

## PUBLIC POLICY AND PUBLIC MANAGEMENT (PPPM) SECOND MAJOR

We live in an era of rapid change and transformation. And this transformation has manifested itself in the lives of individuals, households, cities and entire states that are governed by public sector organizations and institutions working together with civil society and private actors to create public goods, foster a sustainable society and result in greater public well-being.

The PPPM second major is designed to provide students with a solid grasp of public policy topics in order to:

- 1) Prime students for future careers that require an exposure to national and international policy-relevant subject matters and a firm grasp of public sector relevant skills.
- 2) Build students' knowledge and expertise on topics related to contemporary global governance.

It is an ideal program for SMU students from all disciplines who want to complement their undergraduate work with a highly-relevant, public-sector focused specialization. By understanding topics related to how government systems and organizations have evolved and by becoming familiar with subjects linked with modern policy discourses about how governments of the future may function, students will gain a broad perspective about what goes on behind the workings of governments and how they bring policies to life.

### Programme Structure

To fulfill the requirements of the Public Policy and Public Management second major, students must complete:

<b>Core (3 CUs)</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. POSC101 Introduction to Public Policy</li> <li>2. PPPM101 Public Sector Management</li> <li>3. PPPM301 Public Policy Task Force</li> </ol>	
<b>Electives (5 CUs)</b>  <i>Choose at least 1 CU from each category.</i>	Category 1: Public Sector Skills	ACCT409 Auditing for the Public Sector COR-ACM2633 Overseas Project Experience (Arts Management and Cultural Exchange in Asia) COR-PPPM1311 Collaborative Governance ECON211 Public Sector Economics ECON216 Economics of Ageing ECON242 Political Economy Analysis of Institutions COR-GA2636 Managing Diversity in Asia IDIS100 Research Methods in Sociology and Political Science IS457 Fairness in Socio-technical Systems LAW4031 Regulation: Theory, Law and Policy LAW4037 Employment Law and Regulation in Singapore LAW486 Privacy and Data Protection Law LGST102 Legal System and Analysis MGMT223 Sustainable Entrepreneurship MGMT320 Innovations for Asia's Smart Cities MGMT342 Organisational Aspects of Sustainable Innovation MGMT343 Strategic Management of Public Issues and Campaigns OBHR.211 Governing, Managing and Protecting Knowledge in Organizations OPIM318 Sustainable Operations PPPM106 Policy Design and Analysis COR-PPPM2233 From Numbers to Narratives: Evidence in Modern Policy-making PPPM204 Political Participation and Policy PPPM206 PPPM Work-study Elective (2cu) PSYC212 Psychology of Sustainability
	Category 2: Public Policy in Asia & Global Governance	ACM301 Cultural Policy and Practice COR2603 Singapore: Imagining the Next Fifty Years COR-PPPM2605 Sustainable Cities COR-SOCG2609 Globalization and Transnational Sociology ECON113 Economics of Globalization ECON118 Economic Development in Asia

	Thematic Issues	ECON225 Health Systems and Policy ECON226 Urban Economics and Policy ECON227 Economics of Politics ECON238 Political Economy of Globalization ECON253 Infrastructure Economics and Policy COR-GA2635 Contemporary Asia: Power, Diversity and Change HUMN010 Governance of Ethnic Relations in Singapore LAW4034 Climate Change Law and Policy LAW404 Public International Law LAW4051 Governing for Equitable-Sustainability in a Hyperconnected World LAW410 WTO: Law, Economics and Policy LAW426 Law, Policy and Ethnic Relations in Singapore LAW483 Law and Regulation MGMT.235 Sustainability Management and Governance POSC222 Chinese Foreign Policy POSC223 Political Economy of Inequality in Singapore POSC308 Gender Politics: Exclusion and Empowerment POSC310 Development, Underdevelopment and Poverty POSC316 The Politics of Water in Asia POSC319 Political Economy of Development POSC321 The Politics of Food Security POSC325 Capitalism and Its Critics PPPM201 Environmental Politics and Policy PPPM203 Education Policy - A Global Perspective PPPM205 Religion and Policy in Asia PSYC108 Social Psychology COR-SOCG2637 Deconstructing Singapore Society SOCG201 Social Stratification and Inequality SOCG222 Nation Building in Asia SOCG225 International Migration SOCG227 Inter Asian Mobilities SOCG307 Governance and Development in the Global South
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[Only applicable to Cohort 2021 and earlier] BSocSc students are not allowed to double count any of the Social Science electives cross-listed under the PPPM second major to their first major. For example, a BSocSc student may take POSC308 as a PPPM elective or as a Political Science elective, but not both.

Course codes may change; current students should also refer to the Handbook on OASIS and BOSS for the most updated information.