

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND POLICY STUDIES (CDPS):**

- a. **PROPOSED MINOR [APPROVED AT UCC OCTOBER 22, 2013;  
APPROVED AT FACULTY COUNCIL NOVEMBER 12, 2013]**

**Proposed Change: Community Development and Policy Studies (CDPS) underwent a major curriculum overhaul two years ago when the Community Development program was combined with the Public Policy program. At that time, we neglected to include an option to minor in the new combined CDPS program. We propose to correct that oversight and add a minor to the program offerings.**

**Rationale: All other FSSH programs currently offer a minor. CDPS should be in line with the other FSSH programs.**

**New Calendar copy to be inserted after current 15.5.6**

**[15.6.7XX] Program information – Community Development and Policy Studies minor  
Minor requirements (18 credit hours)**

A minor in **Community Development and Policy Studies** is available to all students of other majors at UOIT. Students should be aware of course prerequisites needed to pursue this minor. To obtain a minor in

**Community Development and Policy Studies** students must complete the following courses:

CDPS 1000U What is Community?  
SSCI1200U Social Policy  
CDPS 2200U Theories of Policy Analysis  
CDPS 2502U Community Development Policy

Choose four of the following:

CDPS 2000U Mobilizing for Change  
CDPS 2100U Global Communities  
CDPS 3100U Political Economy of Global Development  
CDPS 3101U Inequality and Development  
CDPS 3102U Culture & Community  
CDPS 3200U Rural-Urban Fringe  
CDPS 3201U Rural Communities  
CDPS 3203U Urban Development  
CDPS 3300U Building Sustainable Communities  
CDPS 3500U Equity Policy  
CDPS 3501U Poverty and Public Policy  
CDPS 3600U Education Policy  
CDPS 3601U Health and Public Policy  
CDPS 3602U Workplace and Employment Policy  
CDPS 3603U Housing Policy  
CDPS 3700U Social Theory and Technology

CDPS 3750U Technology and Popular Culture  
CDPS 3751U Technology and Conflict  
CDPS 3800U Economics for Public Policy I  
SSCI 3200U Public Administration

**b. Community Development and Policy Studies: NEW CALENDAR COPY TO  
INSERT AFTER CURRENT 15.5.6 re GASC Pathway (see item 1) above)**

**[15.5.8 XX]Program Information – Community Development and Policy Studies Bridge  
and Pathways Programs**

Students may apply for admission into the second year of the Community Development and Policy Studies program upon successful completion of a General Arts and Sciences Certificate - UOIT Liberal Arts Transfer option (GASC). Eligible applicants must have achieved a mark of not less than 70% in each required course in the GASC – UOIT Liberal Arts Transfer courses, with an overall GPA of not less than 3.0 on a 4.3 scale (70%). Admission remains competitive and so is not guaranteed.