GET A CAREER HEADSTART WITH EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION COURSES

AT THE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY & ADMINISTRATION

Do not miss out on these opportunities to enhance your CV! These courses have a proven track-record of translating into jobs. Honours standing recommended.

APPLIED PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS

(AP/PPAS 4200 6.00 FALL/WINTER 2016-2017)

An applied analysis of specific areas of public policy chosen to reflect current public debates. Students apply their knowledge of policy analysis in the context of case studies and/or real world projects with community partners.

Prerequisites: 78 credits including AP/PPAS/POLS 3190 6.00 Public Administration.

Course credit exclusions: AP/PPAS 4300 6.00, AP/GL/POLS 4300 6.00.

Recent partner organizations include: ServiceOntario, Ontario Ministry of the Environment, Help

Fight Ebola Canada.

PROGRAM EVALUATION I AND II

(AP/PPAS 4310 3.00 – FALL 2016; AP/PPAS 4320 3.00 – WINTER 2017)

Provides students with the fundamental methodological tools necessary to evaluate the effectiveness of government and NGO programs. Students will learn to develop research designs for formative evaluations, summative evaluations and needs studies. Students will have an opportunity to put research designs into practice for program evaluations in partnership with public and not-for-profit sector organizations. Prerequisites: AP/PPAS 3300 6.0 Statistics for Social Sciences or similar undergraduate course.

Past partner organizations include: Canadian Red Cross, United Way, Deaf-Blind Ontario, ON Ministry of Environment, Transportation and Attorney General.

PRACTICUM IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

(AP/PPAS 4995 6.00 – FALL/WINTER 2016-2017 CROSSLISTED TO: AP/POLS 4995 6.00)

Public policy and administration students in their fourth year may take an independent, individually supervised reading and research course, which combines volunteer work experience in an agency with an academic analysis of that experience. Enrolment is by permission only and permission will be granted only in September depending on the number of placements available and the competitiveness of the student pool. In the students should put their name on the wait list form for http://sppa.laps.yorku.ca/students/wait-list-request-form/.

Prerequisite: AP/PPAS/POLS 3190 6.0 or equivalent or permission of the course director. Past partner organizations include: the Ministry of Economic Development, Trade and Employment; Ministry of Health; Ministry of Labour; Ontario Legislative Assembly; Attorney General; City of Toronto; Ontario Bar Association; and many more.

