

REGIONAL AND CITY PLANNING, MASTER OF REGIONAL AND CITY PLANNING

Minimum Total Hours (Thesis): 48
 Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis): 44

Program Code: M818

Non-Thesis Track

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses		
RCPL 5013	History and Theory of Urban Planning	3
RCPL 5053	Planning Management	3
RCPL 5113	Urban Planning Research Methods	3
RCPL 5173	Urban and Regional Analysis	3
RCPL 5203	Urban Land Use Controls	3
RCPL 5463	Geographic Information Systems for Land Use Planning	3
Choose one of the following:		5
RCPL 5525	Comprehensive Regional And City Planning Project	
RCPL 5522 & RCPL 5523	Comprehensive RCPL Project: Reporting and Implementation and Comprehensive RCPL Project: Research and Plan Making ¹	
Specializations in Non-Thesis Track		
Choose 21 hours ²		21
Total Credit Hours		44

¹ Both RCPL 5522 and RCPL 5523 are required as part of this option.
² Student will choose a specialization in either Physical Planning or Community & Economic Development. Each specialization requires 9 hours of breadth courses, 9 hours of depths courses, and 3 hours from the opposite track's breadth courses.

Thesis Track

Code	Title	Credit Hours
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RCPL 5053	Planning Management	3
RCPL 5113	Urban Planning Research Methods	3
RCPL 5173	Urban and Regional Analysis	3
RCPL 5203	Urban Land Use Controls	3
RCPL 5463	Geographic Information Systems for Land Use Planning	3
Choose one of the following:		5
RCPL 5525	Comprehensive Regional And City Planning Project	

RCPL 5522 & RCPL 5523	Comprehensive RCPL Project: Reporting and Implementation and Comprehensive RCPL Project: Research and Plan Making ¹	
Electives		
Choose 21 hours		21
Thesis Research		
RCPL 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	4
Total Credit Hours		48

¹ Both RCPL 5522 and RCPL 5523 are required as part of this option.
 The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.
 All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 32 credit hours.
 Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.
 To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.