

MASTER OF URBAN PLANNING

BLENDING DESIGN, POLICY, AND MANAGEMENT
TO BUILD THRIVING CITIES

As over half of the world's population lives in cities, urban planners are more important than ever. This program prepares future public service leaders to design and build urban landscapes in the context of the real world—all within the living laboratory of New York City. The degree offers:

- A **UNIQUE BLEND** of planning, management, and policy, so students understand market realities, financial constraints, political hurdles, and resource limitations, and how to address them.
- **PRACTICAL TRAINING** through the one-year client-based Capstone project, studying with faculty at the forefront of the field, and being immersed in the urban landscape of New York City.
- A **BROAD AND DEEP CURRICULUM** where students have the opportunity to specialize in environment, infrastructure, and transportation; economic development and housing; or international development planning.

A CAREER IN URBAN PLANNING— LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY

Our graduates make an impact in transportation, housing and neighborhood development, and environmental sustainability, among other areas. They pursue careers in NYC, as well as other cities across the country and the world.



“As an urban planning program uniquely situated in a school of public policy, NYU Wagner provides future planners with a broad and expansive skill set. The networks and connections I developed at NYU Wagner help me to better serve the public and to make New York a healthier and greener city.”

- **NICK MOLINARI, MUP 2005**
Chief of Planning and Parklands,
NYC Department of Parks &
Recreation

RANKED #2

IN CITY MANAGEMENT AND URBAN POLICY
BY U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT



ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

The MUP program can be completed in two years full-time or 3-4 years part-time.

REQUIRED SCHOOL-WIDE CORE COURSES:

- Managing Public Service Organizations
- Financial Management for Public, Nonprofit, and Health Organizations
- Statistical Methods for Public, Nonprofit, and Health Management
- Microeconomics for Public Management, Planning, and Policy Analysis

REQUIRED URBAN PLANNING CORE COURSES:

(SELECT FIVE)

- Urban Planning Methods and Practice
- Urban Economics
- History and Theory of Urban Planning
- Land Use Law
- Introduction to Urban Physical Design
- Institutions, Governance, and International Development
- Decentralized Development Planning

SPECIALIZATIONS:

Students also choose a specialized elective cluster:

- Economic Development and Housing
- Environment, Infrastructure, and Transportation
- International Development Planning

A full list of courses can be found at

WAGNER.NYU.EDU/COURSES/LISTINGS.

For more information about the program, visit

WAGNER.NYU.EDU/URBANPLANNING.

LEARN MORE:

To attend an event, visit a class, read school news, or watch a WAGTalk video, visit WAGNER.NYU.EDU.

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APPLICATION COMPONENTS:

- U.S. bachelor's degree or equivalent
- Application and essays
- Transcript from all undergraduate and graduate institutions attended
- Resume
- Two letters of recommendation
- GRE or GMAT recommended but not required
- TOEFL or IELTS Exam (if bachelor's program not conducted in English)
- \$85 application fee
- Video essay (optional)

APPLICATION & DEADLINES:

Apply for Fall 2016 at
WAGNER.NYU.EDU/APPLY.

Deadline: **MAY 1, 2016**

FINANCIAL AID

NYU Wagner will assess all applicants for merit-based scholarship opportunities. Approximately 20 percent of our students receive a merit award for the duration of their degree program. Students interested in merit aid consideration are encouraged to submit their applications early. For more information about financial aid, please contact us at

WAGNER.FINANCIALAID@NYU.EDU.

