

MGPS Pre-approved Specialization Courses for Spring 2023

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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.
- Reminder: you will need to complete **15 credit hours' worth of coursework in your field of specialization** for your LBJ degree, whether or not you are a dual degree student (except Law and Business dual degrees). Only graduate-level courses may count toward your GPS degree. Courses must have sufficient **international and policy relevant content to count toward your degree**. When in doubt, ask your GPS Advisor, Dr. Lorinc Redei (lredei@austin.utexas.edu).
- If you find **a class in this timetable that is not on this list**, but you think it may count towards one of the specializations, please send an email to your GPS Advisor. In cases where the title does not provide sufficient information to determine fit with a specialization, you should contact the professor and get a course description or a syllabus, and attach that information to your message.
- The GPS Advisor may consider **approving some courses to count toward your specialization on an ad hoc basis**, 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** signing up for the course (by confirming that 50% of your graded assignments will be relevant to your specialization, and making sure this fits the course requirements in the syllabus) and **after** you complete the course (by turning in the work after the course is over to seek approval from your GPS Advisor to apply the course to your specialization).
- For all of you with custom specializations, please consult with your GPS Advisor before assuming that any course would count toward your self-designed specialization.
- If you are considering taking **classes in another department**, 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's a Law School class—if so, there is paperwork involved: see your GPS Advisor;
 - If you intend to graduate in May 2023, please note that taking a Law School course (under a Law School course number) may delay your graduation, since the Law School has later grade submission deadlines than the rest of UT Austin. In order to avoid this problem, please **consult with your GPS Advisor before signing up for a Law School course**.
 - 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.
- Please note that registration for certain LBJ courses that are part of the MPAff core requirements is restricted to MPAff students only. Some courses are restricted to MPAff students for the first three days, and open up to you afterwards. Contact your GPS Advisor in case you have any questions.
- **All of you who are currently in a PRP** will be registered by OSAA for the 2nd half of the same PRP section.

Security, Law & Diplomacy

PA188K / LAW 189T Cyber Incident Response (60204, Liebermann) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA188L / LAW189T Cyberspace: Digital Domain (60374, Martin) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA188L / LAW196V Cybersecurity Risk Management (60395, Crane) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA288L / LAW296W Space Law: International Cooperation & Competition (60379, Howard) 2-CREDIT COURSE
LAW296V International Law of Cyber Conflict (29410, Schmitt) 2-CREDIT COURSE
PA388K Chinese Politics and Foreign Policy (60225, Greitens)
PA388K Covert Action and US National Security (60230, Slick)
PA388K / BGS380 / LAW389T Cybersecurity Technology (60240, Nielson)
PA388K Ethics and International Affairs (60260, Inboden)
PA388K Ethnic Conflict and Humanitarian Intervention (60265, Kuperman)
PA388K /REE387 The European Union in the World (60270, Redei)
PA388K Health and Global Security (60275, Angel)
PA388K / HIS381 International History since 1898 (60290, Suri)
PA388K / LAW389R National Security Law: Counterterrorism (60305, Klein)
PA388K Nuclear Nonproliferation Policy (60308, Kuperman)
PA388K Health and Global Security (60275, Angel)
PA388K / LAW379M Terror & Consent: Constitutional & International Law (60339, Bobbitt)
PA388K / LAW391F / CRP383 / CE397 / EER396 Water Law (60360, Cohen)
PA388K / LAW397S / INF385T Propaganda, Technology, and Law (60325, Jones)
GOV388L International Security (38435, Wolford)
LAW382Q International Human Rights Law (28890, Engle)
LAW397S Refugee Law & Policy (29800, Gilman)
ME388H Nuclear Safety & Security (19340, Haas)

International Development

PA383C Disaster Planning and Recovery (60105, TBC)
PA388K Health and Global Security (60275, Angel)
PA393L Development Economics (60470, Fabregas)*
PA393L Inequality and Economic Development (60485, Galbraith)
PA397C Impact Evaluation Methods for Global Development (Part II) (60505, Fabregas)
PA388K / CRP383 / LAR385 Planning for Disaster (60310, Paterson)
LAS381 / SOC396L Social Inequality and Education (39620, Marteleto)
LAW382Q International Human Rights Law (28890, Engle)
LAW397S Refugee Law & Policy (29800, Gilman)

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Global Governance and International Law

PA188S / LAW196V Crypto Law and Policy (60390, Kian) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA188L / LAW189T Cyberspace: Digital Domain (60374, Martin) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA288L / LAW296W Space Law: International Cooperation & Competition (60379, Howard) 2-CREDIT COURSE
LAW288E US & EU Privacy Law and Personal Data Protection (29165, Huffman) 2-CREDIT COURSE
PA388K / BGS380 / LAW389T Cybersecurity Technology (60240, Nielson)
PA388K Ethics and International Affairs (60260, Inboden)
PA388K The European Union in the World (60270, Redei)
PA388K / LAW379M Terror & Consent: Constitutional & International Law (60339, Bobbitt)
PA388K / LAW391F / CRP383 / CE397 / EER396 Water Law (60360, Cohen)
PA388K / LAW397S / INF385T Propaganda, Technology, and Law (60325, Jones)
LAW382Q International Human Rights Law (28890, Engle)
LAW383S International Criminal Law (28945, Jinks)
LAW397S Admiralty and Maritime Law (29650, Jackson)
LAW397S Refugee Law & Policy (29800, Gilman)

