



**GRADUATE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**MASTER IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (MPA)**  
Thesis (42 units) and Non-thesis (45 units) program  
Subjects offered per semester

**First Year**  
**1st semester (Non-Thesis)**

Subject code	Description	Units
PA 211	Theories, Processes & Practice in Public (Foundation)	3
PA 214	Human Behavior in Organization (Foundation)	3
PA 232	Local Government Management (Electives)*	3
PA 226	Governmental Management (Major)	3
		<b>12 units</b>

**2nd semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
PA 212	Statistical Method for Public Administration (Foundation)	3
PA 213	Research Methodology for Public Administration (Foundation)	3
PA 222	Public Personnel Administration (Major)	3
PA 234	Ethics & Accountability in Public Service (Electives)*	3
		<b>12 units</b>

**Second Year**  
**1st semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
PA 221	Ecology of Public Administration (Major)	3
PA 224	Administration of Rural Development (Major)	3
PA 223	Public Fiscal Administration (Major)	3
PA 225	Urban Planning and Development (Major)	3
		<b>12 units</b>

**2nd semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
PA 236	Trends and Issues in Public Administration (Electives)*	3
Alternative Subject for non-thesis program		
PA 241	Project development and Management	3
PA 242	Research in the Major Field	3

**Third Year**  
**1st semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
<b>Comprehensive Examination</b>		<b>(3)</b>

**(With Thesis)**  
**First Year**  
**1st semester**

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PA 211	Theories, Processes & Practice in Public (Foundation)	3
PA 214	Human Behavior in Organization (Foundation)	3
PA 232	Local Government Management (Electives)*	3
PA 226	Governmental Management (Major)	3
		<b>12 units</b>

**2nd semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
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PA 213	Research Methodology for Public Administration (Foundation)	3
PA 222	Public Personnel Administration (Major)	3
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		<b>12 units</b>

**Second Year**

**1st semester**

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PA 224	Administration of Rural Development (Major)	3
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		<b>12 units</b>

**2nd semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
Comprehensive examination		<b>(3)</b>

**Third Year**  
**1st semester**

Subject code	Description	Units
RSCH 240	Thesis Writing	6

**List of Electives**

Subject code	Description	Units
PA 231	Computer Literacy (Electronic Data Processing)	3
PA 232	Local Government Management	3
PA 233	Administrative Communication	3
PA 234	Ethics and Accountability in Public Service	3
PA 235	Human Resource and Organizational Development	3
PA 236	Trends and Issues in Public Administration	3
PA 237	Seminar on Governmental Accounting	3

\*Sample study plan. You are allowed to choose any of the following electives.