

MGPS Pre-Approved Specialization Courses for Fall 2017

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** IMPORTANT NOTES **

- Please note that this is not a comprehensive or final list. Please check the Registrar's site for updates and crosscheck unique numbers before registration.
- Remember that only graduate-level courses may count toward your MGPS degree, and that only courses taken for a letter grade may count toward your specialization.
- If you find a class in the Summer or Fall 2017 timetables that is not on this list, but you think it may count toward your specialization, please send an email to your Advisor, Dr. Lorinc Redei (lredei@austin.utexas.edu) AND the specialization coordinator (listed below). In cases where the title does not provide sufficient information to determine the fit with a specialization, you should contact the professor and get a course description or a syllabus, and attach that information to your message.
- On an ad hoc basis, your Advisor may consider approving courses for your specialization that are skills-focused but not inherently relevant to policy, if at least 50% of the course grade is determined by work that has direct relevance to your specialization. You must prove this both before registering for the course (by confirming that at least 50% of your grade will come from assignments directly addressing your specialization) and after you complete the course (by turning in the work to your Advisor after the course is over to verify the relevance to your specialization).
- If you are considering taking classes in another department, which are not cross-listed with LJB, please:
 - Check prerequisite requirements (especially important for business school and economics);
 - Check to see if permission of instructor is needed prior to registration;
 - Check if it is a Law School class—if so, you can only register via a paper form (see OSAA);
 - Check for registration restrictions: many courses in other schools and departments are restricted for three days during registration. Keep this in mind when planning your schedule.
- If you are trying to find one-credit courses to round out your specialization requirements, and coming up short, please see your Advisor. Please note that the PA188S courses (the UT Energy Symposium with Dr. Beach and the Public Policy Lecture Series with Dr. Stolp) can only be taken on a CR/NC basis and cannot be applied to your specialization. There are likely to be more one-credit courses offered in the spring.
- For all of you with custom specializations, please consult with your Advisor before assuming that any course would count toward your self-designed specialization.

Specialization Coordinators:

Security, Law and Diplomacy:	Dr. Jeremi Suri (suri@austin.utexas.edu)
International Development:	Dr. Kate Weaver (ceweaver@utexas.edu)
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LBJ School Summer Courses in 2017

PA383C (89875) Shaping Defense Policy (SUMMER 2017), TTh 6-9:45 pm (Dorn)
PA388L (89895) Perspectives on Philanthropy (SUMMER 2017), MW 6-9:45 pm (Gladish)

Fall 2017 Courses by Pre-Approved Specialization

Security, Law & Diplomacy

PA280L (60657) Cybersecurity Foundations: Intro to Technology, M 3:45-5:45pm (TBD)
PA280L (60656) Cybersecurity Foundations: Intro to Law & Policy, W 3:45-5:45pm (Chesney)
PA383C (60775) Shaping Defense Policy, W 9am-12pm (Dorn)
PA383C (60765)/LAW371R, Perspectives on Public Policy, F 9am-12pm (Inman)
PA388K (60885) Environmental Security, T 9am-12pm (Busby)
PA388K (60835)/GOV 390L/ANS391, China and the World, W 9am-12pm (Eisenman)
PA388K (60840) US Immigration, W 6-9pm (DeFrancesco)
PA388K (60860)/HIS380L/MES385, European Imperialism: Modern Middle East, Th 5-8pm (Louis)
PA388K (60870)/LAW397S, Intelligence and National Security, W 2-5pm (Slick)
PA388K (60865)/HIS381, Foreign Policy Strategy & Decision-Making, T 9am-12pm (Suri)
PA388K (60890) The Law of the Intelligence Community, MW 2:15-3:30pm (Chesney)
GOV388L (38945) International Security, M 9:30am-12:30pm (Wolford)
GOV390L (38965)/MES384/LAS384L, Military in Politics, M 3:30-6:30pm (Barany)
ME389C (18545) Nuclear Environmental Protection, TTh 2-3:30pm (Landsberger)

International Development

PA383C (60785)/WGS393, Women, Politics, and Public Policy, T 9am-12pm (Rodriguez)
PA388K (TBD) World Food System 1450-2050, M 6-9pm (Patel)
PA388K (60875) International Development, W 2-5pm (Lentz)
PA388K (60900)/SW395K/LAS381/SOC396L, NGOs in the Developing World, M 3-6pm (Angel)
PA388K (60835)/GOV 390L/ANS391, China and the World, W 9am-12pm (Eisenman)
PA388K (TBD)/LAW397S, Labor, Inequality and Human Rights, M 4-6pm, (Engle)
PA397C (60960)/GOV385L, Evaluation Methods in Global Development, M 9am-12pm (Weaver)
GRG395D (37550)/LAS388 Latin American Cultures, Environment & Development, M 7-10pm (Knapp)
GRG396T (37560)/LAS388/WGS393, Gender and Migration, Th 4-7pm (Torres)
LAS381 (40550)/SOC389K/MAS392, International Migration, W 3-6pm (Rodriguez)
SOC389K (45555) Education in International Context, Th3-6pm (Marteleteo)

