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The Pennsylvania State University
 COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC POLICY
 (This major does not lead to teacher certification)

DR. D. MITRA, Contact Person
 121-124 Credits Required
EFFECTIVE MAY 2012
<http://www.ed.psu.edu/>

I. GENERAL EDUCATION COMPONENTS
 45 Cr.

(Select appropriate courses listed in the General Education Bulletin. Note that General Education courses may not be taken SA/UN.)

WRITING/SPEAKING (GWS) – 9 Cr.
 ENGL 15 GWS or 30 GWS _____ (3)
 ENGL 202A GWS or 202B GWS _____ (3)
 CAS 100A GWS _____ (3)

QUANTIFICATION (GQ) – 6 Cr.
 (EDPSY 101 GQ or STAT 200 or 100 GQ) _____ (3)
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NATURAL SCIENCES (GN) – 9 Cr.
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ARTS (GA) – 6 Cr.
 _____ (3)
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HUMANITIES (GH) – 6 Cr.
 (HIST 021 GH, US) _____ (3)
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SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (GS) – 6 Cr.
 (PL SC 001 GS) _____ (3)
 (SOC 001 GS or R SOC 011 GS) _____ (3)

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (GHA) – 3 Cr.
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II. FIRST YEAR SEMINAR (FYS) /ELECTIVES – 1-3 Cr.
 FYS _____ () _____ ()

III. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR
 87-88 Cr.+

Prescribed Courses –36 Cr.+

ECON 002 GS (102) _____ (3)
 ECON 004 GS (104) _____ (3)
 EDTHP 115 US _____ (3)
 EDTHP 200 _____ (3)
 EDTHP 394 _____ (3)
 EDTHP 395 _____ (3)
 EDTHP 420 W _____ (3)
 HIST 021 GH _____ (3)*
 PL SC 001 GS _____ (3)*
 PL SC 003 GS _____ (3)
 SOC 005 GS _____ (3)
 YFE 211 _____ (3)

Additional Courses –9-10 Cr. +

EDPSY 101, STAT 200 or 100 GQ _____ (3-4)*
 SOC 001 GS or R SOC 011 GS _____ (3)*
 Applied Data Analysis selection: _____ (3)
 SOC 007, SOC 023 GS, SOC 436,
 EDPSY 406 or PL SC 408

Supporting Courses and Related Areas –42 Cr. + **
 [at least 21 credits at the 400 level]

Education Theory and Policy Studies:
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)

Policy Problems and Public Systems:
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)

Leadership, Decision Making & Ethics:
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)

Diversity and Equity:
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)

Major –related selections:
 [six credits in consultation with adviser]
 _____ (3)
 _____ (3)

CODES:
 + Must earn “C” or better.

* The following courses may satisfy General Education components: 6 credits of the Prescribed and Additional GS courses (Social & Behavioral Science); 3 credits of GQ (Quantification); 3 credits of GH (Humanities)

** See back of sheet for list of approved course selections that fulfill the “Supporting & Related Areas” requirements

W Satisfies 3 credits of writing-intensive course requirement.

Questions? See online Advising Handbook:
<http://www.ed.psu.edu/edservices>

Note: Must complete at least 3 cr. of IL and 3 cr. of US Cultures selections.

Suggested University Courses that Meet EDUCATION AND PUBLIC POLICY Major Requirements for Supporting Courses and Related Areas

POLICY PROBLEMS & PUBLIC SYSTEMS

[AG EC 450: International Development, Renewable Resources, and the Environment](#)

[AEE 311: Developing Youth Leadership Through Organization and Program Structure](#)

[AEE 450: Program Design and Delivery](#)

[COMM 401: Mass Media in History](#)

[COMM 405: Political Economy of Communications](#)
Prerequisite: ECON 002

[COMM 413: The Mass Media and the Public](#)

[CEDEV 430 \(AG EC\): Principles of Economic Development Planning](#)

[CEDEV 432 \(AG EC\): Techniques of Community Economic Development Planning](#)

[CEDEV 452 \(RSOC\): Rural Organization](#)

[CEDEV 460 \(RSOC\): Introduction to Community Information Systems](#)

[E RRE 201 \(AG EC\): Introductory Environmental and Resource Economics](#) Prerequisite: AG BM 101 or ECON 002

[E RRE 431W \(AG EC\): Economic Analysis of Environmental and Resource Policies](#) Prerequisite: ECON 302

[HIST 445: The Emergence of Modern America](#)
Prerequisites: HIST 021; 3 additional credits in history, economics, or political science.

[HIST 447: Recent American History](#) Prerequisites: HIST 021; 3 additional credits in history, economics, or political science.

