

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

2017-2018 Degree Requirements

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 120

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM **42 credits**

Required Courses:

COMM 101	Oral Comm. & Pres.	3 credits
ENGL 101	College Composition	3 credits
UNIV 101	City-University Life	3 credits
	Senior Capstone	3 credits

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	3 credits
Interpret Creative Works	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 1	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 2	3 credits
Succeed in Business	3 credits
Appreciate & Apply the Arts	3 credits
Discover Technology	3 credits

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: **48 credits** (C = taken in the Core)

PSYC 150	Psych. Foundations (Understand People)	C	
MATH 150	Math Experience (Investigate Math)	C	
CMPS 114	Problem Solving w/ IT (Discover Tech.)	C	
	<i>Select any two POLS or ECON courses</i>	6	
	<i>Select any two ACCT, BMGT, BUS or SAEM courses</i>	6	
PADM 206	Nonprofit Organizations	3	
PADM 210	Public Administration	3	
PADM 211	Principles of Management	3	
PADM 214	Public Budgeting & Finance I	3	
PADM 301	Op Methods/Public Mgmt	OR 3	
PADM 303	Policy and Decision Analysis	3	

Select one concentration:

1. General (21 credits)		
	Choose any 6 PADM 300+ courses	18
	Choose any PADM 400+ course	3
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 Management	3
	PADM 346 Lgl, Pol, & Reg. Issues in EMS	3
	PADM 440 EMS Quality & Perform. Mgmt	3
	PADM Any PADM 300+ Elective	3
3. Fire Service Administration (21 credits)		
	PADM 330 Fire & Emergency Svcs. Admin.	3
	PADM 331 Pol. & Lgl. Fdn. of Fire Protection	3
	PADM 332 Fire Prevention Org. & Mgmt.	3
	PADM 311 Special Employee Relations	OR 3
	PADM 335 Personnel Mgmt for Fire & Emg	3
	PADM 336 Comm Risk Reduc. for Fire & Emg	3
	PADM 430 Applications of Fire Research	3
	PADM Any PADM 300+ Elective	3

GENERAL ELECTIVES: **30 credits**

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 School of Business.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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

1. Work well with others and with a demonstrated appreciation of individual differences and a sensitivity to diversity.
2. Clearly communicate thoughts and ideas both verbally and in writing.
3. Apply information technology tools and techniques to meet the needs and expectations of the workplace.
4. Analyze, integrate and communicate complex information to facilitate management decision making.
5. Apply theory and practice in solving organizational problems.