110-AA Bachelor of Public Policy and Management

Year and Campus:	2008
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Level:	Undergraduate
Duration & Credit Points:	
Contact:	Contact details at http://www.arts.unimelb.edu.au/about/contact.htmlSchool of Political Science, Criminology & Sociology: http://www.arts.unimelb.edu.au/pscs/contact.html
Course Overview:	**There is no intake into this course from 2008.** The Bachelor of Public Policy and Management (BPPM) is a professional degree for those aspiring to careers in Commonwealth, State and local government or community sectors. The program combines a strong theoretical focus with professional skills acquisition and practical knowledge. The program is specifically designed to provide professional training for future generations of leaders in public policy and management. A variety of career pathways are available that draw on analytical, research and practical knowledge gained in this degree. Students interested in expanding their interests and knowledge in this area of expertise can go on to further postgraduate degree study at the University of Melbourne.
Objectives:	The Bachelor of Public Policy and Management (BPPM) aims to equip graduates with the knowledge and skills neccessary for successful managerial careers in the public service or the community sector. In particular graduates should be able to: # design, evaluate and provide professional advice on government policy; # use appropriate analytical and practical skills in the management of personnel and resources, public sector change and the use of policy research methods and tools; # understand how governmentworks and how policy is made and implemented.
Course Structure & Available Subjects:	In each of the third and fourth years, students complete eight subjects (totalling 100 points at each year level). These points are made up of a series of core subjects and elective subjects. See the course structure below.
Subject Options:	Students enrol in the Bachelor of Public Policy and Management (BPPM) at the end of their second year in the Bachelor of Arts Degree. At third year level students must undertake 100 points of study comprising: # one core subject 166-022 Public Policy Making # Seven Elective Subjects with no more than 1 of those selected from List B At Fourth year (pass degree) students must undertake 100 points of study comprising: # 3 core subjects (50 points) # Elective subjects totalling 50 points

Third Year Core Subject

Students enrolled in the BPPM must undertake the following core subject at 3rd year:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
166-022 Public Policy Making	Semester 2	12.50

3rd Year List A Electives

A minimum of 6 (or equivalent) 12.5 point List A Electives must be undertaken at 3rd year:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
166-012 Australian Political Economy	Not offered 2008	12.500
166-014 Asia Pacific International Politics	Not offered 2008	12.500

166-035 Australian Foreign Relations	1	12.500
166-043 Public Affairs Internship	Semester 1, Semester 2	25
166-081 Quantitative Social Research	2	12.500
166-086 Qualitative Research Strategies	Not offered 2008	12.500
166-210 Political Communication	Not offered 2008	12.500
166-212 Global Environmental Politics	2	12.500
166-214 US Scandals from Watergate	2	12.500
166-219 Democracy, Terrorism and Violence	1	12.500
191-302 Criminology and Public Policy	Semester 1	12.50
191-301 Law in Social Theory	Semester 2	12.50

3rd Year List B Electives

A maximum of 1 List B Elective may be selected:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
121-015 Development and the Third World	Semester 2	12.50
121-021 Environmental Politics and Management	Semester 2	12.50
121-028 Sustainable Development	Semester 1	12.50
191-311 Global Criminology	Semester 1	12.50

4th year Core subjects

All three core subjects listed must be undertaken by students enrolled in the BPPM in fourth year.

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
166-419 Policy Design	Semester 1	12.50
166-423 Organisations and Management	Semester 2	12.50
166-453 Executive Internship	Semester 1, Semester 2	25

4th Year List A Electives

Students of the BPPM must select four subjects from the following list to be taken at fourth year level:

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
166-411 Australian Politics:Democracy & Justice	Semester 2	12.50
166-413 Communication and Governance	Semester 1	12.50
166-442 Rights and Public Policy	Semester 2	12.50
166-470 Contemporary Issues in Governance	Semester 1	12.50
166-499 Asia-Pacific: Zone of Conflict or Peace?	Semester 2	12.50
166-531 Comparative Social Policy	Semester 2	12.50
166-551 Governance & International Institutions	Semester 2	12.50
166-552 Public Policy A	Not offered 2008	12.500

	100-418 Media Policy and Regulation	Semester 1	12.50
	102-497 A Century of Australian Social Policy	Semester 2	12.50

Entry Requirements:	**From 2008 there will be no entry into the BPPM.**
Core Participation Requirements:	The Bachelor of Public Policy & Management requires a standard level of ability across all disciplines. It will be assumed students are able to access and attend classes on a regular basis, are capable of learning in a University environment and will be able to take responsibility for their own learning. Any ability beyond this threshold will be robustly supported through the curriculum. There are no pre-requisites for first year subjects, and any intensive use of IT or technologies will be adequately supported. Certain subjects have more specific requirements and demands, such as fieldwork or travelling, which are clearly outlined in the Handbook's subject description. However, the University is dedicated to provide support to those with special requirements. The Faculty Disability Contact Officer works with students, the University Disability Liaison Unit and teaching staff to assist students with their special requirements, with a particular focus on accommodations for in-class and examination assessment tasks. Further details on the disability support scheme can be found at http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability.A
Further Study:	There are many opportunities for further study available to students who have completed the Bachelor of Public Policy and Management including an Honours year which is available to highly achieving students completing the BPPM. Masters and PhD options exist for BPPM graduates; both require an H2B average or higher in fourth-year honours.
Graduate Attributes:	TBA
Generic Skills:	TBA
Notes:	TBA