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Dual Advising System: CSU, Chico utilizes a dual advising system to help you graduate on time. Undergraduate students are provided support through the Academic Advising Programs office as well as a major department advisor. While Academic Advisors help answer questions regarding GE, campus policies and procedures, and general university questions, your major department advisor can help with questions regarding major coursework, internships, and course substitutions.

Degree Requirements: Please review the program and graduation requirements for the major.

37 Units Required for the Major

Public Administration Foundation: 25 Units

	PADM 260	Introduction to Public Administration (3 units)
	POLS 331W	Introduction to Research Methods (W) (4 units)
	PADM 477W	Policy Analysis Capstone Seminar (3 units)

Select five (5) of the following additional foundational courses:

	PADM 462	Organizational Theory ¹
	PADM 471	Public Policy Formation ¹
	PADM 474	Public Personnel Administration ¹
	PADM 475	Public Budgeting and Finance ¹
	POLS 402	State and Local Government
	POLS 421	Applied Research Methods

Theoretical Foundation: 3 Units (Select one course)

	POLS 432	American Political Thought
	POLS 434	Origins of Western Political Thought
	POLS/AFAM 435	Black Political Thought
	POLS 437	Contemporary Political Thought

¹ PADM 462, 471, 474 and 475 may also be used as electives if not selected as a foundational course.
 POLS on Box: POLS – Admin: Office-Department: Program Handouts: Program Handouts 2: Criminal Justice

Electives: 9 Units (Select three courses)

_____	PADM 405/PHHA 435	Health Care Policy and Politics
_____	PADM 462	Organizational Theory
_____	PADM 471	Public Policy Formation
_____	PADM 474	Public Personnel Administration
_____	PADM 475	Public Budgeting and Finance
_____	PADM 489A	Internship in Public Administration
_____	PADM 489P	Work or Community Experience in Selected Governmental or Community Agencies
_____	CRIM 250	Introduction to Criminal Justice
_____	CRIM 476	Police Administration and Management
_____	INTR 344	U.S. Foreign Policy
_____	INTR 346	International Organizations and NGOs
_____	INTR 412	Comparative Political Institutions
_____	LEGL 365W	Theories, Practices and Administration of Law
_____	LEGL 452	Alternative Dispute Resolution
_____	LEGL 461	Environmental Politics and Policy
_____	LEGL 464	Administrative Law
_____	LEGL 468	Planning Law
_____	PHHA 579W	Grant Writing and Other Fundraising Strategies
_____	POLS 402	State and Local Government
_____	POLS 472	The Presidency
_____	POLS 473	Congress
_____	POLS 493	Community Research

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Four (4) Courses Required: 12 Units

_____	PADM 260	Introduction to Public Administration (3 units)
_____	PADM 462	Organizational Theory
_____	PADM 474	Public Personnel Administration
_____	PADM 475	Public Budgeting and Finance

Select three (3) of the following: 9 Units

_____	PADM 405/PHHA 435	Health Care Policy and Politics
_____	PADM 471	Public Policy Formation
_____	PADM 477W	Policy Analysis Capstone Seminar
_____	CRIM 476	Police Administration and Management
_____	INTR 344	U.S. Foreign Policy
_____	LEGL 365W	Theories, Practices and Administration of Law
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_____	POLS 473	Congress