

**Requirements for a College Park Scholars Citation in Public Leadership (PL)  
for students entering in the Fall Semester 2019 include:**

Semester 1		Semester 2	
1.	CPPL 100 Fr. Colloquium I (1 credit)	3.	CPPL 101 Fr. Colloquium II (1 credit)
2.	PLCY 201 (HS or SP/IS) (3 credits) Public Leaders and Active Citizens	4.	*ENGL 101S (AW) (3 credits)
Semester 3		Semester 4	
5.	CPPL 200 Colloquium III (1 credit)	7.	Practicum (3 credits): Choose from Experiential Learning Course, Research Course, Service Course, Internship or Study Abroad <sup>1</sup>
6.	Oral Communication Course (OC) (3 credits) <sup>2</sup>		

\*Scholars unable to take ENGL101S in the recommended semester may enroll in either fall or spring; Scholars can also take ENGL101 as a substitute for ENGL101S.

(See reverse side for all citation requirements)

**<sup>1</sup>Practicum:** You must complete a **3-credit** practicum in your sophomore year to complete your PL Citation. The practicum gives you a chance to apply the skills and knowledge you have gained in your first year by going deeper on a specific topic or project. You can earn your 3 credits in one of the following ways:

1. A UMD course that focuses on experiential learning (talk to PL about which courses are eligible);
2. A UMD research course;
3. A UMD study abroad trip;
4. A UMD course that gives you credit for sustained service (talk to PL about which programs are eligible);
5. An internship – must be enrolled in a UMD course that gives 3 credits for internships

**Below is a sampling of courses that fulfill the practicum requirement:**

PLCY 388G	Global Philanthropy
PLCY 388D	Do Good Now
BSOS 388B	Do Good Now
ENES 467	Engineering for Social Change
PLCY 349I	The Art and Science of Philanthropy
CPSP359S	Advanced Practicum: Research
CPSP339P	Advanced Practicum: Internship

Please note: Course numbers and offerings vary from year to year. Once you have decided which type of practicum you want to do (experiential course, internship, research, service or study abroad), please meet with Kelly Brower ([kbrower@umd.edu](mailto:kbrower@umd.edu)) and your academic advisor to finalize your selection.

<sup>1</sup> The practicum course can be taken anytime between the summer before sophomore year and end of sophomore year.

<sup>2</sup> Can be taken at anytime during these four semesters.

**To earn your citation in Public Leadership, you must meet the following requirements:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete an ePortfolio during your fourth semester;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in the College Park Scholars Academic Showcase;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete the College Park Scholars program evaluation at the end of your sophomore year (online);
- \_\_\_\_\_ Model good community citizenship (confirmed with Offices of Resident Life and Student Conduct);
- \_\_\_\_\_ Comply with the University’s Code of Academic Integrity (no XFs on a candidate’s transcript);
- \_\_\_\_\_ Earn a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 for all Public Leadership coursework<sup>3</sup>;
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete all requirements within your first four semesters at UMD; and
- \_\_\_\_\_ Complete 15 credits as outlined below.

1.	CPPL 100	Colloquium I			1
2.	PLCY 201	Public Leaders and Active Citizens	I-series; History/Social Science; Scholarship in Practice		3
3.	CPPL 101	Colloquium II			1
4.	ENGL101S	Composition	Fundamental Studies – Academic Writing		3
5.	CPPL 200	Colloquium III			1
6.	Oral Communication Course		Fundamental Studies - Oral Communication		3
7.	Practicum	Options listed on other side	Many will be Scholarship in Practice		3
	Total Credits earned toward your Scholars Citation				15

At the completion of your sophomore year, PL staff will confirm the information above by consulting our attendance records, discussions with residence life, and reviewing your transcript. On a case-by-case basis, the PL Director will consider requests to complete the requirements in longer than four semesters.

<sup>3</sup> Students who complete all course and program requirements but who do not meet the minimum GPA, are eligible to receive a certification of program completion. This does not appear on your academic transcript but it is an accomplishment you can reflect on your résumé.



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Scholars in Public Leadership must register for the following:

**1. College Park Scholars Colloquium I: Public Leadership (Pick one section)**

CPPL 100	Section 0101	Tu 5:00pm-6:15pm	1 Credit
CPPL 100	Section 0201	Tu 6:30pm-7:45pm	1 Credit
CPPL 100	Section 0301	W 5:00pm-6:15pm	1 Credit

**2. Leadership for the Common Good (HS or SP, IS)**

PLCY 201	Section 0101	TuTh 2:00pm-3:15pm	3 Credits
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**Need More Information?**

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