

# **Master of Public Administration: Required Coursework**

**Concentration: Governance and International Public Management** 

### **GSPIA Core (12 Credits)**

Number	Title	Pre-requisites	Term	Can be waived?
			Completed	
PIA 2022	Quantitative Methods	None		Yes. If waived, must take additional elective
PIA 2025	Microeconomics	None		No
PIA 2028	Public Policy Analysis	PIA 2022		No
PIA 2096 or	Capstone Seminar	24 credits		No
PIA 2099	Thesis	24 credits + PIA 2003 + approval		

Internship Requirement: All students must complete an approved internship of at least 300 hours while enrolled at GSPIA. The internship must be approved by the student's career advisor in advance. Students with at least three years of relevant full-time work experience may petition their career advisor for a waiver of this requirement during their first semester.

## MPA Degree Core (9 Credits)

PIA 2020	Administration of Public Affairs	None	
PIA 2117	Public Program Evaluation	PIA 2022	
PIA 2104	Financial Management	None	

#### **GIPM Concentration Courses (12 Credits)**

One of the following five courses: None				
PIA 2310 Ma	arkets & States			
PIA 2519 Comparative Governance				
PIA 2528 Governance, Local Govt. & Civil Society				
PIA 2529 Political Economy Analysis for Global Affairs				
PIA 2552 Ma	anaging Organizations in Development			
PIA 2	GIPM Concentration Course			
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#### Free Electives/Minor Courses (15 Credits)

PIA 2	Elective/minor course	
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#### Notes:

48 credits are required to graduate. Jointdegree students take a minimum 36 GSPIA credits and must have 3 terms of GSPIA residency.

Students may waive PIA 2022 if they pass the waiver exam. If waived, the class must be replaced by an additional elective.

Meet with your academic advisor every term to confirm your progress toward graduation.