Spring 2016 Major Courses

The following courses will be offered in Spring, 2016 and may be used toward the open-ended requirements for the majors indicated. It is accurate as of October, 2015. Check my.pitt.edu for the most up-to-date schedule. Students may petition for other, unlisted courses to count toward their majors on a case-by-case basis.

Note: this is not a list of all classes that will be offered in the term. Core requirements and other mandatory courses are not included here. These lists only include the courses that may be used to fulfill the open-ended major requirements in each program.

Public & Nonprofit Management

- PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
- PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
- PIA 2103 - MANAGING PEOPLE IN THE PUBLIC AND NON-PROFIT SECTOR (required)
- PIA 2108 - MATCHING MONEY WITH MISSION
- PIA 2109 - REBUILDING AND BUILDING US PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE
- PIA 2124 - COMPARATIVE REGIONAL GOVERNANCE
- PIA 2125 – CITY AND REGION THEORY AND PRACTICE
- PIA 2126 - STATE AND METROPOLITAN POLITICS AND POLICY
- PIA 2140 - FINANCIAL PRACTICES FOR ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY
- PIA 2170 - MANAGEMENT NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS
- PIA 2185 - STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT (required)
- PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
- PIA 2192 - ETHICS AND PUBLIC LIFE
- PIA 2204 - GRANT WRITING AND FUNDRAISING
- PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
- PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
- PIA 2335 - APPROACHES TO CONFLICT RESOLUTION
- PIA 2519 – COMPARATIVE GOVERNANCE
- PIA 2526 – NGOS CIVIL SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT
- PIA 2527 - FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT FOR NGOS AND NON-PROFITS
- PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
- PIA 2615 - GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY
- PIA 2616 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND FOCUS GROUPS (1.5 credits)
- PIA 2732 - LOG FRAME AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (1.5 credits)
- PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Nonprofit Clinic (if not used toward Capstone requirement)
- PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: NGO Fundraising and Grant Writing (if not used toward Capstone requirement)
- PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Open Data/Homestead & W. Homestead (if not used toward Capstone Requirement)

Policy Research & Analysis
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS (required)
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2124 - COMPARATIVE REGIONAL GOVERNANCE
PIA 2125 – CITY AND REGION THEORY AND PRACTICE
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2192 - ETHICS AND PUBLIC LIFE
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2383 - POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2429 – WAR ON DRUGS
PIA 2456 – COMPARATIVE POLITICAL BEHAVIOR
PIA 2519 – COMPARATIVE GOVERNANCE
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2715 - GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY
PIA 2730 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND FOCUS GROUPS (1.5 credits)
PIA 2732 - LOG FRAME AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (1.5 credits)
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS
PIA 3050 – QUALITATIVE RESEARCH: DESIGN AND METHODS
PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Open Data/Homestead & W. Homestead (if not used toward Capstone Requirement)

Urban Affairs and Planning/Urban & Regional Affairs
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2109 - REBUILDING AND BUILDING US PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE
PIA 2124 - COMPARATIVE REGIONAL GOVERNANCE
PIA 2125 – CITY AND REGION THEORY AND PRACTICE (required)
PIA 2126 - STATE AND METROPOLITAN POLITICS AND POLICY
PIA 2140 - FINANCIAL PRACTICES FOR ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2429 – WAR ON DRUGS
PIA 2519 – COMPARATIVE GOVERNANCE
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2715 - GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY (required)
PIA 2730 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND FOCUS GROUPS (1.5 credits)
PIA 2732 - LOG FRAME AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (1.5 credits)
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS (required)
PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Open Data/Homestead & W. Homestead (if not used toward Capstone Requirement)

Energy & Environment / Development Planning & Environmental Sustainability
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2109 - REBUILDING AND BUILDING US PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE
PIA 2125 – CITY AND REGION THEORY AND PRACTICE (required)
PIA 2126 - STATE AND METROPOLITAN POLITICS AND POLICY
PIA 2140 - FINANCIAL PRACTICES FOR ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2383 - POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2522 – GLOBAL ENERGY (required)
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2715 - GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS

Security & Intelligence Studies
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2303 - SECURITY AND INTELLIGENCE STUDIES (required)
PIA 2305 - FOREIGN POLICY AND DIPLOMACY
PIA 2311 - ADVANCED INTELLIGENCE ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES
PIA 2323 - INTELLIGENCE PERSPECTIVES ON THE COLD WAR ERA
PIA 2336 - STRATEGIC INTELLIGENCE IN INTERNATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES
PIA 2340 - SPACE AND NATIONAL SECURITY
PIA 2347 - GLOBAL HOT SPOTS
PIA 2356 - MODERN IRAN
PIA 2365 - TRANSNATIONAL CRIME
PIA 2366 - INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
PIA 2379 - INTRO TO CYBERCRIMES
PIA 2383 - POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2389 - CRIMINAL OPERATIONS IN THE CYBERWORLD
PIA 2412 - ANALYZING CRITICAL INTERNATIONAL SECURITY CHALLENGES
PIA 2429 - WAR ON DRUGS
PIA 2430 - ETHNIC POLITICS
PIA 2434/3434 - CIVIL-MILITARY RELATIONS
PIA 2441 - GOVERNMENT/POLITICS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION
PIA 2449 - HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION
PIA 2522 - GLOBAL ENERGY
PIA 2582 - LATIN AMERICAN POLITICS
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2715 - GIS FOR PUBLIC POLICY
PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Terrorism (if not used toward Capstone requirement)

