning*	4	_____	_____
UST 603	Public Sector Economics	3	_____	_____
UST 617	Public Administration and the Political Process	4	_____	_____
UST 630	Public Human Resources Management	3	_____	_____
UST 634	Ethics in the Public Sector	3	_____	_____
UST 636	Public Budgeting & Finance	4	_____	_____
UST 671	Urban Colloquium (co-requisite for UST 600)	1	_____	_____
UST 672	Urban Simulation OR	1	_____	_____
UST 683	Urban Issues in Action			

*UST 504 (if required) is a pre-requisite for UST 585 & 605. Eligibility for UST 504 is determined through Quantitative Assessment results. Your admission letter will specify whether the Quantitative Assessment is required.

CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT (4)		Credits	Term	Grade
UST 692	Capstone Seminar in Public Administration	4	_____	_____

SPECIALIZATION AREAS AND ELECTIVES (12 credits minimum). Bold courses are required to complete a specialization.

UST 550	Fundamentals of Nonprofit Administration & Leadership[^]	3	_____	_____
UST 656	Advanced Topics in Nonprofit Management[^]	4	_____	_____
Choose one (4) credit hour elective:				
UST 504	Fundamentals of Applied Reasoning	4	_____	_____
UST 510	Proposal Writing	4	_____	_____
UST 604	Leadership, Management, and Organizational Behavior	4	_____	_____
UST 650	Financial Administration and Control of Nonprofit Organizations	4	_____	_____
UST 651	Fundraising and Revenue Generation	4	_____	_____

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Economic Development Specialization

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UST 600	Foundations in Public Administration (co-requisite for UST 671)	3	_____	_____
UST 601	Applied Quantitative Reasoning*	4	_____	_____
UST 603	Public Sector Economics	3	_____	_____
UST 617	Public Administration and the Political Process	4	_____	_____
UST 630	Public Human Resources Management	3	_____	_____
UST 634	Ethics in the Public Sector	3	_____	_____
UST 636	Public Budgeting & Finance	4	_____	_____
UST 671	Urban Colloquium (co-requisite for UST 600)	1	_____	_____
UST 672	Urban Simulation OR	1	_____	_____
UST 683	Urban Issues in Action			

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CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT (4)		Credits	Term	Grade
UST 692	Capstone Seminar in Public Administration	4	_____	_____

SPECIALIZATION AREAS AND ELECTIVES (12 credits minimum). Bold courses are required to complete a specialization.

UST 605	Regional Theory and Analysis[^]	4	_____	_____
UST 629	Economic Development Finance[^]	4	_____	_____
Choose one (4) credit hour elective:				
UST 504	Fundamentals of Applied Reasoning	4	_____	_____
UST 524	Distressed People, Distressed Places	4	_____	_____
UST 622	Economic Development Policy	4	_____	_____
UST 626	Workforce Development	4	_____	_____
UST 690	Urban Internship (only with approval of Program Director)	1-4	_____	_____

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Public & City Management Specialization

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UST 600	Foundations in Public Administration (co-requisite for UST 671)	3	_____	_____
UST 601	Applied Quantitative Reasoning*	4	_____	_____
UST 603	Public Sector Economics	3	_____	_____
UST 617	Public Administration and the Political Process	4	_____	_____
UST 630	Public Human Resources Management	3	_____	_____
UST 634	Ethics in the Public Sector	3	_____	_____
UST 636	Public Budgeting & Finance	4	_____	_____
UST 671	Urban Colloquium (co-requisite for UST 600)	1	_____	_____
UST 672	Urban Simulation OR	1	_____	_____
UST 683	Urban Issues in Action			

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CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT (4)		Credits	Term	Grade
UST 692	Capstone Seminar in Public Administration	4	_____	_____

SPECIALIZATION AREAS AND ELECTIVES (12 credits minimum). Bold courses are required to complete a specialization.

UST 604	Leadership, Management, & Organizational Behavior	4	_____	_____
UST 619	City Management[^]	4	_____	_____
Choose one (4) credit hour elective:				
UST 504	Fundamentals of Applied Reasoning	4	_____	_____
UST 572	Negotiation and Conflict Management	4	_____	_____
UST 631	Law and Public Administration	4	_____	_____
UST 633	Budget Policy and Management [^]	4	_____	_____
UST 635	Public Sector Information Management	4	_____	_____
UST 690	Urban Internship (only with approval of Program Director)	1-4	_____	_____
UST 771	Political Philosophy and Public Administration	4	_____	_____

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Public Financial Management Specialization
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UST 600	Foundations in Public Administration (co-requisite for UST 671)	3	_____	_____
UST 601	Applied Quantitative Reasoning*	4	_____	_____
UST 603	Public Sector Economics	3	_____	_____
UST 617	Public Administration and the Political Process	4	_____	_____
UST 630	Public Human Resources Management	3	_____	_____
UST 634	Ethics in the Public Sector	3	_____	_____
UST 636	Public Budgeting & Finance	4	_____	_____
UST 671	Urban Colloquium (co-requisite for UST 600)	1	_____	_____
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CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT (4)				
UST 692	Capstone Seminar in Public Administration	4	_____	_____

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ACT 501	Financial Accounting	3	_____	_____
FIN 501	Financial Management	3	_____	_____
UST 633	Budget Policy and Management	4	_____	_____

Choose one (4) credit hour elective:

UST 504#	Fundamentals of Applied Reasoning	4	_____	_____
UST 690#	Urban Internship (only with approval of Program Director)	1-4	_____	_____

#If neither UST 504 nor UST 690 are completed, students must select UST elective(s) to reach a minimum of 12 credit hours in the specialization

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