[HIST 448: American in the 1960s](#) Prerequisite: HIST 021.

[PL SC 403 The Legislative Process](#) Prerequisite: PL SC 001 or PL SC 003.

[PL SC 422 Comparative Urban Politics](#)
Prerequisite: PL SC 003, PL SC 020, PL SC 022 or PL SC 417

[PL SC 426 Political Parties and Interest Groups](#)
Prerequisite: PL SC 001

[R SOC 356: Rural Community Services](#)
Prerequisite: R SOC 011 or 3 credits in related social science

[R SOC 422 \(US\): Family in Rural Society](#)
Prerequisite: 6 credits in the social sciences

[R SOC 425: Poverty Analysis: People and Programs](#)
Prerequisite: 6 credits in sociology, economics, or related areas

[R SOC 444: Social Change in Rural America](#)
Prerequisite: R SOC 011 or 3 credits in related social science

[R SOC 452 \(CEDEV\): Rural Organization](#)
Prerequisite: 6 credits in rural sociology, sociology, or psychology

[R SOC 460 \(CEDEV\): Introduction to Community Information Systems](#) Prerequisite: 6 credits in quantification; 6 credits in social or behavioral science

[SOC 419 \(US\) Race and Public Policy](#)
Prerequisite: 3 credits in Sociology

[SOC 424: Social Change](#)

[SOC 432: Social Movements](#) Prerequisite: 3 credits in sociology

[YFE 439: Contemporary Youth Issues](#)

[YFE 455: Extension Youth Development Programs and Volunteer Management](#)

LEADERSHIP, DECISION-MAKING, & ETHICS

[AEE 360: Leadership Development for Small Groups](#)

AEE 440: Communication Methods and Media

[AEE 460: Foundations in Leadership Development](#)
Prerequisite: AEE 360

[AEE 465: Leadership Practices: Power, Influence, & Impact](#)

[COMM 409: News Media Ethics](#)

[CEDEV 417 \(RSOC\): Power, Conflict, and Community Decision-making](#)

[EDLDR 409 Leadership Studies in Popular Film](#)
Prerequisite: EDTHP 115, junior standing, or permission of program

[EDLDR 480 Introduction to Educational Leadership](#)
Prerequisite: 3 credits in social science, sociology, anthropology, community development, business administration or political science

[ENGR 407: Technology Based Entrepreneurship](#)
Prerequisite: ECON 002 or ECON 004

[ENGR 408: Leadership Principles](#)

[PHIL 010: Critical Thinking](#)

[PHIL 012: Symbolic Logic](#)

[PHIL 103: Introduction to Ethics](#)

[PHIL 418: Ethics](#) Prerequisite: 9 credits of philosophy including PHIL 103 or 6 credits of philosophy at the 200 level

[PSYCH 485: Leadership in Work Settings](#)
Prerequisite: PSYCH 100; PSYCH 281 or 3 credits MGMT

[R SOC 305W: Leadership for Social Change](#)

[R SOC 417 \(CEDEV\): Power, Conflict, and Community Decision-making](#) Prerequisite: 6 credits in social or behavioral science

DIVERSITY & EQUITY

[AM ST 432: Ethnicity and the American Experience](#)

[CEDEV 420 \(US;IL\) \(R SOC;WMNST\): Women in Developing Countries](#)

[GEOG 425: Geography of Race, Class, and Poverty in America](#)

[GEOG 436 Ecology, Economy, and Society](#)

[PHIL 008 \(GH\) \(WMNST\): Philosophy and Feminism](#)

[PHIL 009 \(GH;US\): Philosophy, Race, and Diversity](#)

[PHIL 437: World Philosophies and Culture](#)
Prerequisite: 9 credits of philosophy, including 6 credits of philosophy at the 200 level

[PL SC 467: International Relations of the Middle East](#)
Prerequisite: PL SC 014 or HIST 181

[SOC 409: Racial and Ethnic Inequality in America](#)
Prerequisite: 3 credits in Sociology

SOC 419 (US) Race and Public Policy
Prerequisite: 3 credits in Sociology

[SOC 422 World Population Diversity](#)
Prerequisite: 3 credits in Sociology

[WMNST 102 \(GH;IL\) \(AAA S\): Women of Color Cross-cultural Perspective](#)

WMNST 428 (US;IL) (PL SC 428) Gender and Politics
Prerequisite: 3 credits in political science or women's studies

[WMNST 455 \(US\) \(CAS\): Gender Roles in Communication](#)
Prerequisite: CAS 202

[YFE 438: Living in an Increasingly Diverse Society](#)