PUBLIC POLICY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

1. Lower-division requirements: 6 COURSES (at least 24 units)

The following core courses are required of all students enrolled in the public policy major. These courses can be used to satisfy college breadth requirements with the exception of PBPL 001, which only counts toward the major.

- PBPL 001
- POSC 010 or POSC 015
- ECON 003
- PHIL 002 or PHIL 003
- HIST 017B or HIST 020
- One from: ECON 005, PSYC 011, SOC 005, STAT 040

2. Upper-division requirements:

- 10 COURSES chosen from two tracks, with no more than seven (7) courses from one track

   **Health & Population Track**
   - ANTH 147/WMST 140
   - ANTH 160
   - ECON 129
   - ECON 156
   - ECON 183
   - ECON /SWSC /MCBL 141
   - ETST 116/HISA 147
   - POSC 180
   - PSYC 178
   - SOC 137
   - WMST 140/ANTH 147

   **Social, Cultural & Family Policy Track**
   - ANTH 109/WMST 109
   - ANTH 148/WMST 150
   - ECON 122E
   - ECON 155/WMST 155
   - ECON 159
   - EDUC 114
   - EDUC 132/POSC 132
   - ETST 126
   - ETST 139
   - ETST 146/EDUC 146
   - ETST 156
   - MCS 133/SOC 138
   - MCS 139/SOC 139
   - MCS 171/SPN 171
   - PHIL 168/WMST 141
   - PHIL 108/WMST 108
   - POSC 146
   - PSYC 165
   - PSYC 167/ETST 167
   - PSYC 168/ETST 168
   - SOC 120
   - SOC 130
   - SOC 139/MCS 139
   - SOC 143/URST 143
   - SOC 144
   - SOC 160
   - SOC 161
   - SOC 183P
   - WMST 109/ANTH 109
   - WMST 150/ANTH 148
   - WMST 155/EDUC 155
   - WMST 164/ANTH 164

   **Economic Policy Track**
   - ECON 132
   - ECON 135
   - ECON 117/PHIL 119
   - ECON 118
   - ECON 152/BUS 152
   - ECON 153/BUS 153
   - ECON 160/BUS 160
   - ETST 109F
   - ETST 126
   - ETST 139
   - ETST 146/EDUC 146
   - ETST 156
   - MCS 133/SOC 138
   - POSC 164
   - POSC 182
   - POSC 186
   - PHIL 116
Urban/Environmental Policy Track

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1. Public Policy Seminar/Colloquia: PBPL 191 (2 units)
   Students must complete one quarter of PBPL 191 in their junior or senior year. **PBPL 191 (Seminar in Public Policy)** includes attendance at public lectures to the campus community given by outside speakers—typically policy makers, administrators and researchers—on timely and important policy issues facing the inland empire, the state, the nation, and the world. All work is completed via I-Learn and email. The seminar is two units graded Satisfactory/No Credit.

2. Domestic or International Policy Practicum: PBPL 198-I
   In the third or fourth year of the program (or during the summer between the third and fourth years), students must undertake a policy practicum (PBPL 198-I), which consists of an internship (paid or voluntary) on a policy issue or problem with a local, state or federal government agency, nonprofit or for-profit organization, a trade association, labor trade union, or a public-affairs firm. Students enrolled in the UCR Washington DC Academic Program, the UC Center at Sacramento Academic Program or the Education Abroad Program can apply that experience toward the policy practicum requirement, and do not need to undertake a separate internship.

3. Senior Thesis (for Honors candidates only): PBPL 195-H
   Students who have an outstanding academic record in their course work during the first three years of the program can become candidates for Honors in Public Policy during the spring quarter of their junior year. All honors candidates must enroll in a two quarter senior thesis seminar (PBPL 195H) that will culminate in a written thesis covering a real policy problem of the student’s choice. The thesis project could grow out of the practicum experience.