

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

Concentration: _____

Advisor: _____

MPA Degree Requirements

The MPA degree consists of a **minimum of 39 credit hours** of coursework. Pre-career students must take 3 credit hours of internship (PNH 690/691) in addition to the 39 required hours of course work for a total of **42 credit hours**. Students must meet with advisor upon entry into the program to develop a program of study. Full-time students can complete the program in five semesters. Part-time students taking two classes a semester can complete the program in seven semesters

CORE (18 credit hours)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 520 Foundations of Public Management | <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 611 Research Methods |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 612 Human Resources in Organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 614 Organization Theory |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 615 Public Financial Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> PNH 619/685 Management Seminar |

CONCENTRATION (select one; 15 credit hours)

State, Regional, & Local Governance

- PNH 620 Metropolitan Politics and Administration
- PNH 641 Economic and Community Development
- PNH 643 Strategic Management and Planning

And select **two** of the following:

- PNH 621 Administrative and Regulatory Law
- PNH 642 Conflict Management
- PNH 644 GIS in Public Service
- PNH 664 Program Evaluation
- PNH 671 Building Sustainable Communities

Policy Analysis, Advocacy, and Evaluation

- PNH 616 Public Policy Analysis
- PNH 664 Program Evaluation

And select **three** of the following:

- PNH 621 Administrative and Regulatory Law
- PNH 631 U.S. Health Policy and Politics
- PNH 639 Community Benefits Assessment
- PNH 643 Strategic Management and Planning
- PNH 663 Nonprofit Orgs, Advocacy, & Policy
- PNH 674 Health Advocacy & Built Environment
- CJ 604 Criminal Justice Policy and Program Evaluation

Criminal Justice

- CJ 601 Criminal Justice Leadership
- CJ 619 Legal issues in Criminal Justice
- CJ 604 Criminal Justice Policy and Program Evaluation
- CJ 607 Criminology

And **one** of the following:

- PNH 620 Metropolitan Politics and Administration
- PNH 621 Administrative and Regulatory Law

Health Administration

- PNH 630 Health Administration and Service
- PNH 631 U.S. Health Policy and Politics

And select **three** of the following:

- PNH 632 Health Services Financial Management
- PNH 633 Health Economics
- PNH 634 Health Care Law and Ethics
- PNH 639 Community Benefits Assessment
- PNH 640 Marketing Health & Human Services
- PNH 645 Opportunities in Aging Societies

Nonprofit Management and Leadership

- PNH 660 The Nonprofit Sector: History and Ethics
- PNH 661 Nonprofit Management Practices
- PNH 662 Nonprofit Resource and Financial Management

And **two** of the following:

- PNH 641 Economic & Community Development
- PNH 663 Nonprofit Organization & Public Policy
- PNH 664 Program Evaluation
- PNH 665 Boards, Trustees, & Governance
- PNH 666 Foundations & Strategic Grantmaking
- PNH 667 Fund Development
- PNH 670 International NGO management

Electives (6 credit hours)

General electives may be selected from other concentration areas, special topics courses, readings, or other appropriate graduate courses. The elective component of the degree can be made up of a maximum of three, one-credit courses. Transfer credits from other degree programs can be counted as electives.

List possible electives here:

Internship

All pre-career students are required to take at least three internship credits (in addition to 39 hours of coursework) from the list below. All in-service students must apply for an internship waiver using the attached form.

Pre-career students:

- PNH 690 Public Administration Internship I
- PNH 691 Public Administration Internship II

In-service students:

- internship waiver submitted and approved

Advisor comments:

Recommended Schedule:

Year	Fall	Winter	Spring / Summer
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

Note to advisor: complete form with student, save to department L: drive, and send copy to student. If transfer of credits are approved, notify MPA coordinator who will notify registrar's office.