

## Generalist Track Options

There are two options for students who wish to fulfill the Generalist Track: The traditional core curriculum which includes additional studio training, and a variant on the traditional core that adds more “methods” courses. Talk with your faculty advisor about these options, compared to a specialization track.

### **Option #1 (Practice)**

**Complete 2 courses (6 credits) and one studio (6 credits)** beyond the MUP degree requirements (core courses, studio, colloquium, and culminating exercise)

1. **One urban planning laboratory-practicum (or “studio”) (6 credits)** (note: one 6-credit studio already required)
2. **Choose two introductory courses from the other five specializations: (6 credits)**
  - a. PD 522 Economic Development and Industrial Change
  - b. PD 535 Urban Management and Governance
  - c. PD 565 Urban Planning and Design I
  - d. PD 566 Urban Planning and Design II
  - e. PD 568 Environmental Planning and Policy
  - f. PD 569 GIS Applications
  - g. PD 575 Development Planning in Practice
  - h. PD 576 Comparative International Development
  - i. PD 606 Community Development Processes

### **Option #2 (Methods)**

**Complete 4 courses (12 credits)** beyond the MUP degree requirements (core courses, studio, colloquium, and culminating exercise)

1. **PD 513 Quantitative Methods for Planning (3 credits)**
2. **One additional methods course chosen from: (3 credits)**
  - a. PD 523 New Media in Planning
  - b. PD 561 Qualitative Methods for Planning
  - c. PD 571 3-D Visual and Urban Simulation
  - d. PD 578 Environmental Planning Methods
  - e. PD 601 Advanced GIS Applications
  - f. PD 602 Environmental Planning Support Systems
3. **Choose two introductory courses from the other five specializations: (6 credits)**
  - a. PD 522 Economic Development and Industrial Change
  - b. PD 535 Urban Management and Governance
  - c. PD 565 Urban Planning and Design I
  - d. PD 566 Urban Planning and Design II
  - e. PD 568 Environmental Planning and Policy
  - f. PD 569 GIS Applications
  - g. PD 575 Development Planning in Practice
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