

Undergraduate Major Map

Catalog Year 2023
College / School Green Sch of Intl & Public Aff
Major Pub Policy and Service - BPPS
Track / Concentration Public Polic Service Online
Career Path Two Year Transfer

Fall Term 2023 Contact advisor regarding Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs Foreign Language requirement. Use this semester to complete pre-requisites, if necessary (Public Administration Common Prerequisites: POS 2041, ECO 2013/2023 and CGS 2060/2100). Please see advisor if pre-reqs were completed at another academic institution.					Term Hours: 14
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes	
Public Administration Common Prerequisites			3	POS2041 or ECO2013/2023 or CGS2060/2100. Please see advisor if completed at another academic institution.	
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Public Administration Core	PAD 3003	Intro Public Policy Serv	3	PA Major Core Course	
Foreign Language			5	Please see advisor.	

Spring Term 2024 Contact advisor regarding Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs Foreign Language requirement. PAD 3034 may be used to satisfy the Global Learning Discipline-Specific requirement. See endnotes. May use general elective towards minors or certificate programs.					Term Hours: 12
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes	
Public Administration Core	PAD 4723	App Res Meth	3		
3000-4000 Level Electives			3	May be outside of the Major	
Public Administration Core	PAD 3034	Policy Dev & Impl	3	PA Major Core Course	
Foreign Language			3	Please see advisor.	

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Summer Term 2024				Term Hours: 9
PAD 3800 may be used to satisfy the Global Learning Discipline-Specific requirement. See endnotes. Use this semester to catch up on coursework if necessary (Public Administration Common Prerequisites: POS 2041, ECO 2013/2023 and CGS 2060/2100). Please see advisor if pre-reqs were completed at another academic institution.				
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
3000-4000 Level Electives			3	May be outside of the Major
Public Administration Concentration Electives - Public Administration	PAD 3800	Managing Global Cities	3	PA Major Core Course
Public Administration Common Prerequisites			3	POS 2041 or ECO 2013/2023 or CGS 2060/2100. Please see advisor if completed at another academic institution.

Fall Term 2024				Term Hours: 15
May use general elective towards minors or certificate programs.				
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Public Administration Concentration Electives			3	Please see PDA to view list of approved courses.
Public Administration Core			3	PAD 4223 or PAD 4414 or PAD 4432
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Public Administration Concentration Electives			3	Please see PDA to view list of approved courses.
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Spring Term 2025 May use general elective towards minors or certificate programs.				Term Hours: 15
Course Group	Course Required	Course Description	Credit Hours	Course Notes
Public Administration Core	PAD 4934	Integrative Sem Public Po	3	
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Public Administration Concentration Electives			3	Please see PDA to view list of approved courses.
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General Requirements

Critical Indicator is the minimum grade indicated in specific courses to demonstrate proficiency and progress in major. Earning less than the minimum grade is a trigger for a conversation with advisor.

GENERAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

Transfer students are assumed to have completed an Associates of Arts Degree from a Florida Public Institution or satisfied completed 60 credits and the University Core Curriculum Requirements.

In addition, the following courses are required of incoming transfer students:

Global Learning Requirement for Transfers: Transfers entering FIU Fall 2011 or later are required to take two Global Learning courses.

Those who meet University Core Curriculum Requirements prior to entering FIU

- Two Global Learning Discipline Specific Courses (One of the two may be a Global Learning Foundation Course chosen in consultation with your advisor)

Those who do not meet University Core Curriculum Requirements prior to entering FIU

- One Global Learning Foundation Course (from the University Core Curriculum)
- One Global Learning Discipline Specific Course

Transfer courses may not be used to meet the FIU Global Learning Requirement. For a list of Global learning

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courses: <http://goglobal.fiu.edu>

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs: Selected Requirements

Foreign Language Requirement: Students must demonstrate competency in a foreign language or in American Sign Language at the level of the second semester of a college language sequence. You may be able to satisfy this requirement with AP, CLEP Exam, or other credit. Contact your advisor.

Grades: Students must earn a grade of "C" or higher in all courses required for the major. A grade of "C" or lower is not acceptable in any required course.

This document only lists SELECTED requirements. See your Panther Degree Audit for a full list of SIPA and major requirements at <http://my.fiu.edu>.

Steven J. Green School of International and Public Affairs: BPA in Public Administration specific requirements

1. Common prerequisites:

POS 2042 (many FL public institutions use POS 2041) and
ECO 2013 or ECO 2023 and
CGS 2060 or CGS 2100

2. Public Administration Core - 24 units

3. Public Administration Concentration Electives - 12 units of 3000-4000 level courses from following areas:

- Public Administration
- Geography
- Anthropology
- Sociology
- Criminal Justice
- Political/International Relations