Example Plan of Study for Ph.D. in Education and Social Policy Program
the plan is the same for M.A., except that the M.A. ends in spring of Year 2

Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4	
Fall	**Spring**	**Fall**	**Spring**	**Fall**	**Spring**	**Fall**	**Spring**
Public Policy (3 credits)	Educational Foundations (3 credits)	Advanced Quantitative Analysis (3 credits)	Advanced Method (3 credits)	Qualifying Exam	Proposal Defense	EDUC 969 Dissertation (9 credits)	Defend Dissertation and Graduate
Social Policy (3 credits)	Qualitative Analysis (3)	Disciplinary Foundation (3 credits)	Mixed Methods or Evaluation (3 credits)	EDUC 964 Pre-Candidacy Study (9 credits)	EDUC 964 Pre-Candidacy Study (9 credits)		UNIV 999 Doctoral Sustaining (9 credits)
Regression/ Multivariate Analysis (3 credits)	Research Design (3 credits)	Causal Design (3 credits)	Advanced Methods (3 credits)				
Human Develop-ment (3 credits)	Ed and Social Policy elective 1 of 3 (3 credits)	Ed and Social Policy elective 2 of 3 (3 credits)	Ed and Social Policy elective 3 of 3 (3 credits)				
Colloquium (1 credit)	Colloquium (1 credit)	Colloquium (1 credit)	Colloquium (1 credit)	Colloquium (0 credit)	Colloquium (0 credit)	Colloquium (0 credit)	Colloquium (0 credit)
13 credits	13 credits	13 credits	13 credits				
Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA	Research assistant-ship or TA