



# Master of Public Administration

**STUDY IN NEW YORK CITY**

**JOHN  
JAY** COLLEGE  
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- **Opens doors for careers within public agencies, not-for-profit organizations, and independent and oversight agencies as managers, analysts, and leaders.**
- **Offers Advanced Certificate in Forensic Accounting for professional careers in investigative accounting.**
- **Offers evening, online, Saturday-only, and summer course options.**
- **Charges the most affordable tuition rates in the NYC area.**
- **Offers textbook and PC tablet loans.**
- **Accredited by the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (NASPAA).**

## An MPA program unlike any other

For John Jay College Master of Public Administration (MPA) students, the sky is the limit. The College offers two exceptional degree programs—an MPA in Public Policy and Administration (PPA) or an MPA in Inspection and Oversight (IO); a choice of seven different areas of specialization within each program; and the ability to transfer from one MPA program to the other without special approval or application fees.

### MPA-PPA Specializations

- Court Administration
- Criminal Justice Policy and Administration
- Emergency Management
- Human Resources Management
- Law and Public Management
- Management and Operations
- Urban Affairs

### MPA-IO Specializations

- Forensic Accounting
- Organizational Assessment and Monitoring
- International Inspection and Oversight
- Investigation and Operational Inspection
- Law and Inspection and Oversight
- Justice Policy and Oversight
- Independent and Contractual Inspection and Oversight

The College also offers a program at West Point whereby military personnel attending the Academy can earn their

MPA-PPA degree. Family members, as well as civilians, are eligible to attend courses at this location. Students have two specializations from which to choose: Human Resources Management or Management and Operations.

The College offers MPA-IO students the option of gaining their degree through an online MPA-Inspector General Program that was developed in conjunction with the Association of Inspectors General. This unique program combines online study and face-to-face instruction that takes place at Association conferences.

For MPA-IO students seeking careers in accounting with a special focus on fraud investigation, the College offers an Advanced Certificate in Forensic Accounting. Upon completing the program (along with the required pre-requisite and co-requisite courses), students will have earned the required accounting academic qualifications for admission to the CPA examination in New York State.

## The best of the best

John Jay College's tradition of academic excellence provides students with the opportunity to learn from internationally recognized experts in the field of Public Administration. The faculty boasts renowned scholars; Inspectors General; state assemblymen; United Nations advisers; award-winning authors; forensic accountants; lawyers; and high-level professionals from federal, state, and local agencies, non-profit organizations, and private-sector firms.

## A rigorous course of study

Both of the College's MPA programs share common foundation courses. In addition, students have dozens of electives from which to choose. MPA-PPA courses include *The Ethical and Legal Environment of Public Employment*; *Contemporary Issues in Court Administration*; *Probation and*

## **A master's degree in Public Administration from John Jay College opens doors.**

**Our graduates enter public service, where they work for city and state agencies, and for federal agencies such as the FBI, the CIA, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the Environmental Protection Agency, the Congressional Budget Office, and Immigration Services. They hold government positions at the federal, state, and city levels. Our MPA graduates are found within law enforcement, healthcare, and non-profit organizations, in addition to human resources and compliance departments. They also become accountants, lawyers, researchers, and business and budget analysts. In addition, our graduates use their MPA degree as a springboard to gain entry into top universities, where they enroll in doctoral programs and may go on to teach. The career options for students who hold an MPA degree from John Jay College are limitless.**

*Parole: Theory and Practice; Seminar in Civil Rights and Civil Liberties; and Managing People: A Human Resources Perspective.*

MPA-IO students have the opportunity to select from a similarly extensive list of electives. Among the many possibilities are courses such as *Fraud, Abuse, Waste, and Corruption; Oversight by Independent, Regulatory, and Political Authorities; Terrorism and Politics; The Female Offender in Western Society*, and *Crime Scene Investigation*.

Because the majority of students enrolled in John Jay College's MPA program are working professionals, classes are scheduled during weekday evenings, Saturdays and online.

## **Unparalleled hands-on experience**

John Jay College's master's program in Public Administration offers exceptional internship opportunities. The College maintains professional relationships within the New York City Department of Investigation; the state and local comptrollers' offices; the mediation unit within the EEOC; the compliance and investigations office within the New York City Council; the Bronx Family Court Clerk's Office; the New York State Division of Human Rights; the MTA; the U.S. Department of Probations; the offices of federal, state, and city Inspectors General; the New York City Department of Education; and the compliance offices within a number of financial institutions. These are but a few of the hands-on opportunities available to John Jay College MPA students.



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To schedule a meeting and visit our campus, please contact:

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With John Jay's Master of Public Administration, you will make a world of difference.  
Come explore the possibilities.



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