Public Policy Analysis and Management Minor

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The public policy and management minor provides students with critical, analytical, and managerial skills for careers in public affairs including citizen activism and advocacy, appointed and elected public office, community development, and public affairs journalism. Based on core contributions from political science and economics, the minor is also interdisciplinary in nature, encouraging students to develop content specializations and field experience in a variety of departments.

Requirements for the Minor in Public Policy Analysis and Management

A total of five course units are required for the minor, three core courses and a specialty consisting of a course and an internship in a designated content area.

**Core:** three courses required
POL  110/American Government
POL  300/Politics and Public Management
POL  305/American Public Policy

**Specialty:** one substantive course and a one-course equivalent internship in the same area.

The student will undertake the internship for a minimum of one unit in the same department or program as the substantive course (exceptions may be granted). Current specialties include:

**Law Policy**
LWJ  498/Senior Capstone in Policy Analysis
*Prerequisite:* LWJ 300

**Environmental Policy**
ECO  350/Economics of Environmental Quality
*Prerequisite:* ECO 101

**Urban Policy**
SOC  355/Introduction to Urban Planning
or
POL  318/Politics of Community Change

**Gender Policy**
WGS  330/Gender and Public Policy