

Cleveland State University
College of Urban Affairs
Bachelor of Arts in Urban Studies
Concentrations in Urban and Regional Planning, Public Management, Environmental Policy and Management, or GIS and Applications

First Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
ASC 101 Intro to University Life	1		INTRO	ENG 102 College Writing II	3		W/C
ENG 101 College Writing I	3		W/C	Non-US Arts & Humanities Elective	3		A&H
UST 200 Intro to Urban Studies	3	X	SS	UST 259 Natural History of Cleveland (Lab)	4		NS
UST 289 Physical Geography	3		NS	MTH 116 Foundations of Quant Lit	3		M/QL
UST 250/Arts & Humanities Elective	3		A&H	General Elective*	3		
<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>13</i>			<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>16</i>		

Second Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
Foreign Language 101/General Elective*	3			Foreign Language 102/General Elective*	3		
UST 206/Non-US Social Sci Elective (AALAME)	3		SS	UST 290 Urban Geography	3	X	WAC
UST 404 Urban Data Analysis	4	X	M/QL	US Diversity Elective	3		DIV
General Elective*	3			Social Science Elective	3		SS
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3		
<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>16</i>			<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>15</i>		

Third Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
UST 300 Economics of Policy Analysis	3	X		UST 405 Methods of Research & Evaluation	3	X	
UST 302 Contemporary Urban Issues	3	X	WAC/DIV	Urban Studies Major Track requirement	3	X	
Urban Studies Major Track requirement	3	X		Urban Studies Major Track elective	3	X	
General Elective	3			General Elective*	3		
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3		
<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>15</i>			<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>15</i>		

Fourth Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed
UST 458 Urban Policy Analysis	3	X	WAC	UST 489 Advanced Senior Seminar	3	X	CAP
Urban Studies Major Track elective	3	X		UST 490 Urban Internship	4	X	
Urban Studies Major Track elective	3	X		Urban Studies Major Track elective	3	X	
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3		
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3		
Apply for Spring graduation prior to Sep 9th							
<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>15</i>			<i>Semester Total</i>	<i>16</i>		

Degree Total: 120 hours

Assumptions: college-level readiness in MTH & ENG; no Foreign Language Deficiency

College/ Program Notes:

The plan above is a suggested guide to ensure that all General Education, College, University, and Major requirements are met within 4 years of study. Students may deviate from the suggested placement of Gen Ed courses, although the M/QL and W/C requirements should be completed during the first year of study.

*General Electives ensure that a student accumulates the minimum credit hour totals needed for graduation. Students must have a **minimum of 120 total credit hours**, of which a **minimum of 36 credit hours** must be upper division (300 or 400-level courses). Depending upon other elective choices made, students may not need as many general electives as indicated above, or may need additional electives.

University Notes:

Gen Ed Key:	
INTRO = Introduction to University Life Requirement (one course)	SS = Social Sciences Requirement (2 courses, one of which must be focused outside the US**)
W/C = Writing/Composition Requirement (two courses; C or better required)	A&H = Arts & Humanities Requirement (2 courses, one must be focused outside the US**)
M/QL = Mathematics/Quantitative Literacy Requirement (two courses)	DIV = Social Diversity Requirement (2 courses; one US Diversity and one African American Exp.)
NS = Natural Sciences (two courses, one of which must have a lab)	WAC/SPAC = Writing/Speaking Across the Curriculum Requirement (3 courses, one in the major)
** of the SS and A&H courses focused outside the US, one must be focused on Africa, Latin America, Asia or the Middle East (ALAAME)	CAP = Capstone Requirement

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