

SUGGESTED CONCENTRATIONS FOR THE MS:DM CANDIDATE

All courses are 3 credit hours unless otherwise indicated. Note: F = Fall; S = Spring; X = Summer Semester

Community Development

SIS.533 Demography, Migration & Development (F)
SIS.635 Rural Development (F)
SIS.635 Urban Development (S)
SIS.635 Community Development (S)*
SIS.638 Skills Institutes – 1 credit hr. each
SIS.648 Women & Development
SIS.649 Environment & Development (S)
SIS.696 Children in Development
ACCT.607 Accounting Concepts & Applications
EDU.642 Training Program Design (F)
EDU.649 Nonformal Ed and Development
EDU.713 Advanced Training Program Design
George Washington University
PubH 270 International Health/ Development (F)

Conflict, Peacebuilding and Development

SIS.516 Peacebuilding in Divided Societies
SIS.517 Gender & Conflict (S)
SIS.536 Complex Emergencies
SIS.540 Conflict & Development (F)
SIS.596 Transition from War to Peace
SIS.603 Peacebuilding & Dev'l Institutes - 2 credit hr. each (X)
SIS.606 Culture, PCR: Alternatives to Violence
SIS.609 Conflict Analysis & Resolution
SIS.610 Conflict, Violence & War (S)
SIS.619 NGOs and Conflict Resolution
SIS.639 Skills Institutes IPCR-1 credit each**
SIS.696 Children in Development

Development Management & Info. Systems

ITEC.612 Applied Production/Operations Management - 1.5 credits
ITEC.630 System Requirements and Design for Managers
ITEC.636 Management Information Systems
ITEC.640 Global Connectivity
ITEC.652 Strat. Mgmt of Global Info Systems – 1.5 credit hrs.
ITEC.656 Topics in Mgmt of Global Info. Tech – 1.5 credit hrs.
ITEC.654 Nations, Policy, and Information Technology
ITEC.702 Quantitative Analysis for IT Management
ITEC.705 Systems Analysis and Design

Development Policy

SIS.539 Comp Dev'l Strategies (S)
SIS.616 International Economics
SIS.626 Social Policy & Development
SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustainable Dev'l
SIS.651 Managing Economic Policy Reform*
ECON.552 Economics of Transition (S)
ECON.555 Econ Dev'l of Latin America (F)
ECON.610 Cost Benefit and Planning (S)
ECON.696 Theory/Practice of Successful Dev'ling Countries
EDU.648 Educ and Dev'l: Sector Analysis (S)
PUAD.602 Methods of Problem Solving II
PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation
PUAD.606 Foundations of Policy Analysis
PUAD.607 Econ & Politics of Public Policy
PubH 271 Int'l Health Policy Analysis (S)

Entrepreneurship & Small Business

SIS.632 Microfinance
SIS.638 Skills Institutes – 1 credit hr. each
ACCT.607 Accounting
MGMT.661 New Venture Management (F)
MGMT.662 Managing Small & Growing Companies – 1.5 credit hrs.
MGMT.663 Managing a Family Business – 1.5 credit hrs.
MGMT.664 Entrepreneurial Leadership & Organization Creativity
MKTG.612 Marketing Management

*Strongly Suggested

**Most Skills Institutes are appropriate for DM Concentrations. As there are 1 and 2 credit skills institutes, the concentration can include up to a total 6 credits of skills institutes.

Environment & Development

SIS.513 Computer Apps in IR Research
SIS.541 Systems Analysis (S)
SIS.649 Environment & Development (S)*
SIS.650 Global Econ & Sustainable Dev'l
SIS Courses on global env. issues (Wapner, Shapiro, or Gutner)
ECON.579 Energy, Econ & Environ (S)
PUAD.614 Development Management (S)
PUAF.743. Ecological Economics (UMD)

NGOs & Development

SIS.603 Managing a Non-Profit NGO - 1 credit hr. (X)
SIS.619 NGOs and Conflict Resolution
EDU.642 Training Program Design (F)
EDU.713 Advanced Training Program Design
PUAD.680 The Nonprofit Sector (F)
PUAD.681 Managing Nonprofit Organizations (S)
George Mason University
PUAD.505 Introduction to Management of Nonprofits
PUAD.636 The NGO: Managing the Intern'l Nonprofit Org.
PUAD.660 Public and Nonprofit Accounting and Finance
PUAD.664 Adv'd Topics in Nonprofit and Pub Financial Mgt
PUAD.702 Nonprofit Law, Governance and Ethics

Program & Project Management

SIS.638 Skills Institutes – 1 credit each
SIS.651 Managing Economic Policy Reform
ACCT.607 Accounting Concepts & Applications
ECON.665 Project Eval in Dev'l Countries
EDU.642 Training Program Design
EDU.713 Advanced Training Program Design
PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation
PUAD.617 Project Management (S)
PUAD.633 Financial Aspects of Public Management

Other Approved Courses --may be used in conjunction with above referenced concentrations.

SIS.533 Demography, Migration & Development (F)
SIS.635 Community Development (S)
SIS.626 Social Policy & Development (F)
SIS.635 Urban Development
SIS.635 Rural Development
SIS.647 Governance, Democracy and Development (S)
SIS.648 Women & Development (F)
SIS.649 Environment & Development (S)
SIS.650 Global Economy & Sustainable Development
SIS.696 Children in Development
SIS.696 Health & Development

Other Areas of Concentration: may be designed following consultation with a member of the IDP faculty as these concentrations are suggestions only. Consult your faculty and academic advisors. Additional concentrations can be found on the MAID advisement worksheet. Once an area is selected, a summary description with the approved list of courses should be attached to this form.

Approved for 2nd Level Research Methods Courses

SIS.513 Comp Applications in IR Research
SIS.541 Systems Analysis (S)
SIS.596 Case Study Methods
SIS.634 Field Survey Research Methods (S)
SIS.646 Information Systems & IC (S)
ACCT.607 Accounting
ANTH.550 Ethnographic Research Methods (F)
ANTH.552 Anthro Research Methods (S)
ECON.523 Applied Econometrics I
ECON.524 Applied Econometrics II
ECON.665 Project Eval in Dev'l Countries
PUAD.602 Methods of Problem Solving II
PUAD.604 Public Program Evaluation