

Public Policy & Analysis Major Checklist

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ID #:

Academic Advisor:

Date:

Core Courses

Required for all PPA majors declared June 1, 2020 or later

Course number & title			Semester & Year	Grade	Credits
MATH	111†	Calculus I		X	3
MATH	221†	Linear Algebra		X	X
QTM	110	Introduction to Scientific Methods			3
MATH	210	Advanced Calculus for Data Sciences			4
QTM	150	Intro to Statistical Computing I			
QTM	151	Intro to Statistical Computing II			
QTM	210	Probability & Statistics			
QTM	220	Regression Analysis			
POLS	100	National Politics in the United States			
POLS	111	Principles of Political Science			
POLS	360	Public Policy			
POLS	369	Policy Analysis			
ECON	101	Principles of Microeconomics			

† MATH 111 and MATH 221 do not count towards major GPA; MATH 111 counts towards 50 cr. requirement; MATH 221 does not count towards 50 cr. requirement

Elective Courses

*QTM electives include 300- and 400-level lecture and seminar style classes; QTM 398R, 496R, and 499R are not considered upper-level electives
PPA electives may be selected from approved ECON, ENVS, HIST, POLS, or SOC offerings; up-to-date elective options may be found on the Political Science or QTM department website*

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QTM					
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ECON/ENVS/ POLS/SOC					
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For convenience, a list of PPA elective courses grouped by field is provided on the next page. Always consult the Political Science or QTM website for the most up-to-date course designation information.

Expected Graduation:
Semester & Year

Total credit hours completed:
*124 academic credit hours + 2 PE + HLTH100
needed for graduation*

Credits toward PPA:
51+ needed to earn degree



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PPA ELECTIVES LIST

Economics Electives

ECON 231	Intro to Global Trade and Finance	ECON 362	Economic Development
ECON 309	Contemporary Economic Issues	ECON 365	Environmental Economics and Policy
ECON 330	Collective bargaining and Public Policy	ECON 385	The Political Economy of China
ECON 341	Business and Government	ECON 390	The Political Econ of the Middle East
ECON 356	Development of the US Economy		

Environmental Science Electives

ENVS 225	Institutions & The Environment	ENVS 385	Topics: Environmental Studies Climate Policy Seminar
ENVS 227	Environmental Policy	ENVS 521	Natural Resource Management
ENVS 250	Fundamentals of Cartography & GIS	ENVS 524	Ecological Mutualisms
ENVS 324	Ecological Economics	ENVS 550	Fundamentals of Cartography & GIS
ENVS 326	Climate Change and Society	ENVS 575	Global Change Sciences
ENVS 377	International Environmental Policy	ENVS 585	Bridging the Environ. Science-Policy Gap

Health Electives

HLTH 370	Health and Policy	HLTH 385	Delivering Health
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History Electives

HIST 385	Wealth & Poverty in the US
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Political Science Electives

POLS 227	Environmental Policy	POLS 368	Urban Public Policy
POLS 309	Survey Research & Political Analysis	POLS 370A	Community Building and Social Change
POLS 316	Foreign Policy of the U.S.	POLS 370B	Planning Community Initiatives
POLS 317	Global Human Rights	POLS 384	Environmental Policy
POLS 321	Comparative Political Economy (POLS 394W)	POLS 385	Topic: The Law & Politics of Immigration
POLS 339	Politics and the Environment	POLS 394	Policing, Imprisonment, Politics
POLS 342	Congressional Politics	POLS 394	Immigration Law and Politics
POLS 343	Federalism and Intergovernmental Relations	POLS 394W	American Legal System
POLS 354	Criminal Justice	POLS 394W	Politics of Public Health
POLS 355	Nonprofits and Politics	POLS 486	Washington Semester
		POLS 490	Politics of Public Health
			RSCH: Political Economy of Public Policy

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POLS 357	Gender Politics	POLS 494	Gender, Race, and Political Representation
POLS 362	Executive Branch Governance	POLS 494W	Politics and Punishment
POLS 367	Urban Politics	POLS 496	Internship in Political Science

Sociology Electives

SOC 230	Sociological Aspects of Health/Illness	SOC 350	Sociology of Law
SOC 307	Sociology of Education	SOC/ENVS 389	Urban Food Security
SOC 343	Mass Media & Social Influence	SOC 390	Study Abroad: Hlth Care & Society Sem
SOC 446W	Big/Small Data and Visualization		