

**University of the Philippines Cebu**  
**College of Social Sciences**

**Master in Public Affairs (MPAf) with specialization in Agrarian and Rurban Development Studies**

2024 Curriculum, Approved during the 1389th UP BOR meeting on 26 April 2024

**Study Plan**

Effective First Semester AY 2024-2025



<b>First Year, First Semester</b>				
Core	PAf 201	Political Economy of Public Affairs	3	none
Core	PAf 203	Data Analysis and Modelling for Public Affairs	4	none
Core	PAf 204	Ethics in Public Affairs	3	none
Core	DM 224	Public Affairs Management in Development	3	none
Specialization	AGRS 299	Graduate Seminar	1	none

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<b>First Year, Second Semester</b>				
Specialization	ARDS 201	Social Dynamics of Agrarian and Rurban Institutions	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
Specialization	AGRS 211	Economics of Agrarian Reform	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
Specialization	AGRS 291	Special Topics	2	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
Specialization	Elective	Elective	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
Specialization	Elective	Elective	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299

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<b>Midyear</b>				
Specialization	AGRS 298	Field Studies	3	ARDS 201, AGRS 211, AGRS 291, 2 Electives

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**Total Required Units 31**

**Final Examination** After the student completes field studies, s/he will be allowed to take the final exam (oral examination). This will be the last requirement for graduation.

<b>ELECTIVE COURSES</b>				
	AECO 251	Agricultural Programs for Economic Development	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
	AGRS 221	Legislation and Administration of Agrarian Reform Programs	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299
	DM 220	Public Policy and Program Administration and Development	3	PAf 201, PAf 203, PAf 204, DM 224, AGRS 299

Core	13
Specialization	12
Electives	6
<b>TOTAL UNITS</b>	<b>31</b>