

MPA Planning Sheet

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Coyote ID _____

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)

	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

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

	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](#)

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.

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| 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 | |