

**Course Offerings Descriptions
Fall 2020
School of Public and International Affairs**

This is the All information in this guide is tentative and subject to change. Check the course catalogue for updates.

GIA 5115: Research Methods I

Instructor: Chad Levinson
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Arlington

GIA 5444: International Politics

Instructor: Chad Levinson
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Arlington

GIA 5504 / UAP 5504 / PSCI 5504: Discourse Analysis

Instructor: Gerard Toal
Delivery Mode: Online - Asynchronous

GIA 5514 / PSCI 5514: Global Security

Instructor: Ariel Ahram
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

GIA 5524 / UAP 5524: International Development

Instructor: Giselle Datz
Delivery Mode: Online - Asynchronous

GIA 6114: Critical Geopolitics

Instructor: Gerard Toal
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

GRAD 5134G: Disaster Resilience and Risk Management (DRRM)

Instructor: Maggie Cowell and Yang Zhang
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5014: Concepts Public Administration

Instructor: Joe Rees
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Richmond

PAPA 5014: Concepts Public Administration

Instructor: Staff
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Blacksburg

PAPA 5014: Concepts Public Administration

Instructor: Matt Dull

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5024 (SPIA 5024): Introduction to Public and Nonprofit Financial Management

[Public and Nonprofit Financial Management Certificate]

Instructor: Sheryl Bailey

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5044: Local Govt & The Professional Manager [Local Government Certificate]

Instructor: G. Kelly

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5254: Homeland Security & Terrorist Threat [Homeland Security Certificate]

Instructor: Jeff Glick

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5315: Government Administration - Behavior Skills

Instructor: David Bredenkamp

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5316: Government Administration - Systems Skills

Instructor: Robin Lemaire

Delivery Mode: Online - Asynchronous

SPIA 5544: Public and Nonprofit Financial Management [Public and Nonprofit Financial Management Certificate]

Instructor: Sheryl Bailey

Delivery Mode: Online - Asynchronous

PAPA 5784: Economic Development Planning Topics [Local Government Certificate]

Instructor: Cindy Mester

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5904: Project and Report

Instructor: Adrienne Edisis

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 5904: Project and Report

Instructor: Joe Rees

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

Location: Richmond

PAPA 6014: Public Administration Theory

Instructor: Laura Jensen

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6114: Complex Public Organizations

Instructor: Robin Lemaire

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6154: Advanced Topics in Public Organizations [Local Government Certificate]

Instructor: L. Kimball Payne

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6214: Public Policy Process

Instructor: Ray Zuniga

Delivery Mode: In-person

Location: Blacksburg

PAPA 6254: Adv Topics Pub Policy

Instructor: Matt Dull

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6324: Public Personnel Processes and Their Policy Implications

Instructor: Stephanie Davis

Delivery Mode: Hybrid synchronous with opt-in in-person attendance

Location: Blacksburg

PAPA 6354: Adv Topics Pub Mgt [Local Government Certificate]

Instructor: Stephanie Davis

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6394: Cap Sem Public Mgt

Instructor: Laura Jensen

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6414: Normative Foundations of Public Administration

Instructor: Eric Malczewski

Delivery Mode: Online - synchronous

PAPA 6454: Advanced Topics in Ethics and the Public Sector

Instructor: Eric Malczewski

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 6514: Public Adm & Policy Inquiry

Instructor: Adrienne Edisis

Delivery Mode: Hybrid (online synchronous and in person computer lab sessions)

Location: Arlington and Richmond

PAPA 7994: Research and Dissertation - DMP

Instructor: Eric Malczewski
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

PAPA 7994: Research and Dissertation - DMP

Instructor: Stephanie Smith
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

SPIA 5104 / PSCI 5104 / STS 5104: Policy and Decision Making in Scientific Domains

(Gateway course to STEP Graduate Certificate program)

Instructor: Anne-Lise Velez
Online Synchronous – Zoom
Wednesday 2:30-5:15 p.m.

SPIA 5534: Nonprofit Organization Leadership

Instructor: Max Stephenson
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Blacksburg

SPIA 6004 (for PGG): SPIA Graduate Colloquium

Instructor: Ralph Buehler /Teoman
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

SPIA 6006 (for PGG): Pedagogy & Learning (Sem Env Planning)

Instructor: Joel Peters
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Both Blacksburg and Arlington

UAP 5014: Gateway to Planning

Instructor: Maggie Cowell
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous and Asynchronous combination
Location: Blacksburg and Arlington

UAP 5084: Collaborative Planning & Community Involvement)

Instructor: Shalini Misra
Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous and Asynchronous

UAP 5125: Studio Sequence Part 1 Real World Problems & Solutions)

Instructor: Diane Zahm
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Blacksburg

UAP 5125: Studio Sequence Part 1 Real World Problems & Solutions

Instructor: Tom Sanchez
Delivery Mode: Hybrid
Location: Arlington

UAP 5224: Planning Methods and Technology

Instructor: Tom Sanchez

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

UAP 5224: Planning Methods and Technology

Instructor: Yang Zhang

Delivery Mode: In-person

Location: Blacksburg

UAP 5234: Urban Economy Equity and Society

Instructor: Maggie Cowell

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

UAP 5424: Plan, Parks, Open Spaces

Instructor: Shelley S. Mastran

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

UAP 5424: TS: Urban Social Ecology

Instructor: Shalini Misra

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous and Asynchronous combination

UAP 5424: Weekend modules

Instructor: TBA

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

Location: Arlington

UAP 5574 / GIA: Arts Culture & Society

Instructor: Max Stephenson

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

Location: Blacksburg

UAP 5614: Topics in City Design Policy

Instructor: Elizabeth Morton

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

UAP 5764G: Adv Intl Development Planning & Policy

Instructor: Jessica Agnew

Delivery Mode: Online - Synchronous

UAP 5864: Topics in Transport Policy and Planning

Instructor: Ralph Buehler

Delivery Mode: Hybrid

Location: Arlington and Blacksburg

