

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**  
**DODGE FAMILY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

Academic Year	General Requirements	Program
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2024 through Spring 2025	Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) ..... 36	Public Administration M805 Q550 Master of Public Administration

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**Program Code: M805 Q550**

- This program is Non-Thesis only.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/dodge-arts-sciences/political-science/public-administration-master-public-administration/>).

## Required Courses

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
P SC 5003	Introduction to Public Administration	3
P SC 5143	Program Evaluation and Applied Policy Analysis	3
P SC 5363	Public Financial Management	3
P SC 5913	Introduction to Analysis of Political and Administrative Data	3
P SC 5963 or P SC 5950	Capstone in Public Administration <sup>1</sup> Research Problems	3
<b>Concentration</b>		
Choose 9 hours of graduate-level courses, as approved by the Graduate Liaison and advisor		9
<b>Electives</b>		
Choose 12 hours, as approved by the student's advisor and graduate committee		12
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>36</b>

<sup>1</sup> P SC 5950 is by petition only.

## General Requirements for all Master's Degrees

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* 30 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.