

The Degree of Master of Spatial Analysis for Public Health (MSAPH – 180 points)

Not open to new enrolments in 2024.

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the General Regulations for the University.

1. Version

- (a) These Regulations came into force on 1 January 2018.
- (b) This degree was first offered in 2018.

2. Variations

In exceptional circumstances the Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate may approve a personal programme of study which does not conform to these Regulations.

3. The structure of the qualification

To qualify for the Degree of Master of Spatial Analysis for Public Health a student must complete all courses listed in Schedule C to these Regulation

4. Admission to the qualification

A student for the Degree of Master of Spatial Analysis for Public Health, before applying to enrol in the degree, must have:

- (a) qualified for a university degree and have some prior training or experience in GIS and statistics (subject to approval of the Kaihautū Hōtaka | Programme Director and/or Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate);
- (b) presented evidence of ability for advanced level academic study by normally having achieved a B Grade Point Average in relevant 300-level courses;
- (c) been approved as a student for the degree by the Amo Matua, Pūtaiao | Executive Dean of Science or delegate.

5. Subjects

There are no majors, minors or endorsements for this qualification.

6. Time limits

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University with a time limit of 36 months.

7. Transfers of credit, substitutions and cross-credits

This qualification adheres to the Credit Recognition and Transfer Regulations, with no additional stipulations.

8. Progression

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, which permits 30 points of course failures to qualify for the degree, with the following stipulation:

GEOG694 may not be failed.

9. Honours, Distinction and Merit

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, and may be awarded with Distinction and Merit.

10. Exit and Upgrade Pathways to other Qualifications

There are no advancing or exit qualifications for this degree.

Schedule C: Compulsory Courses for the Degree of Master of Spatial Analysis for Public Health

For full course information, go to www.canterbury.ac.nz/courses

Course Code	Course Title	Pts	2024	Location	P/C/R/PP/EQ
GEOG694	Community or Workplace Based Project	60	NO		P: Subject to approval of the Head of Department
GISC402	GI Science Research	15	S2	Campus	P: Entry subject to approval by the Programme Director. RP: GEOG-DIGI205 or GISC422
GISC404	Spatial Analysis	15	S1	Campus	P: Subject to the approval of the Programme Director. RP: GEOG-DIGI205 or GISC422 or equivalent, GEOG323
GISC411	Spatial Analytics for Health, Society and Environment	15	NO		P: Entry is subject to the approval of the Programme Director: GIS. RP: HLTH462 recommended but not required.
HLTH402	Health Information Management	30	S2	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of School
				Distance Learning	
HLTH462	Quantitative Methods in Health	15	S2	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of School R: HLTH460
STAT447	Official Statistics	15	S2	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of School R: STAT474
STAT448	Big Data	15	S1	Campus	P: Subject to approval of the Head of School
				Distance Learning	
			S2	Campus	
			S2	Distance Learning	