KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC MANAGEMENT

(54400) B.A./MPA Honors IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION 120 Semester Hours (S.H.)

Minimum GPA required for Declaration: 3.0

Minimum GPA required for Major: 3.3

Minimum GPA required for Graduation: 3.0

EFFECTIVE DATE: FALL 2019

GENERAL EDUCATION: 41-42 S.H.		
Foundation Requirements[1]:	***13 S.H.***	
GE 1000 Transition to Kean[2] **OR** GE 3000 Transfer Transitions[2]	1	
ENG 1030 College Composition[3]	3	
MATH 1000 Algebra for College Students[1]	3	
COMM 1402 Speech Communication[1]	3	
GE 2021 Research & Technology[1]	3	
DISCIPLINARY & INTERDISCIPLINARY DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS:		
Humanities:	***9 S.H.***	
*ENG 2403 World Literature	**3**	
Take two "GE Approved" courses from two different areas:		
Fine Arts/Art History	3	
Philosophy or Religion	3	
Foreign Languages (I and II must be taken for credit)	3	
Music or Theatre	3	
Interdisciplinary:	3	
Social Sciences:	***9 S.H.***	
*HIST 1062 Worlds of History	3	
*Select **TWO** courses from below—must be in two different areas*		
Psychology	**3**	
Economics or ES 1010 World Geography	3	
Political Science	3	
Sociology or Anthropology	3	
Interdisciplinary:	3	
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Science and Mathematics:	***10-11 S.H.***	
Math 1010, 1016, 1030, 1054 or CPS 1032, 1231	3	
*Select **ONE** 4 Credit lab course-see GE Distribution Course List* Biology; Chemistry; Environmental Science, Earth Science, Forensic Science, Physics; Sustainability Science, Interdisciplinary	4	
Additional GE Science Course (with lab or non-lab)	3,4	
Additional Required Courses:	***12 S.H.***	
ECO 1020 Principles of Macroeconomics[3]	3	
ACCT 2200 Principles of Accounting I[3]	3	
ENG 3090 Business & Professional Writing	3	
PS 2100 American Government	3	

ACADEMIC MAJOR"	**36 S.H.**	
Required: Undergraduate PA Core [3]	***21 S.H.***	
PA 2000 Intro to Public Administration	3	
PA 2010 Management Challenges	3	
PA 3001 Information Management (Writing Emphasis)	3	
PA 3100 Policy Analysis (Writing Emphasis)	3	
PA 3110 Intergovernmental Relations	3	
PA 3200 Management: Budget & Finance	3	
PA 3300 Management: Human Resources	3	
Required Graduate PA Core	***12 S.H.***	
PA 5001 Global Foundations of Public Administration	3	
PA 5988 Analytical Methods	3	
Any other two required MPA core PA 5XXX	3	
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****Major Capstone Course[3]**	**3 S.H.**	
PA 4000 Capstone Seminar in Public Administration	3	
Free Electives *(50% of courses must be at the 3000-4000 level*	**30-31 *S.H.***	
PA 1996 Research Initiative (optional)[4]	1-2	
PA 3173 Internship (optional)[4]	3-6	
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Special Notes:

[1] See prerequisites and equivalencies on page 2

[2]University Requirement for graduation for all undergraduate students that must be satisfied in one of two ways: complete GE 1000 (all freshmen and transfers with 0-29 credits) OR complete GE 3000 (transfers entering with 30 or more credits)

[3] requires a minimum grade of C.

[4] PA 1996 and PA 3173 may be taken twice for credit

*G.E. required course

**Major courses including the capstone require a grade of C or better

MPA REQUIREMENTS AFTER GRADUATION

AFTER undergraduate graduation, students are enrolled as MPA graduate students. At that time, they select from the General, Health Care Administration or Non-profit Management concentrations and complete the remaining 30 graduate credits for their MPA degree.

GENERAL EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL EDUCATION INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Testing and Placement
Incoming freshmen and transfer students may be placed in specific GE Foundations, Developmental or ESL courses as a result of testing prior to registration. Students may be exempt from testing due to SAT scores or prior college work.

Prerequisites and Equivalencies for GE Foundations Courses

GE 1000
Required of all freshmen & transfers entering with 0-29 credits
Prereq: None Equiv: ID 1001

GE 3000
Required of transfers entering with 30 credits or more Prereq: 30 credits and ENG 1030

ENG 1030
Prereq: Placement testing or exemption from placement testing
Equiv: ENG 1031/1032, ENG 1033/1034, ENG 1430, ENG 1620, ENG 1020, ENG 1400

MATH 1000 or 1010 or 1016 or 1030
Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing
Equiv of MATH 1000: MATH 1001/1002, MATH 1003/1004, MATH 1051

MATH 1044 or 1054
Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing and MATH 1000

COMM 1402
Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1031/1032 or ENG 1033/1034 if required by placement testing May be taken concurrently with ENG 1030
Equiv: COMM 1400

GE 2021- 2026 *Research and Technology* is offered as college-based course
GE 2021 College of BPM GE 2022 College of EDU GE 2023 College of CLA GE 2024 College of NAHS & NJCSTM & NWGC
GE 2025 SVPA & Michael Graves College GE 2026 Undecided Majors and other special populations
Prereqs: CS 0412 if required by placement testing ENG 1030 or equivalent
COMM 1402
Equiv: GE 2020

GE Distribution Courses Approved GE

Distribution Courses

All courses taken under the General Education Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution requirements must be selected from the Approved General Education Distribution Course List.
These courses are designated as GEHU, GESS, and GESM. GEHU Humanities
GESS Social Sciences
GESM Science and Mathematics

Required GE Distribution Courses

ENG 2403 is a required Humanities Distribution course with an emphasis on diversity.
Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing; ENG 1030 or equivalent
Equiv: ENG*2203

HIST 1062 is a required Social Sciences Distribution course.
Prereq: None

Foreign Language Credit

The three credits for a foreign language that may satisfy the GE Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirement are awarded only upon successful completion of the second of two semesters of study at the introductory or intermediate level.
Credit for the first semester may be used as elective credit.

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GE 1000/3000 Requirement

All undergraduate students must satisfy this University Requirement for Graduation by successfully completing one of the following courses at Kean University: GE 1000 Transition to Kean (all freshmen and transfers entering with 0-29 credits) or GE 3000 Transfer Transitions (transfers entering with 30 credits or more).

Writing-Emphasis Requirement

All students are required to complete one "Writing- Emphasis" course. The "W-E" course must be within the major portion of your program. Consult your major program advisor for specific information.