

EDUCATION POLICY GRADUATE CERTIFICATE TRACKING FORM

<i>Name</i>	<i>Date Completed</i>	<i>Student ID</i>	<i>Concentration Area</i>	
<i>Advisor</i>	<i>Semester of Entry</i>		<i>Expected Graduation</i>	
<i>Required Courses</i> <i>2 Required</i>	<i>Semester to be Completed</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Completed?</i>	<i>Grade</i>
POL 500				
POL 570				
<i>Electives</i> <i>Choose 2</i>	<i>Semester to be Completed</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Completed?</i>	<i>Grade</i>
POL 511				
POL 531				
POL 542				
POL 561				
POL 611				

Notes: 4 courses required to complete the education policy graduate certificate program: 2 required courses, 2 elective courses. Details on requirements can be found here:

<https://www.umassd.edu/cas/departmentsanddegreeprograms/publicpolicy/>

Connection to Master of Public Policy (MPP) Program

A completed graduate certificate **waives the GRE requirement, letters of recommendation, personal statement, and transcript retrieval** for those considering application to the **Master of Public Policy (MPP)** Program. In addition, each class counted towards the graduate certificate will be accepted into the MPP program (for certificate holders who apply and are accepted into the MPP program) so long as the student earned a **3.0 (B average)** or higher in the course.

Students successfully completing the graduate certificate in education policy who wish to apply to the MPP program are expected to **achieve a B (3.0) or higher in each of the four (4) courses taken to comprise the graduate certificate program**. Students who fail to meet this minimum requirement are unlikely to be admitted to the MPP program. Apply to the MPP now at:

<https://www.umassd.edu/online/ready-to-apply/>