

Public Information

The Planning Accreditation Board requires this information be posted for the Master of Urban Planning and Design.

Student Achievement

The MUPD requires planning and design studios in three semesters and the final thesis and practicum study challenge students to synthesize and demonstrate their learning and experience gained in the program.

Soon after graduation, our students have been employed by both public and private agencies in the competitive professional planning community in the nation and the world. Some continue studying in Ph.D. programs. By the 11th anniversary of our program this year, four alumni earned their Ph.D., two took tenure track assistant professor positions, and two others are Ph.D. candidates. Our students' work has been regularly accepted for presentations at national conferences. With this wide array of involvement in the profession, our graduates have founded companies, worked in local, regional, state, and national agencies, formed planning organizations, and shaped the way we plan, design, and teach with regards to the planning profession.

In the 2019-2020 academic year, the evaluations of the student learning outcomes with measurable qualities by the faculty and invited critics indicate that all the students who successfully completed the program achieved the development of requisite skills and knowledge in urban planning profession.

2020-2021 Tuition and Fees

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| In State Residents, per full-time academic year | \$12,750 |
| Out of State Residents, per full-time academic year | \$28,906 |

Student Retention Rate

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| Percentage of students who began studies in fall 2019 and continued into fall 2020 | 100% |
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Student Graduation Rate

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| Percentage of students graduating within 4 years, entering class of 2016 | 84% |
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Number of Degrees Awarded

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| Number of degrees awarded for 2019-2020 Academic Year | 14 |
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AICP Certification

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| Percentage of master's graduates taking the AICP exam within 5 years who pass, graduating class of 2015 | 73% |
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Employment

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| Percentage of full-time graduates obtaining professional planning, planning-related, or other positions within 12 months of graduation, graduating class of 2019 | 100% |
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