Graduate Certificate in Program Evaluation

The School of Economic, Political and Policy Sciences (EPPS) offers a graduate certificate in Economic and Demographic Data Analysis for students who want to gain competencies in the design and implementation of program evaluations in fields such as education, health care, human services, criminal justice and economic development.

Certificate Requirements

Requirements for admission to the certificate program are the same as a non-degree seeking graduate student. The Program Evaluation Certificate requires completion of five (5) graduate courses (15 semester credit hours). Courses from other institutions may not be applied to the required 15 semester credit hours. The courses taken for this certificate will apply to various Masters’ degree programs in EPPS if the student meets the conditions for full admission as a graduate student to the respective Master's degree program.

Required Courses:

- One of the following:
  - EPPS 6313 Introduction to Quantitative Methods
  - EPPS 7313 Descriptive and Inferential Statistics
- PPPE 6310 Research Design I
- EPPS 6352 Evaluation Research Methods in the Economic, Political, and Policy Sciences
- PPPE 6v91 Evaluation Research¹ (6 semester credit hours)

¹NOTE: This is a 2-semester program evaluation that culminates in a final report.

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