

Dual degree M.P.A./ M.S.W

MSW/MPA Requirements

Students will take a total of 72 hours of course work, as follows:

MSW Foundation Curriculum (18 hours)

SWRK 5702 Social Policy, 3 hours*

SWRK 5725 Human Behavior and the Social Environment, 3 hours

SWRK 5750 Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, and Groups, 3 hours

SWRK 5751 Social Work Practice with Communities and Organizations, 3 hours

SWRK 5819 Foundation Integrative Practice Seminar, 1 hour

SWRK 5821 Foundation Practicum 1, 2 hours

PUBH 5010 Mission and Practice of Global Public Health, 3 hours

MPA Core Curriculum (12 hours)

POLS 5300 Law, Politics, and Regulatory Policy, 3 hours

POLS 5310 Issues in U.S. Public Administration, 3 hours

POLS 5325 Public Sector Budgeting, 3 hours

POLS 5330 Public Sector Economics, 3 hours

MSW Concentration - Community and Organization (15 hours)

SWRK 5707 Policy Practice for Social Justice, 3 hours*

SWRK 5721 Community Theory and Practice, 3 hours*

SWRK 5785 Organizational and Program Planning, 3 hours**

SWRK 5820 Concentration, Integrative Practice Seminar, 1 hour

SWRK 5822 Concentration Practicum II, 2 hours

SWRK 5823 Concentration Practicum III, 3 hours

MSW Research Courses (6 hours)

SWRK 5787 Research Methods I, 3 hours*

SWRK 5788 Research Methods II, 3 hours*(must be taken sequentially Fall/Spring)

Values and Ethics (3 hours)

SWRK 5700 Values and Ethics in Social Work, 3 hours

Electives (12 hours)

Choice of courses in social work or public policy studies

Capstone Project (6 hours)

POLS 5960 M.P.A. Capstone

(students may take 3 hours in each of 2 semesters or all 6 hours in a single semester)

POLS 5951 M.P.A. Special Study for Exams, 0 hours

* Courses count toward the M.P.A. elective requirement

**Course substitutes for Organizational Theory and Behavior in the M.P.A. core

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