

Certificate

Public Procurement and Contract Management Certificate

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The Graduate Certificate in Public Procurement & Contract Management (PPCM) can provide excellent job opportunities and career growth. This online program prepares students with the skills and tools needed to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of procurement and contract management. The Certificate is designed for Public Administration students, Business Administration students, Engineering students, and students from many other disciplines. The PPCM program consists of four required courses and one elective (15 credits total).

Admission Requirements

Admission to this Graduate Certificate program will require a bachelor's degree (or equivalent). Interested students can enroll by completing an online application using the ODU application portal.

Curriculum Requirements

The award of this certificate is based upon the student's successful completion of 15 credit hours of graduate level courses in Public Administration:

PPCM/PADM 718	Public Sector Contract Administration	3
PPCM/PADM 726	Introduction to Public Procurement	3
PPCM/PADM 728	Public Sector Contract Planning and Formation	3
PPCM/PADM 731	Public Sector Procurement Law and Ethics	3
Select one of the following:		3
PADM/PPCM 704 Methods of Public Program Evaluation		
PADM/PPCM 714 Public-Private Partnerships		
PADM/PPCM 719 Leadership		
PADM/PPCM 727 Public Procurement and Project Management		
PADM/PPCM 734 Negotiation and Dispute Resolution		
PADM/PPCM 781 Intergovernmental Management		
Total Credit Hours		15

Additional Requirements

For more information relating to this program and its requirements, please visit <http://www.odu.edu/business/departments/sps/academics/procurement> (<http://www.odu.edu/business/departments/sps/academics/procurement/>).