

Representative Tracks for Public and Community Service Studies Majors:

Not-for-Profit Management Track

This track will emphasize the skills and conceptual tools—derived from disciplines such as management, marketing, finance, and accounting—essential to anyone interested in the not-for-profit organizations and their work.

Humanities Track

This track will explore the philosophy, theology, arts, literature and culture of community service, with a view toward integrating students' appreciation and analysis of the relationship among culture, values, and community, all as they relate to public service.

Social Science/Policy Analysis Tract

This track will allow students to examine the connections between community service and larger social and public policy questions. Students may choose a specific policy interest for their emphasis (e.g.: public health, education, science, and technology) or may craft a more general group of courses to make up the track.

Environmental Tract

This track will permit the exploration of environmental issues and problems through courses drawn from the physical sciences as well as the humanities. It will be the student's responsibility, in conjunction with faculty advisors, to demonstrate the relationship of the track to the major and to show how the track of courses chosen deepens understanding of the particular subject area in relation to service. As such, students will normally not be allowed to use three introductory or survey-level course to comprise the track.