



ROBERTSON SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT

Master of Public  
Administration (M.P.A.)  
*Concentration in Healthcare  
Policy & Ethics*

Fall 2018 Academic Degree Plan

<b><u>GETTING STARTED (Required Co-requisites)</u></b>		<b><u>Hrs</u></b>	<b><u>Sem</u></b>	<b><u>Grade</u></b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	UNIV 500 Regent Foundations for Graduate Success <sub>1</sub>	2	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	UNIV LIB Information Research and Resources <sub>1</sub>	0	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL 500 Graduate Academic Writing Success <sub>1</sub>	0	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 511 Career Management	0	___	___
<b><u>CORE COURSES (24 hours)</u></b>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 602 Principles of Economics	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 603 Research Methods <sub>2</sub>	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 604 Christian Foundations of Government <sub>2</sub>	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 623 Public Policy Initiatives	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 630 Public Human Resources Management	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 634 Public Budgeting and Taxation Policy	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 670 Principles of Public Administration <sub>2</sub>	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 671 Organizational Theory	3	___	___
<b><u>CONCENTRATION COURSES (9 hours)</u></b>				
<i>Choose three of the following courses</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 608 Public Information Systems Management	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 609 Critical Infrastructure Protection and Resilience	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 683 Healthcare Policy & Ethics	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 684 Health Care Law	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 688 Health Care Administration	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	HLTH 606 Managing Change in Health Care Organizations	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	HLTH 607 Healthcare Finance	3	___	___
<b><u>CULMINATING EXPERIENCE (3 hours)</u></b>				
<i>Choose one of the following options<sub>3</sub></i>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV ___ Elective	3	___	___
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 695 Internship	3	___	___
<b><u>CAPSTONE (1 hour)</u></b>				
<input type="checkbox"/>	GOV 597 MPA Capstone	1	___	___

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**TOTAL HOURS 37+**

**Graduation Requirements**

Complete 37 credit hours.

Degree must be completed within 5 years.

Maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 .

Only courses in which a student receives a **B - or better** will count toward a degree or certificate in the Robertson School of Government.

**Notes**

<sup>1</sup>Students are registered for UNIV 500 based on their admissions writing sample score. Students are required to take UNIV LIB and ENGL 500 but both courses are waived if a student successfully completes UNIV 500.

<sup>2</sup>Recommended to take during first or second semester.

<sup>3</sup>Approval required from Academic Advisor.

The limit for the number of credits accepted by Advanced Standing and transfer is forty-nine percent of total degree requirements, which for the MPA program is 18 credit hours.

*The mission of the MPA program is to equip Christian servant leaders with exceptional character and competence to promote the public interest.*

### SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE - 2 ½ YEAR PLAN

#### Fall Term 1

UNIV 500	2
UNIV LIB	0
ENGL 500	0
GOV 603	3
GOV 604	3
Total	6 to 8

#### Spring Term 1

GOV 623	3
GOV 670	3
Total	6

#### Summer Term 1

GOV 602	3
GOV 511	0
Total	3

#### Fall Term 2

GOV 671	3
GOV 630	3
Total	6

#### Spring Term 2

GOV 634	3
Concentration Course	3
Total	6

#### Summer Term 2

Elective or GOV 695	3
Total	3

#### Fall Term 3

Concentration Course	3
Concentration Course	3
GOV 597	1
Total	7

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