

Master of Public & International Affairs **Concentration: Human Security**

Required Coursework (for students starting in Fall 2025 or later)

MPIA Core (15 Credits)

Number	Title	Pre-	Term	Can be waived?		
		requisites	Completed			
PIA 2022	Quantitative Methods	None		Yes. If waived,		
				must take		
				additional elective		
PIA 2021	International Affairs	None		No		
PIA 2043	International Economics	None		No		
PIA 2042	Skills for Global Policy Professionals	None		No		
PIA 2096	Capstone Seminar	24 credits		No		
or						
PIA 2099	Thesis	12 credits +				
		PIA 2003 +				
		approval				
Internship Requirement: All students must complete an approved internship of at least 300 hours while						
enrolled at GSPIA. The internship must be approved by the student's career advisor in advance. Students with at						
least three years of relevant full-time work experience may petition their career advisor for a waiver of this						
requirement during their first semester.						

Concentration Core (3 Credits)

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Human Security Concentration Courses (9 Credits)

PIA 2	Human Security Concentration Course	
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Electives/Minor Courses (9 Credits)

PIA 2	Elective/minor course	
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Notes:

Students may waive PIA 2022 if they pass the waiver exam. If waived, the class must be replaced by an additional elective.

Meet with your academic advisor every term to confirm your progress toward graduation.