

**Hornstein/Heller MPP Curriculum
2009-2011**

Subject to Change

Requirements for Dual MPP/MA Degree: The dual degree requires 82 credit hours, usually completed in five semesters, including the summer between years one and two. Roughly half of these courses are in Heller and half in Hornstein. 16 additional elective credits are also required, 4 of which must be related to the study of modern Israel.

Hebrew Requirement: All students are expected to know the Hebrew alphabet prior to beginning their studies. Fluency in Hebrew at a level comparable to one year of college training is required for graduation. Students not meeting this requirement upon entrance are required to enroll in courses in Hebrew language in their first year and, or if necessary, during the summer after the first year. An intensive four-week Hebrew preparatory program is available to students in the summer prior to their enrollment through the Brandeis Hebrew Language Summer Institute, and is highly recommended.

Course no.	Title	Credits	Course no.	Title	Credits	Course no.	Title	Credits
Fall 1			Spring 1			Summer		
HRNS 380	Proseminar (Reimer)	4	HRNS 237	Organizational Behavior and Leadership (Rosen)	4		Field Experience (may continue into fall and/or spring semester)	N/C
HRNS 246	Statistics for Jewish Professional Leaders (Phillips)	2	HRNS	Advanced Statistics for Jewish Professional Leaders (Saxe)	2		Elective	4
NEJS 168b	Jewish Leadership: Innovators and Visionaries (or other elective) (Kurtzer)	4	HRNS 260	Jewish Community & Identity (Sales)	4		Elective	4
HS 356f	Social Policy Frameworks	2	HS 372	Economic Theory & Social Policy	4		Elective	4
HS 359f	Research Design	2	HS 532	Social Policy Analysis	4			
HS 303	Historical & Contemporary Developments in Social Welfare	4	Required Co-Curricular	Starr Colloquium NYC	N/C			
Interession: HRNS 350	Contemporary Israeli-Diaspora Relations (Smith)	N/C	Required Co-Curricular	Milender Seminar in Jewish Professional Leadership	N/C			
	<i>Total</i>	18		<i>Total</i>	18		<i>Total</i>	12

Fall 2			Spring 2			Total	HRNS	
HRNS 241	Jewish Fundraising & Philanthropy (Mersky)	4	HRNS 297	Field Experience (may continue from prior semesters; credit awarded Spring 2)	2	Total	HS	32
HRNS 229	Jewish Polity & Organizational Life (Sales)	4	HRNS	Global Jewry	4	Total	Course related to modern Israel	4
HRNS 247	Evaluation (Saxe)	2	HS 405	Applied Econometrics	4	Total	Other electives	12
HS 472	Policy and Program Implementation	4	HS 336a	Capstone Seminar	4	Total All		
HS	MPP Elective	4						82
	Field Experience (may continue from summer and/or into spring semester)	N/C						
January Interession: HRNS 350	Foster Seminar in Israel: Contemporary Israeli-Diaspora Relations (Smith)	2						
	<i>Total</i>	20		<i>Total</i>	14			