



M.A. in Responsible Management & Sustainable Economic Development

Academic Year 2025-2026

Department of Environment and Development

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First Term: August - December

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
Orientation	UPEACE Resident. Faculty and Staff	---	Tuesday 19 August - Friday 22 August 2025
UPM 6001 UPEACE Foundation Course *Mandatory*	Visiting Faculty	3 credits	Monday 25 August - Friday 12 September 2025 8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. CRT
UPM 6003 The UN System and UPMUNC (Part I)	Visiting Faculty	2 credits	Wednesday 17 September - Tuesday 30 September 2025
RMSED 6059 Geopolitics and Goeconomics in the 21st Century.	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 6 October - Friday 24 October 2025
RMSED 6047 Development Studies and International Cooperation	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Wednesday 29 October - Tuesday 18 November 2025
DED 6097 Coastal Resources Management	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 24 November - Friday 12 December 2025

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Second Term: January - June

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
DED 6084 Social Research Methods	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits NOTE: Including two double sessions	Wednesday 7 January - Tuesday 20 January 2026 Double Sessions
RMSED 6061 Social Responsibility	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 26 January - Friday 13 February 2026
DED 6024 Food Security or DED 6050 Climate Change Governance	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 16 February - Friday 6 March 2026
RMSED 6058 Circular Bioeconomy	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 9 March - Friday 27 March 2026
RMSED X Sustainability Frameworks in Practice	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 13 April - Friday 01 May 2026
DED 6095 Gender, Environment and Development	UPEACE Resident Faculty	3 credits	Monday 04 May - Friday 22 May 2026
UPM 6003 The UN System and UPMUNC (Part II Model UN)	UPEACE Resident Faculty	1 credits	Wednesday 27 May - Friday 29 May 2026

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Third Term: June - December

Courses	Faculty	Credits # - Week	Dates
<p>Project. Thesis (8 credits) or Internship (8 credits) or Capstone (5 credits) *Mandatory*</p>	<p>UPEACE Resident Faculty</p>	<p>8 credits</p>	<p>Monday 8 June - Thursday 31 December 2026</p>

Graduation Project

The Graduation Project can be fulfilled through one of the following modalities:

Thesis: 8 credits
Internship: 8 credits
Capstone: 5 credits

ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 - 2026 Total Number of credits

For Thesis Track: 33 course credits + 8 Thesis credits = 41 credits

For Internship Track: 33 course credits + 8 Internship credits = 41 credits

For Capstone Track: 36 course credits * + 5 Capstone credits = 41 credits

Note: Students who choose Capstone as a Graduation Project must take 3 additional course credits. Your Academic Coordinator will provide you with further information about this.

End of Academic Year Ceremony: Friday 05 June 2026