MURP Requirements (72 units)

Core Courses	UP 207 Applied Microeconomics for Urban Planning (waiver by exam)
(24 units):	UP 211 Law & the Quality of Urban Life (alternative courses available)
	UP 220A Quantitative Analysis in Planning I (waiver by exam)
	UP 220B Quantitative Analysis in Planning II (waiver by experience)
	UP 222A Introduction to Histories and Theories of Planning (waiver by experience)
	UP 224 Racial Justice and Planning
Fieldwork	UP 496 300 Hours of Field Work or
(4 units):	Waiver by Petition (no units for waiving)
Capstone	Varies - Client Project, Thesis, Comprehensive Project
(8 units)	
Electives	At discretion of student, must be related to Urban Planning. If any of the core courses are
(at least 16 units):	waived student must add elective units.

Regional and International Development Concentration

Students in RID are required to take five courses (20 units) in addition to the RID urbanization requirements.

Urbanization	UP 236A Theories of Regional Economic Development (Storper) (offered annually every winter or
Requirement	spring)

Students must take one theory, one methods course, and three electives.

Theory	UP 230 Political Economy of Cities and Development (Herrera) (offered every fall) (international
	focus)
Methods*	UP 237 Sectoral Analysis (McBride) (US/regional focus)
ļ	UP 239 Special Topics: Practice and Planning of Local Economic Development (Osman)
	(US/regional focus)
RID Electives	Regional Focus (US):
(choose three)	UP 229 Zoning for Equity (Monkonnen)
	UP 262 Water Resources (Pierce)
	UP 269 Sea-Level Rise and Social Response (Koslov)
	UP 271A Community and Economic Development (Tilly) ('25-'26 only)
	UP 278 Work and Policy (Tilly)
	International Focus:
	UP 219 Informal City (Mukhija) ('24-25)
	UP 233 Urban Politics in the Global South (Herrera)
	UP 296 Housing Policy and Planning (Monkonnen)
	UP 236B Globalization (Storper) (not currently offered) UP 265B Urban Environment and Socioecologies (offered every other year)
	UP 268 Waste, Environment, and Society (Herrera) (Winter 2025)
	Sociology 236A International Migration PP 270 Economic Principles and Economic Development in
	Indigenous Communities
	Geography 248 Economic Geography of the Global South
	CHS 200 Global Health Problems
	CHS 451 Post-Disaster Community Health
	PP 290 International Poverty and Economic Development
	Also check out Global Public Affairs concentration and their course list for applicable elective ideas:
	https://global.luskin.ucla.edu/
	Many other optionsConsult AOC Coordinator (Veronica Herrera)

^{*}For Methods requirement, a different methods course could be substituted, consult with AOC Coordinator. For example: M208D. Introduction to Qualitative Methods

M208B. The Logic of Inference and Causation

M213. Urban Data Science