

Graduate Course Outline of the Department of Public Affairs, Ming Chuan University (For students  
Enrolling in 2017-2018)

Course		Credits	Hours	1 <sup>st</sup> year		2 <sup>nd</sup> year		Note
				Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	
Required Courses	Practical English 1	2	2	2				備註 1
	Practical English 2	2	2		2			
	Subtotal	4	4					
Required Professional Courses	Quantitative Research Methods	3	3	3				
	Studies on Public Management	3	3	3				
	Qualitative Research Methods	3	3		3			
	Studies on Public Policy	3	3		3			
	Studies on Local Government and Politics	3	3		3			
	Subtotal	15	15					
Elective Professional Courses	Studies on Public Information Management	2	2	2				
	Studies on Strategic Management	2	2	2				
	Nonprofit Organizations and Management	2	2	2				
	Special Lecture Series on Public Affairs	2	2	2				
	Seminar on Elections	2	2	2				
	Special Topics on Social Psychology	2	2	2				
	Special Topics on Human Resource Management	2	2	2				
	Special Topics on Globalization and Cross-strait Relations	2	2	2				
	Special Topics on Cross-strait Governance	2	2		2			
	Seminar on Administrative Law	2	2		2			
	Special Topics on Leadership	2	2		2			
	Special Topics on Thesis and Research Paper Writing	2	2		2			
	Studies on Policy Marketing	2	2		2			
	Special Topics on Legislative Politics	2	2		2			
	Studies on Intergovernmental Relations	2	2		2			
	Seminar on Community Development	2	2		2			
	Studies on Policy Planning	2	2		2			
Political Economy	2	2		2				
Studies on Public Budgeting and Finance	2	2			2			

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<b>Seminar of Decision Making and Policy Analysis</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Special Topics on GIS</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Seminar on Organizational Theory and Behavior</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Studies on Local Self-Government Law</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Studies on Communication and Negotiation</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Studies on Policy Implementation and Evaluation</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Seminar of Comparative Politics</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Special Topic on Government and Enterprise</b>	2	2			2		
<b>Special Topic on Administrative Ethics</b>	2	2			2		
<b>English for Business and Communication</b>	0	2				2	
<b>Media and Public Relations</b>	2	2				2	
<b>Special topic of Public Governance</b>	2	2				2	
<b>Service Quality Innovation on Government</b>	2	2		2			
<b>Public Comments and Policy Narratives</b>	2	2			2		
Total	<b>Subtotal Required Course Credits</b>	<b>19</b>					
	<b>Credits of the Department' s Elective Professional courses</b>	<b>20</b>					
	<b>Total</b>	<b>39</b>					

Course Framework Note:

1. The total credits required for the completion of the program are 39 credits. Graduate students must meet the graduation requirements for professional competency stated in related regulations.
2. According to general provisions for study of Ming Chuan University, graduate school students should meet the English proficiency requirement and comply with its enforcement rules in order to graduate.
3. A maximum of 6 credits for courses outside this department may be counted toward the total electives.
4. The elective courses in this academic year can be applied retroactively to students who entered before 2017 academic year.
5. with the approval of the department's chair, the credits of elective courses earned from other graduate schools or EMPA program of the department can be counted toward the total electives. However, the maximun credits should not exceed what has been regulated by Ming Chuan University Procedures for Course Credit Waiver Applications.
6. Students should meet the requirements of Ming Chuan University Guidelines for Taking Academic Ethics Education Course prior applying for the Oral Examination for Thesis Plan.