

MA (GGPP) Course Planning Worksheet

Total Credits Required: 32

- Please use this worksheet to plan out all coursework and should bring it when meeting with academic advisors.
- After applying for graduation, please bring the advisor approved worksheet to the Program Assistant to update the Degree Audit.

Area 1: Required Core Courses (12 credits)

Course		Term	Credits
ITSF 4580	International Comparative Education & Development Studies, Part 1	Fall	3
ITSF 4581	International Comparative Education & Development Studies, Part 2	Spring	3
ITSF 4009	ITSF Research Methods Course #1 - Introduction to Research Methods in International and Comparative Education If you have taken an introductory research methods course before, consult with your advisor to see if this required course can be waived. If so, you must take a different research methods course to satisfy this requirement.		3
	ITSF Research Methods Course #2 Other options available in consultation with your advisor.		3
		Total	

Area 2: Cluster (at least 12 credits)

Course		Term	Credits
ITSF 5006	Comparative Policy Studies		
ITSF 5035	Social Analysis of ILSAs		
	Required - 1 skill-building course of your preference		
	Recommended - Course in Foundations of Policy Studies		
	Recommended - Specialized courses related to Policy and Planning		
	in a (a) particular education sector (e.g., school, teacher education,		
	higher education, etc.) and/or in (b) specific reform area (edu.		
	finance, curriculum reform, gender, literacy, etc.)		
	Recommended - Specialized courses related to particular		
	geographic region		
		Total	

These courses are required by the cluster. Exceptions may be made by advice and approval of your advisor.

Area 3: TC Elective requirements (at least 6 credits outside of International & Comparative Education)

Course		Term	Credits
Total			

Integrative Project		Term	Credits
(0-3 credits) IND 4000 (no credit)	Register for this if you are working on your IP and not registered for other TC/CU courses		
Total			

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