

## CHANGE MASTERS DEGREE PROGRAM FORM

### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

College: Graduate School Department: Martin School of Public Policy & Administration

Current Major Name: Proposed Major Name:

Current Degree Title: Master of Public Policy Proposed Degree Title: same

Formal Option(s): Requires PA 650 + 1 area of concentration class. Proposed Formal Option(s): Requires 2 area of concentration classes.

Specialty Fields w/in Formal Option: Education Policy, Health Policy, Tax Policy, etc. Proposed Specialty Fields w/in Formal Options: Same - Environmental Policy, Agriculture Policy, etc.

Date of Contact with Associate Provost for Academic Administration<sup>1</sup>:

Bulletin (yr & pgs): pp312-314 Grad. S10 CIP Code<sup>1</sup>: 44.999 Today's Date: 9/20/2010

Accrediting Agency (if applicable): Not yet accredited - too recent

Requested Effective Date:  Semester following approval. OR  Specific Date<sup>2</sup>: Fall 2010

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### 2. CHANGE(S) IN PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
1.	Number of transfer credits allowed <i>(Maximum is Graduate School limit of 9 hours or 25% of course work)</i>	
2.	Residence requirement (if applicable)	
3.	Language(s) and/or skill(s) required	
4.	Termination criteria	
5.	Plan A Degree Plan requirements <sup>3</sup> (thesis)	
6.	Plan B Degree Plan requirements <sup>3</sup> (non-thesis)	
7.	Distribution of course levels required <i>(At least one-half must be at 600 level &amp; two-thirds must be in organized courses.)</i>	
8.	Required courses (if applicable)	
	PA 650	<i>Drop PA 650, instead take a second course in a policy area</i>
	STA 671 Regression and Correlation and STA 672 Design and	<i>Drop STA 671 &amp; 672. Instead, take PA 621</i>

<sup>1</sup> Prior to filling out this form, you MUST contact the Associate Provost for Academic Administration (APAA). If you do not know the CIP code, the APAA can provide you with that during the contact.

<sup>2</sup> Program changes are typically made effective for the semester following approval. No changes will be made effective until all approvals are received.

<sup>3</sup> If there is only one plan for the degree, plans involving a track (or the equivalent in multiple work, etc.) should be discussed under Plan A and those not involving a track should be discussed under Plan B.

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Analysis of Experiments &  
672

*Quantitative Methods of  
Research and PA 795,  
Quantitative Methods for  
Public Policy*

9. Required distribution of courses within program (if applicable)
- Administrative Core: 31 hours  
Area of Specialization: 3 hrs.
- Administrative Core: 28 hrs.  
Area of Specialization: 6 hours*
10. Final examination requirements
11. Explain whether the proposed changes to the program (as described in sections 1 to 10) involve courses offered by another department/program. Routing Signature Log must include approval by faculty of additional department(s).
- Small drop in enrollment in STA 671 & 672.
12. List any other requirements not covered above?
13. Please explain the rationale for changes. If the rationale involves accreditation requirements, please include specific references to those requirements.
- The PA 650 has evolved into a PHD level course (PA 750) that is less suitable for MPP students. We also wanted to provide MPP students a choice for an additional elective policy course within their area of concentration.

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Signature Routing Log

**General Information:**



Proposal Name: MPP - Drop PA 650, STA 671, STA 672

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Identify the groups or individuals reviewing the proposal; note the date of approval; offer a contact person for each entry; and obtain signature of person authorized to report approval.

**Internal College Approvals and Course Cross-listing Approvals:**

Reviewing Group	Date Approved	Contact Person (name/phone/email)	Signature
William Hoyt (Director)	9/20/10	William Hoyt 17-2518 whoyt@uky.edu	
Dwight Denison DGS	9/20/10	DWIGHT DENISON 7-5742 ddenison@uky.edu	
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**External-to-College Approvals:**

Council	Date Approved	Signature	Approval of Revision <sup>4</sup>
Undergraduate Council			
Graduate Council			
Health Care Colleges Council			
Senate Council Approval		University Senate Approval	

Comments:

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<sup>4</sup> Councils use this space to indicate approval of revisions made subsequent to that council's approval, if deemed necessary by the revising council.