

Master of Arts in Dispute Resolution (MADR)

Coursework Requirements Curriculum Checksheet

The Master of Arts in Dispute Resolution (MADR) offers a challenging program, informed by a multicultural perspective, in the growing and recognized field of dispute resolution. As an interdisciplinary field, grounded in the fundamental idea that dispute resolution techniques are inherently democratic in giving voice to disputants, the program provides practical and academic experience that constitutes the range of dispute resolution activities: community, civil and school mediation, organizational and family dispute intervention, legal or business negotiation, and international peacemaking and diplomacy.

Total Credits: 30

Eight required core MADR courses (24 cr):

PCS 6100: Introduction to Peace and Security Studies (3 cr) _____

COM 6350: Communication, Culture & Conflict (3 cr) _____

DR 6120: Human Diversity & Human Conflict (3 cr) _____

DR 7100: Roots of Social Conflict (3 cr) _____

DR 7210/MGT 7780: Concepts & Processes of Dispute Resolution: Negotiation (3 cr) _____

DR 7220: Concepts & Processes of Dispute Resolution II:

Neutral Intervention Theory & Practice (3 cr) _____

DR 7310: Practicum in Dispute Resolution (3 cr) _____

DR 7890: Final Seminar in Dispute Resolution (3 cr) _____

Two elective courses (6 cr):

In addition to the core courses, students are required to take a minimum of two electives (minimum 6 credits) from offerings across campus. A list of *some* possible electives is available on the MADR web page at madr.comm.wayne.edu/madrelectives.html. Electives should be selected in consultation with the academic director of the dispute resolution program.
