

## 4+1 PROGRAM IN URBAN STUDIES / MASTER OF PUBLIC MANAGEMENT (MPM)

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Students enrolled in Urban Studies (majors and minors) may apply for the joint 4+1 program with the Master of Public Management (MPM). The following are the eligibility requirements:

1. Applicants must have completed 90 undergraduate credits.
2. Applicants must have a minimum 3.25 GPA in their majors.
3. Applicants must have an overall minimum 3.0 GPA.
4. Two letters of recommendation

Students are encouraged to take introductory courses in political science, management, and economics before graduating from their undergraduate programs since these courses are prerequisites for full matriculation into the MPM. A course in financial accounting is also highly recommended. Students achieve matriculation only after they obtain their undergraduate degree. The prerequisite requirements must be completed by then.

In order to complete the joint degree, students take 9-11 graduate credits, which count both in their undergraduate program and in the MPM. The graduate credits are taken in place of elective undergraduate credits. Students get advising from both the graduate coordinator and their undergraduate advisor. Admission is on a rolling basis and applicants may start their program of study in any semester.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Master of Public Management</b>		<b>(36 credits)</b>
<i>CORE COURSES</i>		
PM-901	Project Management for Public Organizations	3
PM-903	Economics for Policy Analysis	3
PM-934	Ethics & Management of Human Resources	3
PM-942	Organizational Theory	3
PM-945	Financial Management for Public Organizations	3
PM-949	Strategic Leadership & Planning for Public Organizations	3
PM-951	Negotiation & Conflict Resolution for Public Organizations	3
PM-980	Management Project Fieldwork I for Public Management	2
PM-981	Management Project Fieldwork II for Public Management	4
PM-990	Action Research	3
Two (2) ELECTIVES required		6
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>36</b>

### **4+1 Students**

Graduate core courses will count as core classes in the graduate program and electives in the student's undergraduate program. Graduate electives will count as electives in both the graduate and undergraduate programs

**Master of Public Management (MPM)** – A student may take any *three* of the following core courses and any courses offered as graduate electives:

PM-901, PM-903, PM-934, PM-942, PM-945, PM-949, PM-951