

PADM 9999 IB
Final Project/Organizational Analysis
Three Credit Hours
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Course Description:

Prerequisites: Completion of major courses and permission of advisor or final project chair. Graded "Satisfactory," "Unsatisfactory," or "In Progress." Development and defense of the final project or organizational analysis. Under the supervision of a faculty committee, students will conduct either an applied research project or a descriptive and prescriptive evaluation of the management policies of an agency. Course may be repeated for credit. Students must take a minimum of 6 credit hours over a period of at least 2 semesters.

Required Texts:

This course will use the same texts required for PADM 9090.

Expected Outcomes:

Upon completion of the first three semester hours of PADM 9999 each student is expected to:

- Have her/his committee in place and have the appropriate committee paper work completed
- Obtain approval from the institution's IRB, if needed
- Have the prospectus (normally the first three chapters) completed, defended, and approved by his/her committee, and
- Be ready to move into the final stages of her/his research project