



Nelson Mandela College of Government and Social Sciences  
Ph.D. in Public Policy  
Traditional Curriculum (Generalist)

- Core Courses (Theory and Methods) | 30.00 Credit Hours
- Electives | 6.00 Credit Hours
- Dissertation Research | 12.00 Credit Hours

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ U# \_\_\_\_\_

Plan of Study

Course Rubric and Number	Course	Type	Credit Hours	Semester & Year Taken	Grade Earned
PPOL 700	Quantitative Methods I	Core	3.00		
PPOL 702	Quantitative Methods II	Core	3.00		
PPOL 704	Research Methods	Core	3.00		
PPOL 706	Program Evaluation and Design	Core	3.00		
PPOL 708	Program Implementation	Core	3.00		
PPOL 710	Microeconomics	Core	3.00		
PPOL 712	Macroeconomics	Core	3.00		
PPOL 714	Foundations of Public Policy	Core	3.00		
PPOL 716	Political Philosophy and Public Policy	Core	3.00		
PPOL 718	Political and Social Institutions	Core	3.00		
		Elective	3.00		
		Elective	3.00		
PPOL 850	Dissertation Research	DR			
PPOL 850	Dissertation Research	DR			
PPOL 850	Dissertation Research	DR			
PPOL 850	Dissertation Research	DR			

**Total Program Hours | 48.00 Credit Hours for Generalist**

**Elective and Concentration Courses | 6.00 Credit Hours**

Students have the option to select any PPOL course that is NOT a CORE course for credit. Students must take 6.00 credit hours of elective offerings.

**Dissertation | 12.00 Credit Hours**

All doctoral students must successfully complete 12.00 credit hours of Dissertation Research to satisfy the degree requirement.

Advisement Notes/Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_