

# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS with a MAJOR IN HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

## 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, ENG W130 or R150. 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.

### Pre-SPEA (non-degree) Classification

If you have been admitted as a Pre-BSPA major, you must meet the following requirements for admission to the degree program: A cumulative GPA of 2.30 or better and completion of 30 credits, including the computer course(s) and math course; and completion of ENG W131 and the SPEA public affairs core requirement course for your major with grades of C or better. See \* below.

### Non-credit courses

No graduation credit awarded for: \_\_\_ ENG R150 \_\_\_ ENG W130  
\_\_\_ MA 109 \_\_\_ MA 113 \_\_\_ Other

## 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 168 Mathematics for the Liberal Arts (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)

Courses to be selected from the following courses:

AST A100, A105, A110; BIOL 100, 100L, 108, 109, 117, 119, 203, 204;  
CHM 111, 112, 115, 116; GEOG G107; GEOL G100, L100, S100, G103,  
G104, G108, G111, G112; PHYS 131, 132, 201, 218

## 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. HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION MAJOR (27 credits)

- \_\_\_ SPEA H320 Health Systems Administration  
\_\_\_ SPEA H322 Principles of Epidemiology  
\_\_\_ SPEA H352 Health Finance and Budgeting  
\_\_\_ SPEA H402 Hospital Administration  
\_\_\_ SPEA H411 Long Term Care Administration

One of the following courses:

- \_\_\_ SPEA H371 Human Resources Management  
\_\_\_ SPEA V366 Managing Behavior in Public Organizations  
\_\_\_ SPEA V373 Human Resources Management in the Public Sector

Three additional SPEA courses with approval of your academic advisor

## 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.

