MPA Planning Sheet

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Beginning the Fall of 2020, CSUSB will convert to a semester system.

Semesters will be 15 weeks long. Fall semester will begin around mid-August and end around mid-December. Semester courses will be three (3) units and weekly classes will be 3 rather than 4 hours long. Spring semester will begin mid-January and run through mid-May.

The MPA curriculum will still be 12 classes. However, some of the requirements will be different

The rule is that you follow requirements for the catalog year you were admitted - **OR** the catalog year when you graduate. This is your choice. You need to examine the different options. Quarter courses are direct substitutes for their equivalent semester courses.

Under the current catalog concentrations are optional. Under the semester catalog they will be required.

Under both catalogs, the Concentration consists of 3 courses.

Under the semester catalog a Nonprofit Concentration is available.

Under the semester catalog, Cybersecurity students will take 12 rather than 14 classes. Their two electives will be Cybersecurity classes.

**Social Work** - Concurrent Degree - See Catalog

**Also- under the new catalog students will take two semesters of the non-credit PA 6985 Professional Development Seminar -- a Monthly Zoom Webinar. (0 units Pass/Fail)**

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|  | Quarter Catalog | Semester Catalog |
| Core | 9 classes | 7 classes |
| Concentration | 3 classes | 3 classes |
| Electives | (concentration) | 2 classes |
| PA 6985 | Optional Zoom with the Chair | Required registration for two semesters |

Core Classes

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| Quarters | Semesters |
| PA 603. Research Methods in Administration  PA 611. Public Administration Theory and Practice  PA 615. Public Financial Management  PA 650. Public Sector Management of Information Systems  PA 662. Human Resource Management in the Public Sector  PA 663. Public Budgeting and Finance  PA 664. Management of Public Organizations  PA 672. Administrative Regulation  PA 680. Public Policy Analysis | PA 6110 Public Administration Theory and Practice -  PA 6030 Research Methods in Administration  PA 6620 Human Resource Management  PA 6630 Public Budgeting and Finance  PA 6640 Management of Public Organizations  PA 6800 Public Policy Analysis  PA 6550 Capstone: Strategic Planning for Government and Nonprofit Organizations |

Concentrations

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|  | Quarters | Semesters |
| Leadership | 3 from a pool of classes | 5010 Administrative Leadership  6500 Government in the Digital Age  6720 Administrative Regulation |
| Public Financial Mgmt | 3 from a pool of classes | 6150 Public and Nonprofit Financial Management  6300 Program Evaluation  6610 Principles of Public and Nonprofit Procurement |
| Cybersecurity | IST 647 Information Based Management  IST 648 Information Networking Systems  IST 610 Senior Systems Manager  IST 511 Information Assurance and Security  IST 646 Information Systems Planning, Strategy and Policy | IST 6090 Information Systems and Technology Management  IST 6470 Database Management and Policy  IST 6700 Cybersecurity Policy and Risk Management  IST 6730 Cybersecurity Theory and Practice  IST 6890 Enterprise Architecture Planning, Strategy, Security and Policy |
| Nonprofit Management | None | PA 5140 Nonprofit Management and Leadership  PA 5150 Executive Nonprofit Leadership  PA 5160 Nonprofit Fundraising and Grantwriting |

**I plan to graduate under the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(quarter/semester) Catalog**

**My planned Concentration is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**List the term you plan to take each class for your degree under the Catalog you select  
You will need to consult the website schedules at** [**Advising**](https://jhbc.csusb.edu/mpa/advising)

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| Quarter Catalog | Term (F/W/Sp/Su) | Semester Catalog | Term (F/Sp/Su) |
| PA 611/6110 |  | PA 611/6110 |  |
| PA 603/6030 |  | PA 603/6030 |  |
| PA 615/6150 |  | PA 662/6620 |  |
| PA 650/6500 |  | PA 663/6630 |  |
| PA 662/6620 |  | PA 664/6640 |  |
| PA 663/6630 |  | PA 680/6800 |  |
| PA 664/6640 |  | PA 655/6550 |  |
| PA 672/6720 |  | Concentration Class 1 PA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| PA 680/6800 |  | Concentration Class 2 PA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| Elective 1 PA\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  | Concentration Class 3 PA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| Elective 2 PA\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  | Elective 1 PA\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| Elective 3 PA\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  | Elective 2 PA\_\_\_\_\_ |  |
| Optional Zoom w/ Chair |  | PA 6985 (two semesters) |  |
| PA 999 Exam |  | PA 999 Exam |  |

**Electives - Offered at variable times.  
PA 5640 Local Public Administration PA 5190 Managing Diversity in Organizations  
PA 5200 Water Law and Policy PA 5210 Urban Growth and Planning  
PA 5280 Intergovernmental Relations PA 5570 Public Sector Labor Relations  
PA 5730 Public Transportations Systems PA 6170 Managing Local Economic Development  
PA 6300 Program Evaluation PA 6610 : Principles of Public and Nonprofit Procurement  
PA 6700 Emergency Management**