



UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS®

Public Policy PhD Program

DEGREE PLANNER

The degree plan is to be drafted by the student, approved by the student's committee and then reviewed by the program director. See notes below.

NAME:

Pre-requisite quantitative methods class

Core Requirements	Course Number	Scheduled Semester/Year	Hours Completed	Note
Public Policy Theory	PUBP 6013			
Community Development	PUBP 6033 or equivalent			
Economics	Variety			
Law and Policy	PUBP 6023			
Policy Planning, Implementation, and Evaluation	PUBP 6103			
Agenda Setting	PUBP 6113			
Capstone	PUBP 6134*			
Proseminar (1 hour)	PUBP 6001			

Hours needed – 23 Hours

Research Methods Requirements	Course Number	Scheduled Semester/Year	Hours Completed	Note
Quantitative Methods	3 hours from approved PUBP course list**			
Qualitative Methods	ESRM 6533 or equivalent			
Advanced Methods	Variety (6 hours total)			

Hours needed – 12 Hours

Specialization Courses	Course Number	Scheduled Semester/Year	Hours Completed	Note

Hours needed – 12 Hours

Scheduled Semester/Year Completed?

Qualifying Exam

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Dissertation Hours	Course Number	Scheduled Semester/Year	Hours Completed	Note
	PUBP 700V			
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				Hours needed – 18 Hours

Total of 65 Hours

Please remember to take care of the residency requirements for the Ph.D.

* The **Capstone** course in the public policy program is a summative course which is designed to integrate the student's academic experience through a group service learning project. The capstone course should be taken after all of the core courses are complete and perhaps all but one of the specialization courses (which may be taken along with the capstone). Some students take their qualifying exams during the capstone semester. Students seeking exceptions may contact the course instructor. The course requires permission of the instructor to enroll.

**** Statistics and Quantitative Methods Classes for Three-hour Quantitative Methods Requirement in the Public Policy Ph.D. Program**

College of Education and Health Professions

- ESRM 6413 Experimental Design in Education
- ESRM 6453 Applied Multivariate Statistics
- ESRM 6423 Multiple Regression Techniques for Education
- ESRM 6523 Advanced Multiple Regression
- ESRM 6553 Advanced Multivariate Statistics
- ESRM 6993 Exploratory Data Analysis
- ESRM 6993 Categorical Data Analysis
- ESRM 6993 Structural Equation Modeling
- ESRM 699V Advanced Statistics seminar: Exploratory Data Analysis
- ESRM 699V Advanced Statistics seminar: Categorical Data Analysis

Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences Statistics

- STAT 5313 Regression Analysis I
- STAT 5333 Analysis of Categorical Responses
- STAT 5343 Stochastic Processes
- STAT 5353 Methods of Multivariate Analysis II
- STAT 5383 Time Series Analysis

Other Departments (in Fulbright College)

- COMM 5123 Quantitative Research Methods in Communication
- PADM 5803 Quantitative Methods Analysis
- PLSC 5913 Research Methods in Political Science
- PSYC 5133 Inferential Statistics for Psychology
- PSYC 5143 Advanced Descriptive Statistics for Psychology
- SOCI 5311L Applied Data Analysis