International Political Economy
PIA 2025 - MICROECONOMICS 1 (if not used toward core)
PIA 2027 – MACROECONOMICS (if not used toward core)
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
PIA 2140 - FINANCIAL PRACTICES FOR ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2311 – PROTECTIONISM AND LIBERALIZATION
PIA 2356 - MODERN IRAN
PIA 2365 - TRANSNATIONAL CRIME
PIA 2366 - INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
PIA 2383 - POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2510 - ECONOMICS OF DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2513 – RELIGION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2522 – GLOBAL ENERGY
PIA 2572 - EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT IN THE THIRD WORLD
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS

Human Security
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2231 - CONTEMPORARY US ENERGY POLICY
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2307 - HUMAN SECURITY (required)
PIA 2356 - MODERN IRAN
PIA 2365 - TRANSNATIONAL CRIME
PIA 2366 - INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
PIA 2383 - POLITICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2429 - WAR ON DRUGS
PIA 2430 – ETHNIC POLITICS
PIA 2449 – HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION
PIA 2513 – RELIGION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2522 – GLOBAL ENERGY
PIA 2527 – TRADITIONAL DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2528 – LATIN AMERICAN POLITICS
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS

NGOs & Civil Society
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2103 - MANAGING PEOPLE IN THE PUBLIC AND NON-PROFIT SECTOR
PIA 2104 - FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
PIA 2109 - MATCHING MONEY WITH MISSION
PIA 2117 - PROGRAM EVALUATION
PIA 2140 - FINANCIAL PRACTICES FOR ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY
PIA 2170 - MANAGEMENT NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS
PIA 2185 - STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT
PIA 2188 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES AND PRACTICES
PIA 2204 - GRANT WRITING AND FUNDRAISING
PIA 2232 - POLICIES FOR MANAGING RISKS TO HEALTH AND SAFETY
PIA 2235 - APPROACHES TO CONFLICT RESOLUTION
PIA 2365 - TRANSNATIONAL CRIME
PIA 2388 - INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLICY
PIA 2513 – RELIGION AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2526 – NGOS CIVIL SOCIETY AND DEVELOPMENT (required)
PIA 2527 - FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT FOR NGOS AND NON-PROFITS
PIA 2527 – TRADITIONAL DEVELOPMENT
PIA 2572 - EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT IN THE THIRD WORLD
PIA 2582 – LATIN AMERICAN POLITICS
PIA 2614 - LOBBYING AND ADVOCACY (DC Semester)
PIA 2615 - LAW-MAKING SEMINAR (DC Semester)
PIA 2730 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND FOCUS GROUPS (1.5 credits)
PIA 2732 - LOG FRAME AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING (1.5 credits)
PIA 2740 - PLN & ANAL SUSTAINABLE REGIONS
PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: Nonprofit Clinic (if not used toward Capstone requirement)
PIA 2096 – CAPSTONE SEMINAR: NGO Fundraising and Grant Writing (if not used toward Capstone requirement)

Governance and International Public Management
PIA 2023/3000 - INTERMEDIATE QUANTITATIVE METHODS
PIA 2101 - MANAGING EMERGENCIES AND DISASTERS
PIA 2103 - MANAGING PEOPLE IN THE PUBLIC AND NON-PROFIT SECTOR
PIA 2124 - COMPARATIVE REGIONAL GOVERNANCE
PIA 2125 – CITY AND REGION THEORY AND PRACTICE
### Courses

- **PIA 2126** - State and Metropolitan Politics and Policy
- **PIA 2185** - Strategic Management
- **PIA 2366** - International Organizations
- **PIA 2388** - International Law and Policy
- **PIA 2456** - Comparative Political Behavior
- **PIA 2513** - Religion and International Development
- **PIA 2519** - Comparative Governance *(required)*
- **PIA 2582** - Latin American Politics
- **PIA 2614** - Lobbying and Advocacy *(DC Semester)*
- **PIA 2615** - Law-Making Seminar *(DC Semester)*
- **PIA 2730** - Community Development and Focus Groups *(1.5 credits)*
- **PIA 2732** - Log Frame and Development Planning *(1.5 credits)*
- **PIA 2740** - PLN & Anal Sustainable Regions

### Cognates

These courses are offered in other schools at the University of Pittsburgh, but may be of interest to GSPIA students. If you would like to enroll, you will need to get permission from the department/professor offering the course. Note that all of these courses are graduate-level and may expect some prior background in the material, so you are urged to learn more about the requirements and expectations before you enroll. These courses will generally count as GSPIA electives, but may count toward your major with prior approval.

- **ADMPS 2399** – Political Economy of Education
- **BCHS 2609** – Translating Research for Policy and Practice
- **BCHS 2990** – Social Dynamics in Public Health
- **BCHS 2995** – Global Perspectives on Women’s Health
- **BECN 2509** – Global Macroeconomics
- **EDUC 2100** – Education and Society
- **EOH 2013** – Environmental Health and Disease
- **HPM 2001** – Health Policy and Management
- **HPM 2063** – Politics of Health Policy
- **HPM 2064** – Health Policy Analysis
- **LAW 2082** – Climate Change and the Law
- **LAW 2395** – Health Law and Policy
- **PHIL 2316** – Ethics and Public Life
- **SOC 2314** – Sociology of Education
- **SWCOSA 2088** – Community Organizing and Planning
- **SWWEL 2051** – Economics and Social Work
- **SWWEL 2057** – Mental Health and Public Policy
- **SWWEL 2059** – Child and Family Policy
- **SWWEL 2087** – Organizations and Public Policy
- **SWWEI 3037** – Social Policy Analysis
- **TELCOM 2810** – Information Security and Privacy