



Land Use and Environmental Planning

Whether you're new to urban or environmental planning or looking to advance your career, develop practical skills with our Land Use and Environmental Planning Certificate Program. Designed for planning professionals, and those who work closely with them in related fields, our program offers comprehensive training in the topics and issues you address every day on the job.

- **Experienced Instructors**—Learn from working professionals who are recognized experts in their respective fields
- **Immediate ROI**—Utilize the practical skills and lessons you learn on the job the very next day
- **Minimal Time Investment**—Many courses can take weeks to complete, but ours can be finished in anywhere between 7 to 40 hours, meaning our program won't heavily intrude on your lifestyle
- **Online Convenience**—All courses in our program can be completed online with a mix of pre-recorded lectures and live class discussions for an optimized learning experience

For more information or to enroll
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Program at-a-Glance

- Time to completion: 1 - 5 years (max)
- 14 classes
- Individual course: \$425-775 /each
- Entire program: \$7,250-8,050

“The program helped me expand my knowledge in the field of urban and regional environmental planning.”

—John Funderburg, principal planner,
San Joaquin County Community
Development Department

Your Academic Path

Environmental Planning and Site Analysis

4.0 quarter academic credits, X432.3; 40 AICP and 40 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Fall Examine the major components of physical planning and site design as they relate to achieving planning objectives. Review regional landscape analysis, physical and man-made factor analyses, and watershed and program analyses.

Financial Aspects of Planning

4.0 quarter academic credits, X432.4; 28 AICP and 28 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Fall Gain an understanding of how planning decisions impact the economic feasibility of a proposed project for the developer and the public agency.

Community Involvement and Communication in Planning

2.0 quarter academic credits, X432.7; 20 AICP and 20 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Spring Understand the theoretical background and get hands-on practice in regard to involving stakeholders in urban planning and design decisions and natural resources policy.

Planning in California: An Overview

4.0 quarter academic credits, X432.1; 28 AICP and 28 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Winter Learn the concepts, structures and processes of land use planning and development decisions.

Planning and Environmental Law

3.0 quarter academic credits, X432.8; 20 AICP and 24 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Winter Gain a general understanding of planning and environmental law, policy and institutions at both the micro and macro levels.

Urban Planning and Design Studio

3.0 quarter academic credits, X432.6; 28 AICP and 30 MCLE hours

Typically Offered: Spring Receive hands-on practice in professional urban planning and design skills in a studio/lecture format. Critique land use plans and site designs, create and prepare site plans and analyze and develop planning staff reports.

Electives

In addition to the courses identified above, students enrolled in the Land Use and Environmental Planning Certificate Program are required to complete eight elective courses. Classes and professional concentrations in Land Use and Natural Resources, GIS or Sustainability count as electives in this certificate program.



LEARN AND SAVE!

If you commit to completing our Land Use and Environmental Planning Certificate Program in three years or less, we'll:

- Pay for your final class in your program (up to \$675)
- Waive the \$125 candidacy fee

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“The program broadened my existing knowledge while also opening the door to a lot of new topics as well. I would recommend this program to any of my colleagues looking to boost their status or sharpen their skills.”

—Rajpreet Bihala, program graduate

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