

KEY: * = foundational; ** = advanced/in-depth	POLICY STREAM COURSES		ECONOMICS STREAM COURSES		MANAGEMENT STREAM COURSES		QUANTITATIVE METHODS COURSES	
CORE COURSES (HORIZONTAL AXIS)	PA 6000: Public Policy Formulation and Implementation	PA 6010: Legal Environment of Public Organizations	6030: Public Sector Economics	6040: Public Budgeting and Finance	6050: Managing Public Sector Organizations	6060: Managing Human Resources in Public Organizations	6070: Public Affairs Statistics	6080: Public Affairs Program Evaluation
PROGRAM LEARNING OBJECTIVES FOR FOUR CONTENT STREAMS (VERTICAL AXIS)								
POLICY PROGRAM OBJECTIVES								
Policy 1 - Understand the context of the public policy process	**	**	*	**	*		*	**
Policy 2 - Identify the basic elements of public policy process	**	**	*	**	**	*	*	**
Policy 3- Understand the legal foundations of policy and management in the public sector	*	**		*		*		
Policy 4- Impact the policy process to advance the public interest	**	**	*	**	*	**		**
Policy 5 - Draw the connections among public problems, goals, public programs, outputs, and outcomes	**	**	*	**	**	*	**	**
Policy 6 - Understand the historical foundations of public affairs (policy, admin, and management)	**	**	*	*	*	*		
Policy 7- Evaluate the connections among public problems, goals, public programs, outputs, and outcomes	**	**	*	**	*	*	**	**
Policy 8 - Understand legal reasoning	*	**		*	*	*		
Policy 9- Understand how the law can be used to achieve public goals	*	**	*	*	*	**		
ECONOMICS STREAM								
Econ 1 - Become highly educated consumers of economic information	*		**	**		*		
Econ 2 - Be able to discuss and apply private and public sector ways to address violations of the neoclassical model	*		**	**				
Econ 3 - Be able to analyze and evaluate alternative methods of revenue generation and allocation			**	**			*	*
Econ 4 - Know and apply basic budgeting tools				**		*		
MANAGEMENT STREAM								
Mgt 1- Manage and lead public organizations towards policy goals	*	*			**	**		
Mgt 2- Understand public organizations as a unit of analysis	*		*	*	**	**	*	*

