

# URBAN PLANNING, MUP JOINT DEGREES

for the degree of Master of Urban Planning and any other approved Master's degree

Candidates may propose joint programs combining the M.U.P. with other UIUC master's degrees (for example, but not limited to, Agriculture and Applied Economics, Civil Engineering, Geography, Public Health, Recreation, Sports and Tourism, Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences, African Studies, Economics, Latin American Studies, and Library and Information Sciences).

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## Master of Urban Planning in Urban Planning requirements

Code	Title	Hours
UP 501	Planning History and Theory	4
UP 503	Physical Planning	4
UP 504	Urban History and Theory	4
UP 505	Urban and Regional Analysis	2
UP 510	Plan Making	4
UP 511	Law and Planning	4
UP 590	Professional Internship (reduces the hours needed to graduate by 4)	0
Recommended concentration/electives		32

### Non-Thesis Option

UP 591	Capstone Seminar (enrollment required for 0 hours one term & 4 hours one term)	4
UP 598	Master's Project (min/max applied toward degree)	4

### Thesis Option

UP 591	Capstone Seminar (enrollment required for two semesters)	0
UP 599	Thesis Research (min/max applied toward degree)	8

**Total Hours** 64

## Other MA/MS requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Thesis Or Non-Thesis Option		
Meet all requirements of degree		
Minimum Hours		40

## Other requirements for Joint MA/MS and MUP degrees

Requirement	Description
Other requirements may overlap	
Students must be in residence in Urban Planning for at least two semesters.	
Minimum Hours Required Within UP: 40	
Minimum 500-level Hours Required	16 (12 in UP)
Overall:	
The MUP capstone requirement may be waived for a thesis completed in another program provided faculty from both programs participate on the thesis committee.	
Minimum GPA: 3.0 or GPA of other MA/MS program, if higher than 3.0	

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Total Minimum Hours</b>		<b>80</b>
The two programs must total a minimum of (a) 80 hours, or (b) the sum of 40 Urban Planning hours plus the required number of hours for the second degree, whichever is greater. (In the latter case, the other program may at its discretion count up to 8 hours of Urban Planning courses as electives in meeting its degree requirements as long as students are required to take no fewer than 40 additional hours in that program.)		

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## Graduate Degree Programs in Urban Planning

Sustainable Urban Management, MS (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/sustainable-urban-management-ms/>)  
 Urban Planning, MUP (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/urban-planning-mup/>)  
 Regional Planning, PhD (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/regional-planning-phd/>)

### Joint programs:

Urban Planning, MUP & (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/joint-degree/architecture-march-urban-planning-mup/>) Architecture, MARCH (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/joint-degree/architecture-march-urban-planning-mup/>)  
 Urban Planning, MUP & Law, JD ([http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa\\_law/joint-degree/urban-planning-mup-law-jd/](http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa_law/joint-degree/urban-planning-mup-law-jd/))  
 Urban Planning, MUP & Landscape Architecture, MLA (<http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/faa/joint-degree/landscape-architecture-mla-urban-planning-mup/>)  
 Urban Planning, MUP & Public Health, MPH ([http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs\\_faa/joint-degree/public-health-mp-urban-planning-mup/](http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/ahs_faa/joint-degree/public-health-mp-urban-planning-mup/))  
 Urban Planning, MUP & any Illinois master's degree in related field (p. 1)

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**College of Fine & Applied Arts**

College of Fine & Applied Arts website (<https://faa.illinois.edu/>)

**Admissions**

MUP Admissions & Requirements (<https://urban.illinois.edu/prospective-students/admissions/master-of-urban-planning/admissions-criteria/>)

Overview of Grad College Admissions & Requirements (<https://grad.illinois.edu/admissions/apply/>)