Global Governance and International Law

PA383C (60785)/WGS393, Women, Politics, and Public Policy, T 9am-12pm (Rodriguez)
PA388K (60835)/GOV 390L/ANS391, China and the World, W 9am-12pm (Eisenman)
PA388K (60860)/HIS380L/MES385, European Imperialism: Modern Middle East, Th 5-8pm (Louis)
PA388K (60865)/HIS381, Foreign Policy Strategy & Decision-Making, T 9am-12pm (Suri)
GRG396T (37560)/LAS388/WGS393, Gender and Migration, Th 4-7pm (Torres)
GRG395D (37550)/LAS388 Latin American Cultures, Environment & Development, M 7-10pm (Knapp)
GOV388L (38950) International Political Economy, T 9:30am-12:30pm (Wellhausen)
HIS381 (39735)/RS390T/MES385, Islam in Europe and America, T 3:30-6:30pm (Spellberg)
LAS381 (40550)/SOC389K/MAS392, International Migration, W 3-6pm (Rodriguez)
LAW382C (29470) Immigration and Citizenship, MTW 10:30-11:30am (Churgin)
LAW382D (29475) International Trade, MW 11:45am-1:15pm (Hansen)
LAW397S (29825) Law of US-Mexico Border, W 3:45-5:45pm (Hansen)
LAW379M (29300) Human Rights in Latin America, TTh 2:15-3:30pm (Dulitzky)

Energy, Environment and Technology

PA388K (60885) Environmental Security, T 9am-12pm (Busby)
PA388K (60850) Markets for Electricity, M 5:15-8:15pm (Zarnikau)
BGS380 (03310)/CE397/EE394V/LAW397S, Energy Development & Policy, T 3:45-5:45pm (Adelman)
EER396 (26535)/CHE384T (14765) Energy Technology and Policy, TTh 2-3:30pm (Beach)
CE385G (15550) Transboundary Water Resources, TTh 12:30-2pm (McKinney)
CE397 (15680) Climate Change Mitigation, MW 10am-12pm (Apte)
CRP383 3 (01590)/LAR385 Environmental Impact Assessment, MW 11am-12:30pm (Paterson)
CRP383 4 (01592) Disasters/Resilience: Planning and Response, W 3-6pm (Paterson)
LAW390 (29540) Oil and Gas TWTh 10:30-11:45am (Smith)
LAW397S (29795) Energy Law and Policy, T 7-9pm (Hays)
LAW397S (29820) Intellectual Property and Technology Policy, M 3:45-5:45pm (Golden)
LAW341L (28915) Environmental Law, MTW 8-9am (Adelman)
LAW341L (28920) Environmental Law & Natural Resources, TWTh 9-10am (Taylor)
LAW379M (29305) International Petroleum Transactions, MT 2:15-3:30pm (Anderson)
ME389C (18545) Nuclear Environmental Protection, TTh 2-3:30pm (Landsberger)
FIN394-8 (03915) Financial Strategy for Energy Firms, MW 2-3:30pm (Butler)

International Finance and Trade

PA387K (60825)/BGS380D, Strategic Corporate Responsibility, TTh 12:30-2pm (Richter)
PA388K (60850) Markets for Electricity, M 5:15-8:15pm (Zarnikau)
PA388K (TBD)/LAW397S, Labor, Inequality and Human Rights, M 4-6pm, (Engle)
BGS380D (03320)/LAW379M, Law/Econ Capital Markets/Financial Integration, TTh 11am-12:30pm (Spindler)
BGS381 (03350) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 12:30-2:00pm (Pedersen)
BGS381 (03355) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 2:00-3:30pm (Pedersen)
BGS381 (03360) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 8-9:30am (Pedersen)
GOV388L (38950) International Political Economy, T 9:30am-12:30pm (Wellhausen)
LAW382D (29475) International Trade, MW 11:45am-1:15pm (Hansen)
LAW335J (28885) International Commercial Arbitration, M 3:45-7:00pm (Loftis, Deutsch & Tyler)
FIN394-8 (03915) Financial Strategy for Energy Firms, MW 2-3:30pm (Butler)
FIN394-1 (03910) Advanced Corporate Finance, TTh 9:30-11am (Schneider)
ECO395L (34580/34585/34590) International Economics, TTh 11am-12:30pm (Mostashari)
MAN385-33 (05105) Management & Marketing in Global Arena, W 3:30-6:30pm (Doggett)
RM395-7 (04660) Managing International Risk, TTh 8-9am (Brockett)

Other Highlighted Courses

PA383C (60770) Politics of Public Policy, W 2-5pm (Hutchings)
PA388K (60880)/CRP386, Intro to Geographical Information Systems, M 1-3pm, Th 6-9pm (Ogren)
PA388L (60940) Managing Overseas Operations, Th 9am-12pm (Engle)
PA388L (0950) Principles and Practices of Effective Leadership, W 2-5pm (Prince)
LAW381S (29465) Mediation, MW 11:45am-1:15pm (Wright)
LAW School Clinical Programs (for instance, on Human Rights or Transnational Workers' Rights)
(available only on a CR/NC basis)

Other UT departments with likely graduate courses in your areas of interest include:

Anthropology/Business, Government and Society/Community & Regional Planning/Economics/
Energy and Earth Resources/Finance/Government/History/Law/Sociology/Statistics and Data
Sciences/Women's and Gender Studies/& the various regional studies departments around campus.