

| <u>CORE COURSES (24 hours)</u> | | <u>Hrs</u> | <u>Sem</u> | <u>Grade</u> |
|--|---|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| PADM 700 | Public Admin. Ethics, Statesmanship, & Governance | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 702 | Advanced Public Administration Finance & Budgeting | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 704 | Human Resources & the Legal and Regulatory Context of Public Administration | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 708 | Studies in Urban Planning & State & Local Government | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 710 | Information Management in Public Sector Organizations | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 712 | Organizational Leadership & Behavior in Public Admin. | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PLCY 804 | Federalism & Intergovernmental Relations | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PLCY 805 | Policy Analysis & Research Design | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <u>RESEARCH METHODS & TOOLS COURSES (9 hours)</u> | | | | |
| PADM 810 | Quantitative Methods for Public Administration | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 812 | Qualitative Methods for Public Administration | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 885 | Research Concept | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <u>CAPSTONE COURSES (15 hours)</u> | | | | |
| PADM 887 | Capstone I | 5 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 888 | Capstone II | 5 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 889 | Capstone III ¹ | 5 | _____ | _____ |
| PADM 890 | Capstone IV ¹ | 0 | _____ | _____ |
| TOTAL HOURS | | 48 | | |

Graduation Requirements

Complete 48 hours

A maximum of 50% of a post-graduate and doctoral degree may be transferred if approved and allowable, including credit from an earned degree from Liberty

University on the same academic level

3.00 GPA

No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree

Successful completion of Research Concept

Degree must be completed within 5 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

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Suggested course sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

First Semester

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| PADM 700 | 3 |
| PADM 704 | 3 |
| PLCY 804 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 |

Second Semester

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| PADM 702 | 3 |
| PADM 708 | 3 |
| PLCY 805 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 |

Third Semester

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| PADM 710 | 3 |
| PADM 712 | 3 |
| PADM 810 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 9 |

Fourth Semester

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| PADM 812 | 3 |
| PADM 885 | <u>3</u> |
| Total | 6 |

Fifth Semester

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| PADM 887 | <u>5</u> |
| Total | 5 |

Sixth Semester

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| PADM 888 | <u>5</u> |
| Total | 5 |

Seventh Semester

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| PADM 889 ¹ | <u>5</u> |
| Total | 5 |

Eighth Semester

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| PADM 890 ¹ | <u>0</u> |
| Total | 0 |

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