

PROJECT MANAGEMENT (MS)

Department Website (<https://www.sps.nyu.edu/homepage/academics/masters-degrees/ms-in-project-management.html>)

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Program Description

The Master of Science in Project Management offers a practical business perspective needed by project managers. It provides a comprehensive, rigorous educational experience that focuses on leading practices, principles, and methodologies associated with the project management science. The program's curriculum stresses management and leadership concepts and complements students' existing business and technical expertise. The range of project management knowledge and experience, including extensive content in areas such as quality, communications, project operations, organizational leadership, business ethics, risk management, contracts, project initiation, planning, financial management, and schedule control, are at the core of this program. You will be prepared to direct major public and private projects, as well as portfolios of complex enterprise projects, in an increasingly complex managerial environment. You will graduate with the tools, techniques, skills, and knowledge to be an effective project manager and organizational leader, with greatly improved prospects for advancement and career change.

Admissions

Admission to master's programs at the NYU School of Professional Studies requires the completion of a U.S. bachelor's degree or its international equivalent. Admissions decisions are made through a holistic review process. Visit the SPS Admissions website (<https://www.sps.nyu.edu/homepage/admissions/admissions-criteria-and-deadlines/graduate-programs.html>) for detailed application requirements and deadlines.

Program Requirements

The program requires the completion of 36 credits, comprised of the following:

Course	Title	Credits
Core Requirements		
MSPM1-GC 1000	Principles of Project Management	3
MSPM1-GC 1005	Leading Global Organizations	3
MSPM1-GC 1010	Transforming Organizations	3
MSPM1-GC 1015	Organizational Ethics	3
MSPM1-GC 1020	Intercultural Business Communication	3
MSPM1-GC 1025	Management of Information Systems	3
Specialization Courses		
Select five of the following: ¹		15
MSPM1-GC 2000	Applying Project Management Principles in IT	
MSPM1-GC 2010	Project Information and Communication Management	
MSPM1-GC 2020	Project Risk Analysis and Quality Assurance	
MSPM1-GC 2030	Project Management Operations	

MSPM1-GC 2040	Agile Project Management	
MSPM1-GC 3000	Special Topics in Project Management	
MSPM1-GC 3910	Internship ²	
Capstone		
MSPM1-GC 4000	Enterprise Project Management	3
Total Credits		36

- ¹ Students may select from any of the courses listed in this specialization category, including the Internship course. Additionally, students may request departmental approval for a course offered within other graduate programs within the Division of Programs in Business, or the Real World Course (RWLD1-GC 3050).
- ² Students must complete a minimum of 18 credits and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 to be eligible to apply for the internship course (MSPM1-GC 3910).

Sample Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
1st Semester/Term		
MSPM1-GC 1000	Principles of Project Management	3
MSPM1-GC 1005	Leading Global Organizations	3
MSPM1-GC 1025	Management of Information Systems	3
MSPM1-GC 2000	Applying Project Management Principles in IT	3
Credits		12
2nd Semester/Term		
MSPM1-GC 1020	Intercultural Business Communication	3
MSPM1-GC 2020	Project Risk Analysis and Quality Assurance	3
MSPM1-GC 2030	Project Management Operations	3
MSPM1-GC 2040	Agile Project Management	3
Credits		12
3rd Semester/Term		
MSPM1-GC 1010	Transforming Organizations	3
MSPM1-GC 1015	Organizational Ethics	3
MSPM1-GC 2010	Project Information and Communication Management	3
MSPM1-GC 4000	Enterprise Project Management	3
Credits		12
Total Credits		36

Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the program, graduates will:

1. Determine the alignment of the framework of structured project management, life cycle, knowledge domains, and constraints, with its selected methodology.
2. Assess the scope of a project to determine the essential components of the project plan.
3. Demonstrate effective management and leadership skills in project initiative.
4. Prepare resources and communications management plans for projects, addressing diversity and inclusion, ethical considerations, and overall impact of projects.
5. Utilize strategic planning tools to develop an enterprise project portfolio business case.

6. Develop subsidiary plans for each project management knowledge domain.

Policies

NYU Policies

University-wide policies can be found on the New York University Policy pages (<https://bulletins.nyu.edu/nyu/policies/>).

School of Professional Studies Policies

Additional academic policies can be found on the School of Professional Studies academic policy pag (<https://bulletins.nyu.edu/graduate/professional-studies/academic-policies/>)e (<https://bulletins.nyu.edu/graduate/professional-studies/academic-policies/>).

Internship Course Policy

Students must complete a minimum of 18 credits and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 to be eligible to apply for the internship course.