Title of Program/Certificate, etc: Master of Public Policy Concentration

Level (Masters/Ph.D.): Masters

Please Indicate: ______ Program ______ Certificate ___X__ Concentration _____ Track

Description of certificate, concentration or degree program:
See attached.

Please list the contact person for this new certificate, concentration, track or program for incoming students:

Approval from other units:

Please list those units outside of your own who may be affected by this new program. Each of these units must approve this change prior to its being submitted to the Graduate Council for approval.

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Proposed Concentration

Global Medical Policy

This concentration will offer graduate level education in global medical policies and processes; address global medical policies, needs, practices, and interdependencies in the 21st Century; discuss developing, planning and managing public health organizations in the global medical context; develop skills in designing evaluation processes; assess costs and performance of public medical activities; and discuss formulation of policies and analyze practices that could violate human rights, undermine ethics, and/or create disparities in medical services. Students are prepared to engage in systematic analysis, both qualitative and quantitative, and offered the foundation for advanced analytic techniques. A total of three courses is required to fulfill the concentration: two required courses, and a third chosen from the grouping below, depending on policy and analytical interests.

Required Core Courses

PUBP757 Principles of Global Medical Policy (3:3:0) Students are introduced to international medical policy. Globalization of health and medical policies directed at removing disparities, financing, ethical considerations of biomedical research, and use of emerging technologies are covered. (Syllabus attached)

PUBP758 Global Terrorism and Medical Policy (3:3:0). This course consists of a second series of related topics exploring current policy and practices in global medicine. Medical and health governance, biosecurity and biosafety, health and natural and human made disasters, humanitarian and emergency assistance, vaccine development, behavior and health, critical infrastructures, bioethics and resource allocations are considered in a global context. (Syllabus attached)

Choose any one of the following:

PUBP705 Advanced Statistical Methods in Policy Analysis (3:3:0)

HSCI701 Quantitative Decision Making in Health Systems Management (3:3:0)

CONF501 Introduction to Conflict Analysis and Resolution (3:3:0)

MNPS 700 The New Professionalism: The Theory of Peace Operations (3:3:0)

BIOD 604 Threat Analysis I: Bacterial Agents (3:3:0)

BIOD 605 Threat Analysis II: Viral Agents (3:3:0)

NURS577 Comparative Health Care Systems in the World (3:3:0)