

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS with a MAJOR IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

General Requirements:

1. You must complete a minimum of 120 credit hours with a **2.00 cumulative GPA and a 2.30 GPA in core and major area courses.**
2. A limited number of courses may be transferred from other accredited institutions or be taken through I.U. Correspondence (Independent Study).
3. You may not count courses taken to meet specific SPEA degree requirements to satisfy any other SPEA degree requirement.
4. You are responsible for meeting all prerequisites prior to enrollment in classes.
5. You will receive no graduation credit for MA 109 or 113. Three (3) hours graduation credit is given for MA 149 (counted as MA 153).
6. You must complete at least 9 credits in IPFW General Education Area I, 6 credits in Areas II, III, and IV, and 3 credits in Areas V and VI. See the IPFW *Bulletin* or *Schedule of Classes* for more information about IPFW General Education requirements and a complete list of approved General Education classes, Areas I through VI.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION (53 credits)

A. Communication (9 credits)

- COM 114 Fundamentals of Speech Communication (GI)
 ENG W131 Elementary Composition (GI)

One of the following courses:

- ENG W232 Introduction to Business Writing
 ENG W233 Intermediate Expository Writing

B. Quantitative Methods (9 credits)

3 credits in computer literacy skills:

- CS 106 Introduction to Computers **or**
 BUS K211-K213 Business computer series (P: K200)

One of the following math courses:

- MA 153 Algebra & Trigonometry (GI)
 MA 213 Finite Mathematics
 MA 229 Calculus for Managerial, Social, and Biological Sciences

One of the following statistics courses:

- SPEA K300 Statistical Techniques (GI)
 SOC S351 Social Statistics
 STAT 301 Elementary Statistical Methods
 ECON E270 Intro to Statistical Theory in Business

C. Arts & Humanities (12 credits)

- HIST H105 American History I (GIII)
 HIST H106 American History II (GIII)

Two courses from at least two of the following subject areas:

Classical Studies, Communication, English, Fine Arts, Folklore, Foreign Language, History, Honors (Humanities), Music, Philosophy, Theater

D. Natural Sciences (8 credits)

Six (6) credits must be selected from the approved General Education Area II list published in the *Schedule of Classes* and the *Undergraduate Bulletin*. Other, non-area II courses may be taken with advisor approval once the area II requirement is met.

E. Social & Behavioral Sciences (15 credits)

- ECON E201 Introduction to Microeconomics
 ECON E202 Introduction to Macroeconomics
 SPEA V371 Financing Public Affairs (GVI)

Two courses from the following areas:

Anthropology, Criminal Justice, Economics, Geography (selected), Journalism, Linguistics, Political Science, Psychology (selected), Sociology, Women's Studies

2. PUBLIC AFFAIRS CORE (12 credits)

- SPEA E162 Environment and People
 SPEA H120 Contemporary Health Issues
 SPEA J101 American Criminal Justice System
 SPEA V170 Introduction to Public Affairs

3. CRIMINAL JUSTICE MAJOR (30 credits)

- SPEA J201 Theoretical Foundations of Criminal Justice
 SPEA J202 Criminal Justice Data, Methods & Resources
 SPEA J301 Substantive Criminal Law
 SPEA J306 The Criminal Courts
 SPEA J321 American Policing
 SPEA J331 Corrections
 SPEA J439 Crime & Public Policy

Three additional SPEA courses with approval of your academic advisor (9 credits)

4. IPFW General Education Distribution and General Electives

You must satisfy the IPFW General Education distribution requirement. You may not double-count SPEA requirements for IPFW General Education Area 6 requirements. See list on reverse side of this page.

IPFW General Education Distribution Requirements