Energy, Environment and Technology

PA288K / LAW296W Regulation of Emerging Technology (60203, Schwartz) 2-CREDIT COURSE
PA380L / LAW397S / CRP383 Climate Change (60069, Cohen)
PA383C Disaster Planning and Recovery (60105, TBC)
PA388K Energy Law: Regulating Energy Markets (60245, Spence)
PA388K / EER396 / ME382Q / CHE384T Energy Technology and Policy (60250, Webber)
PA388K / MAN385 / LAW396W Energy Ventures Practicum (60254, Price)
PA388K / CRP383 / LAR385 Environmental Impact Assessment (60255, Paterson)
PA388K Innovation and Adaptation in Energy Technology (60285, Rai)
PA388K / LAW382F International Petroleum Transactions (60294, Anderson)
PA388K / BGS380 / LAW390 Oil and Gas (60309, Anderson)
PA388K Nuclear Nonproliferation Policy (60308, Kuperman)
PA388K / CRP383 / LAR385 Planning for Disaster (60310, Paterson)
PA388K / LAW397S Climate Change and Entrepreneurialism (60324, Bowman)
PA388K Texas Water Policy (60340, Eaton)
PA388K Urban Economic Development (60350, Pedigo)
PA388K / LAW391F / CRP383 / CE397 / EER396 Water Law (60360, Cohen)
PA393L Environmental Resource Economics and Policy (60475, S. Olmstead)*
PA393L Environmental Economics and Regulations (60480, Evans)
PA388K / LAW397S / INF385T Propaganda, Technology, and Law (60325, Jones)
ANT380K Anthropology of Climate Change (32290, Rosen)
BGS380 / EER396 / LAW39G Global Energy Transition: Legal, Financial, Scientific Perspectives
(02930, Anderson, Butler, Chuchla & Moore)
CE388H Climate Change Mitigation (16540, Niyogi)
CE3990L Environmental Analysis (16549, Katz and Liljestrand)
CE397 Food, Energy, Water Systems Seminar (16605, Werth)
CE397 Smart Buildings and Cities (16625, Nagy)
CRP383 / LAR385 Climate Resilient City-Regions (01336, Paterson)
EER 396 / PGE383 Energy Finance (27050, Malik)
ME388H Nuclear Safety & Security (19340, Haas)

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International Finance and Trade

PA188S / LAW196V Crypto Law and Policy (60390, Kian) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA387K / BGS382 Corporate Political Strategy (60180, Werner)
PA387K / IB395 International Business Fellows Seminar (60185, Dodd)
PA388K / ELP390E Economics and Finance (60244, Jabbar)
PA488K / LAW493D International Business Transactions (60370, Hansen) 4-CREDIT COURSE
PA388L / MAN385 / LAW384G Corporate Governance (60380, Cunningham)
BGS381M Social & Ethical Responsibilities of Business (02960, Murray)
LAW397S International Business Litigation (29740, Westbrook)
LAW397S Transnational Class Actions (29820, Mullenix)
EER 396 / PGE383 Energy Finance (27050, Malik)

Other Noteworthy Courses

PA188S International Energy Symposium (60400, King) 1-CREDIT COURSE: OFFERED CR/NC ONLY
MIS185N Human Dimensions of Cybersecurity (04775 & 04780, Rennecker) 1-CREDIT COURSE
MIS185N Tech Dimensions of Cybersecurity (04790 & 04795 & 04800, Tanriverdi) 1-CREDIT COURSE
PA380L / LAW396W / CRP383 / ELP395K Race, Class, and COVID (60068, Dickerson)
PA388K Legislative Issues in Higher Education (60295, TBD) COURSE NOT YET CONFIRMED
PA388K Race, Law, and Education (60313, Strassfeld)
PA388K Reproductive Health Rights (60315, Aiken)
PA388K / ELPL395K Equity and Diversity in Higher Education (60365, Garces)
PA388K / RTF343 Advanced Documentary Production (60205, Sosa)
PA388K Psychology for Policy Analysis (60312, TBD)
PA388K / LAW389V Scenario Planning (60323, Bobbitt)
PA388K / CRP385C Sustainable Urban Economic Development Planning (60335, TBD)
PA397C Intro to Machine Learning (60510, Rai)
ANT391 Indigenous Politics (32309, Casumbal-Salazar)
ANT391 State, Territory, and Sovereignty (32320, Cons)
BGS380 Behavioral Interventions for Entrepreneurs, Managers, and Policy-Makers (02920, Bryan)
BGS388 Behavioral Economics (02980, Irwin)
CMS386P Advocacy (08440, Daly)
GOV384 Public Policy Process (38385, Jones)
GOV388L Research in International Politics (38440, Nielson)
HIS380L Violence and Colonialism (39110, Brower)
HIS392 Race and Migration (39145, Hsu)
INF385M Database Management (28400, Gunn)
INF385T Data Storytelling (28439, Cato)
LAW382H Immigration (28885, Churgin)
LAW697C Clinical Program: Environmental (29550, Haragan) OFFERED FOR CR/NC ONLY
LAW697C Clinical Program: Human Rights (29555, Dulitzky) OFFERED FOR CR/NC ONLY
LAW697C Clinical Program: Immigration (29560, Gilman) OFFERED FOR CR/NC ONLY
LAW697C Clinical Program: Transnt'l Workers' Rights (29580, Beardall) OFFERED FOR CR/NC ONLY
MAN385 Global Management (05755, Doggett)
MAN385 Power and Politics (05795, Wilt)