Student’s Name:          
UCD ID#:       Term Admitted:

Curriculum Planning Sheet: Master of Public Administration + Public Policy Analysis Concentration

Students must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours, including core courses, a concentration area with electives, and the MPA Capstone Seminar. (If choosing the Thesis option, speak with your advisor.)

**NOTE:** This form does not substitute for academic advising. Please consult your advisor. Also, to the extent possible, you should apply the elective, internship, and capstone material to your concentration.

**CORE COURSES** (7 courses / 21 credits)

* PUAD 5001: Introduction to Public Administration & Public Service
* PUAD 5002: Organizational Management & Behavior
* PUAD 5003: Research & Analytical Methods\*

*\*Prerequisite for PUAD 5008*

PUAD 5004: Economics & Public Finance\*\*  
*\*\*Prerequisite for PUAD 5320*

* PUAD 5005: The Policy Process & Democracy\*\*  
  *\*\*Prerequisite for PUAD 5320*
* PUAD 5006: Public Service Leadership & Ethics
* PUAD 5008: Evidence-Based Decision-Making

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**CONCENTRATION COURSES** (4 courses / 12 credits)

**Required Course** (1 courses / 3 credits)

* PUAD 5320: Public Policy Analysis\*\*\*  
  *\*\*\*PUAD 5004 and PUAD 5005 must be completed before   
   taking PUAD 5320***Term**

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**Elective Courses** (3 courses from lists below / 9 credits)

* PUAD 5200: Education Policy
* PUAD 5310: Policy Formulation & Implementation
* PUAD 5330: Intermediate Statistical Analysis
* PUAD 5350: Program Evaluation
* PUAD 5631: Seminar in Environmental Politics & Policy
* PUAD 5720: Public Policies for Hazards & Disasters
* Any graduate-level course offered by CU Denver with preapproval from your concentration director

**Field Study Internship, if required:**

PUAD 6910: Internship

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION CAPSTONE** (1 course / 3 credits)

*All core courses must be completed prior to registration for the capstone seminar.*

* PUAD 5361: Capstone Seminar

Is capstone related to concentration? Yes  No

Is 1st or 2nd reader faculty member with expertise in concentration? Yes  No **Term**

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