UNLV Graduate College 2023-2024 Catalog

PLAN OF STUDY - Part II

# Doctor of Philosophy - Public Affairs

Complete this form and upload it into the Plan of Study – Part I available in your [Grad Rebel Gateway](https://gradrebelgateway.my.site.com/) student portal on the Forms tab under Required Forms. Once submitted, the form will route electronically for signatures. Upon approval by the Graduate College, the status of your form will be updated in the Grad Rebel Gateway.

Refer to the [2023-24 Graduate Catalog](http://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=44&navoid=12936) for degree requirements.

## COURSE REQUIREMENTS

### **Required Courses – Credits: 10**

| COURSE  (Prefix & #) | CREDITS | GRADE  (if completed) | SEMESTER/YEAR  (Taken/anticipated) | COURSE (Substitution) | CREDITS  (Substitution) | GRADE  (Substitution) | INSTITUTION  (Substitution) |
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| PAF 702 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PAF 703 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PAF 704 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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### **Analytical Studies Core Courses – Credits: 12**

Complete the following two courses plus two additional departmental approved 3 credit analytical courses that emphasize quantitative or qualitative methods of conducting advanced research

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| PAF 710 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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### **Area of Specialization Courses – Credits: 12**

Complete 12 credits of advisor-approved elective coursework at the 700-level in a specific area of public policy. Courses may be taken from more than one department within the Greenspun College of Urban Affairs. Approval of the plan of study in the area of concentration must be received before taking any course.

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### **Dissertation – Credits: 12**

| COURSE  (Prefix & #) | CREDITS | GRADE  (if completed) | SEMESTER/YEAR  (Taken/anticipated) | COURSE (Substitution) | CREDITS  (Substitution) | GRADE  (Substitution) | INSTITUTION  (Substitution) |
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| PAF 799 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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## TOTAL CREDITS       Minimum credits required for graduation = 46

## GRADUATION POLICIES

* A minimum of 50 percent of the degree program must be 700-level courses excluding thesis, dissertation, or professional/scholarly paper. Individual departments may require more than the Graduate College minimum.
* Courses used to fulfill requirements for one degree may not be used toward another degree.
* Completion of a minimum of 46 credits with a minimum GPA of 3.00. All core courses and analytical studies courses must be completed with a grade of “B” or better.
* Students must enroll in dissertation credits each semester during their dissertation work
* Refer to the [Thesis and Dissertation Format and Submission Guidelines](https://www.unlv.edu/graduatecollege/thesis) for a breakdown of requirements.
* Refer to the [Graduate Catalog](http://catalog.unlv.edu/content.php?catoid=44&navoid=12936) for all Academic, Transfer Credit, and program-related policies and requirements.