



MASTER'S PROGRAMS ADMISSION AND FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION

Date of Application: _____ Planned Enrollment Date: MPA – Fall _____

MSES – Fall _____

MSES – Spring _____

I. EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Application for:

- Master of Public Affairs (MPA)
- Master of Science in Environmental Science (MSES)
- MPA/MSES
- MPA/JD (Are you currently enrolled at IU's Law School? _____)
- MSES/JD (Are you currently enrolled at IU's Law School? _____)
- MPA/MA
 - African American and African Diaspora Studies
 - Caribbean and Latin American Studies (CLACS)
 - Central Eurasian Studies (CEUS)
 - East Asian Languages and Cultures (EALC)
 - Journalism
 - Russian and East European Studies (REEI)
 - West European Studies (WES)
- MSES/MA
 - Biology
 - Geography
 - Journalism
- MSES/MS
 - Geological Sciences
 - Geography
- MPA/MIS
- MPA/MLS
- Accelerated MPA (requires advance approval of Program Director)
- Accelerated MSES (requires advance approval of Program Director)

Please check your areas of interest for graduate studies:

Public Affairs

- Comparative and International Affairs
- Economic Development
- Environmental Policy and Natural Resource Management
- Information Systems
- Local Government Management
- Nonprofit Management
- Policy Analysis
- Public Financial Administration
- Public Management
- Specialized

Environmental Science

- Applied Ecology
- Environmental Chemistry, Toxicology and Risk Management
- Water Resources
- Specialized

II. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle or Birth)

Current Address (until _____) _____
 Phone (____) _____

Permanent Address _____
 Phone (____) _____

E-mail Address _____

Where should we write to you? Current Address Permanent Address

Where should we telephone you? Work (Area Code)

Home (Area Code)

Birth Date _____ Place _____ Sex: M F

U.S. Citizen? Yes No Country of Citizenship _____ Indiana Resident? Yes No

GRADUATE PROGRAMS OFFICE

SPEA 260
 1315 E. Tenth Street
 Bloomington, Indiana
 47405-1701

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 Fax: 812-855-7802

V. RESUME AND PERSONAL STATEMENT

Submit a resume with your application. Report professional experiences, significant part-time and voluntary work experiences. Also, list your academic honors, honorary organizations, extracurricular activities, professional and civic organizations, offices held, and publication credits.

Respond to the following essay questions on separate sheets of paper. A single essay may be submitted answering both questions.

- a. Describe your most important accomplishments and how they have prepared you for graduate study at the School of Public and Environmental Affairs.
- b. Outline both your academic and professional goals. Explain your reasons for selecting the School of Public and Environmental Affairs for graduate study.

VI. FINANCIAL AID AND SERVICE

Would you like to be considered for SPEA merit-based financial aid? Yes No

(This is the only form necessary to apply for SPEA merit aid. Priority consideration for funding is given to students who submit a completed application file by February 1.)

Would you like to be considered for the SPEA Service Corp? Yes No

(<http://www.iu.edu/~speaweb/prospect/corps/mainpg.html>)

Public Corps? Yes No

Nonprofit Corps? Yes No

Do you have a current FAFSA on file? Yes No

(It is highly recommended that all students pursuing advanced study submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid to qualify for need-based aid.)

Have you completed service with any of the following? Yes No

Please check which affiliation:

Peace Corps

Americorps

Teach For America

Washington Leadership Program

Are you currently an applicant or nominee for a fellowship from an organization or agency other than a university? Yes No

If yes, which fellowship? _____

Are you eligible to apply as a: CIC participant?

Yes No

Project 1000 participant?

Yes No

McNair Scholar?

Yes No

MEDIC-B Scholar?

Yes No

National Physical Science Consortium?

Yes No

PPIA Fellow?

Yes No

Are you a first generation college student? Yes No

VI. RECRUITMENT INFORMATION

How did you hear about our program?

Campus visit

Peterson's Guide

Completed other studies at IU

External ads (magazine, newspapers)

Referrals/faculty

Other; specify:

Graduate fair

Referral/SPEA alumni, students

Graduate school guide

SPEA mailing

Gradschools.com

US News & World Report

Peace Corps brochure/advertisement

World Wide Web

Please list individuals who have had an influence over your decision to apply to SPEA. Include contact information.

To what other schools are you applying?

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

I certify that the information included here is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I agree to notify the School of Public and Environmental Affairs Graduate Program Office of any changes in my situation.

Signature _____ Date _____

