City and Regional Planning Minor

Overview

The **Minor in City and Regional Planning**, offered by the Department of Architecture and Environmental Design (AED), is available to all undergraduate matriculating Temple University students (except for students pursuing the Community Development major or minor). Through this minor students undertake formal studies about public planning, thereby preparing themselves for contributions as informed citizens, civically engaged professionals, or ultimately as professional planners.

In this 18-credit minor, the required courses provide common background in the basics of planning, including history, theory, comprehensive planning and its components, ethics and principles of planning practice with particular emphasis on citizen participation, and exposure to a range of analytical methods for understanding community planning issues. The four electives allow students to explore interests in different facets of city planning: land use; housing; economic development; transportation; sustainability and environmental planning.

The minor provides students with the background and with stronger credentials to apply for graduate level work in planning.

Campus Location: Main

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Requirements

Students must earn a minimum grade of C- in courses satisfying minor requirements and must have a minimum 2.0 grade point average in the required 18 credits to earn the minor.

- A student may not double count any course for the Minor in City & Regional Planning toward any other major, minor, or certificate.
- · At least half of the courses for the minor must be taken at Temple University.
- · Courses for the minor must be completed prior to graduation.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses		nours
CTRP 1017	City Planning Principles and Practice	3
CTRP 2213	Environmental Planning	3
Electives		
Four City & Regional Planning elect	ives numbered 2000-3999 ^{1,2}	12
CTRP 2114	Urban Form and Design	
CTRP 2166	Land Use Planning	
CTRP 2251	Sustainable Food Systems Planning	
CTRP 2524	Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems (GIS)	
CTRP 3155	Ecological Planning and Development	
CTRP 3255	Sustainability in Suburban Communities	
CTRP 3256	Sustainable Community Design and Development	
CTRP 3555	Internet and Digital Technologies for Community Engagement	
CTRP 3655	Transportation Planning	
CTRP 3755	Introduction to Emergency Management Planning	
CTRP 3860	Topics in Community & Regional Planning	
CTRP 3870	Special Topics	

Total Credit Hours 18

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Except CTRP 3882, CTRP 3883 and CTRP 3889.

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One of the four electives may be a course from another subject approved by the Department Chair for Planning and Community Development.

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