

Earn Your Master's Degree Without Putting Your Career on Hold

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL
STUDIES – PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION PART-TIME PROGRAM



The University of Maryland Master of Professional Studies – Public Administration program offers students an exclusive opportunity to study public sector administration at the only top tier research institution in the Washington, D.C. region.

This program contains a carefully planned curriculum of public management that develops in-depth knowledge of leadership, finance, ethics, budget implementation, human resources, and the rules of public governance.

Coursework is complemented with site visits, guest seminars, internships and special events. Students receive extensive counseling and employment/internship leads.

WANT TO LEARN MORE?

For additional program information, open house and information sessions dates, please contact Michael Goodhart at goodhart@umd.edu or 301.405.9715.

For application questions, please contact policy-applications@umd.edu.

Attend an MPS-PA information session or meet with an administrator and receive an application fee waiver. Search for upcoming dates or request a meeting with a program administrator at the following link – <http://spp.umd.edu/your-education/masters/master-professional-studies-public-administration>

You can apply at <https://terpengage.force.com/community/CustomLoginPage?GradApp=True>



- The next MPS- Public Administration cohort begins in August 2024. Part-time participants can graduate in August 2026.
- Students follow a carefully designed 36-credit curriculum that provides the frameworks and tools needed to effectively and responsibly lead and manage public sector and non-profit organizations. An advisor can assist you in customizing a portion of your schedule.
- Students can choose a track in non-profit management to earn a Graduate Certificate in Non Profit Management and Leadership.
- Departmental fellowship funding opportunities available for part-time students!
- Program designed to fit your career. Courses are held in the late afternoon and evening. Some weekend course options are available too.
- No GRE or GMAT exam required.

Fall 2024 Cohort MPS–PA Courses

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| • Public Management and Leadership | • Information Policy and Technology |
| • Leadership Principles and Practices | • Managing Differences: Resolving Conflicts |
| • Ethics of Public Administration | • Comparative Political Institutions |
| • Managing Across Sectors | • Public Sector Finance |
| • Performance Management | • Quantitative Aspects of Public Policy |
| • Policy Analysis and Microeconomics | • Action Learning–Administrative Project Course |

