## UNIVERSITY. THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

CORE COURSES (21 hours)			<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					
PADM 804	Intergovernmental Relations & Public Administration	3					
<b>RESEARCH METHODS &amp; TOOLS COURSES (12 hours)</b>							
PADM 805	Public Administration & Research Design	3					
PADM 810	Quantitative Methods for Public Administration	3					
PADM 812	Qualitative Methods for Public Administration	3					
PADM 885	Research Concept	3					
CAPSTONE COURSES (15 hours)							
PADM 887	Capstone I	5					
PADM 888	Capstone II	5					
PADM 889	Capstone III <sup>1</sup>	5					
PADM 890	Capstone IV <sup>1</sup>	0					
	TOTAL HOURS	<b>48</b>					

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

<sup>1</sup>Any student who is not ready for enrollment in PADM 890 after completing PADM 889 may be required, as determined by the student's capstone advisor, to repeat PADM 889 until deemed ready for enrollment in PADM 890 Suggested Course Sequence on second page

First Semester		Second Semester	
PADM 700	3	PADM 702	3
PADM 704	3	PADM 708	3
PADM 804	<u>3</u>	PADM 805	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9
Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
PADM 710	3	PADM 812	3
PADM 712	3	PADM 885	<u>3</u>
PADM 810	<u>3</u>	Total	6
Total	9		
Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
PADM 887	5	PADM 888	5
Total		Total	
Seventh Semester		Eighth Semester	
PADM 889 <sup>1</sup>	5	PADM 890 <sup>1</sup>	<u>0</u>
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