

MASTER'S DEGREE

MARINE STUDIES

MARINE SPATIAL PLANNING & MANAGEMENT

ONLINE

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Master of Marine Studies (Marine Spatial Planning and Management) is a multi-disciplinary academic program that provides students with both conceptual/theoretical background and practical applied skills in integrated coastal and ocean management (ICOM) and marine spatial planning (MSP). The program provides a broad level understanding of planning processes and the governance, policy/legislative, ecological, social, cultural and economic elements of coastal and ocean areas complemented by practical and applied skills for stakeholder engagement, project management and utilization of geospatial technology to support planning and management efforts.



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the program is on a limited and competitive basis.

To be considered for admission to the program, an applicant will normally possess a relevant second class or better undergraduate degree from a university of recognized standing.

PROGRAM DELIVERY

This program is delivered entirely online. It includes options for a comprehensive course route, course work and an Internship, or course work and a Research Project.

Email: recruitment@mi.mun.ca

Tel: 1-800-563-5799 or 709-778-0543

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APPLICATION DEADLINES

FALL ADMISSION

MAY 15

FALL ENTRY ONLY. THIS PROGRAM DOES NOT ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR THE WINTER OR SPRING SEMESTER.

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

This program includes options for a comprehensive course route, course work and an Internship, or course work and a Research Project. The program is structured to provide a balance between conceptual/theoretical background and practical applied skills. As such, students will develop a broad level understanding of planning processes and the governance, policy/legislative, ecological, social, cultural and economic elements of coastal and ocean areas complemented by practical and applied skills for stakeholder engagement, project management and utilization of geospatial technology to support planning efforts. Throughout the program, courses will be structured to introduce theoretical concepts and then examine real world examples of their application. Students will complete seven core courses, an internship (MSTM 6019) or research project, and choose one of two options for elective course selection.

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

PROGRAM LENGTH

30 CREDIT HOURS OF COURSE WORK + INTERNSHIP OR

30 CREDIT HOURS OF COURSE WORK + RESEARCH PROJECT OR

36 CREDIT HOURS OF COURSE WORK

COURSE LOAD

FULL TIME OR PART TIME

START DATE

SEPTEMBER

COURSE LIST

For a complete list of course options please visit:
mi.mun.ca/msp

TO APPLY

The application for admission or readmission is submitted online.

Applicants who are new to Memorial University should follow the application instructions at <https://apply.mun.ca/>

Current and returning applicants should apply using the Admissions menu within the Memorial Self-Service at <https://apply.mun.ca/>



TUITION AND FEES

For tuition and fees information please visit:
mun.ca/become/graduate/tuition-fees-and-funding/