

**CURRICULUM FOR THE MASTER OF URBAN PLANNING DEGREE** *for Students Entering Aut 2024/Wtr 2025*

<b>CORE CURRICULUM</b>		<b>Quarter Taken</b>	<b>Credits</b>	
URBDP 500	Survey of Urban Planning	Autumn, 1st year	4	
URBDP 527	History, Ethics, Form and Theory I (HEFT I)	Autumn, 1st year	3	
URBDP 520	Quantitative Methods	Autumn, 1st year	5	
URBDP 501	Comprehensive Planning & Implementation	Winter, 1st year	4	
URBDP 506	Planning Studio Prep	Winter, 1st year	3	
URBDP 528	History, Ethics, Form and Theory II (HEFT II)	Winter, 1st year	3	
URBDP 573	Digital Design	Winter, 1st year	4	
URBDP 507	Urban Planning Studio	Spring, 1st year	5	
URBDP 512	Research Seminar	Spring, 1st year	3	
URBDP 580	Legal and Administrative Framework	Spring, 1st year	3	
URBDP 518	Qualitative Methods of Planning	Autumn, 2nd year	3	
URBDP 700/547	Master's Thesis or Professional Project	2nd year	9	
OR	URBDP 598	Capstone Studio	Win/Spr, 2nd year	9
			<b>49</b>	
<b>RESTRICTED ELECTIVES</b> (see restricted electives hand out for courses meeting these requirements)				
	Advanced Methods	variable	3	
	Urban Development / Economics	variable	3	
			<b>6</b>	
<b>UNRESTRICTED ELECTIVES</b>				
Typically 5 or 6 courses, should be in area of specialization.			<b>17</b>	
<b>Total Credits Required for the MUP Program</b>			<b>72</b>	

**Specialization:** A specialization is required of all students. Specialization areas include urban design; land use and infrastructure planning; transportation planning; real estate; historic preservation planning; environmental planning; and an individualized specialization option. For students enrolled in a concurrent degree, the other field is considered as the specialization.

**Internship:** Professional experience is highly encouraged prior to completion of the degree program, although not required.

**Prerequisites:** Starting with the entering class of Autumn 2015, the MUP program will no longer require prerequisites. However, a solid understanding of basic economic principles is essential for all planners. Therefore, students should be aware that they are expected to have a foundation in microeconomics for certain courses and thus should be adequately prepared if they plan to take such a course.