

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

2023-2024 Degree Requirements

Name: _____

ID Number: _____

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 120

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM: 42 credits

Required Fundamental Courses:

COMM 101	Oral Comm. & Pres.	3 credits	
ENGL 101	College Composition	3 credits	
UNIV 101	City-University Life	3 credits	
Senior Capstone			
		BMGT 481*	3 credits (Business Models)

Choose Thematic Core courses in the following:

Explore the World - Choice 1		3 credits	
Explore the World - Choice 2		3 credits	
Investigate Science		3 credits	
Investigate Mathematics	MATH 150	3 credits	(Mathematical Problem Solv
Interpret Creative Works		3 credits	
Understand People - Choice 1	PSYC 150	3 credits	(Psychological Foundations)
Understand People - Choice 2		3 credits	
Succeed in Business		3 credits	
Appreciate & Apply the Arts		3 credits	
Discover Technology	CMPS 114	3 credits	(Problem Solving with IT)

**Or 400 Level PADM course*

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 48 cr.

Select any 2 POLS or ECON courses-6 cr.

Select any 2 ACCT, BMGT, BUS, or SAEM courses-6 cr.

- PADM 206 Nonprofit Organizations (3)
- PADM 210 Public Administration (3)
- PADM 211 Principles of Management (3)
- PADM 214 Public Budget & Finance (3)
- PADM 301 Op Methods/Public Mgmt **OR**
- PADM 303 Policy & Decision Analysis (3)

Select a Concentration*-21 cr.

- General **OR**
- Emergency Medical Services **OR**
- Fire Service Administration **OR**
- Law Enforcement Administration

*See next page for details on each concentration

GENERAL ELECTIVES: 30 cr.**

**Students may use general electives to complete or partially complete a double major or one or more minors. Students are encouraged to select courses within the Rowland School of Business.

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1. General - 21 Credits

Choose any 6 PADM 300+ courses - 18 cr.

Choose any PADM 400+ course - 3 cr.

2. Emergency Medical Services - 21 Credits

- PADM 340 Foundations of EMS (3)
- PADM 341 EMS Management (3)
- PADM 342 EMS Community Risk Reduction (3)
- PADM 345 EMS Safety & Risk Mgmt (3)
- PADM 346 Lgl, Pol, & Reg Issues in EMS (3)
- PADM 440 EMS Quality&Perform Mgmt (3)
- Any PADM 300+ elective ____ (3)

3. Fire Service Administration - 21 Credits

- PADM 330 Fire&EMS Admin (3)
- PADM 331 Pol & Lgl Fdn of Fire Prot (3)
- PADM 332 Fire Prevention Org & Mgmt (3)
- PADM 311 Special Employee Rel **OR**
- PADM 335 Personnel Mgmt for Fire & EMS (3)
- PADM 336 Comm Risk Reduc for Fire & EMS (3)
- PADM 430 App of Fire Research (3)
- Any PADM 300+ elective ____ (3)

4. Law Enforcement Administration - 21 Credits

- PADM 311 Special Employee Rel **OR**
- PADM 335 Personnel Mgmt for Fire & EMS (3)

Select SIX of the following:

- CRMJ 300/400 level Course ____ (3)
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- INTL 304 Critical Issues in Risk Commun (3)
- INTL 401 High Impact Event Planning (3)
- Any PADM 300+ elective ____ (3)
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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of this program, a student will be able to:

1. Clearly communicate thoughts and ideas both verbally and in writing.
2. Apply information technology tools and techniques to meet the needs and expectations of the workplace.
3. Analyze, integrate and communicate complex information to facilitate management decision making.
4. Gather, analyze, and evaluate critical information from within public administration
5. Apply major concepts within traditional areas of business management.