

**PART-TIME (1 Credit/Term)**

**Sample Curriculum Plan**

NOTE: 15 units of credit needed to fulfill requirements for graduation

*First Year—5 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i>                 | <i>Winter Quarter</i>                   | <i>Spring Quarter</i>      | <i>Summer Quarter</i>   |
|-------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Foundations I* (.5)                 | Designing Strategies for Knowledge Work | Foundations II* (.5)       | (Electives** available) |
| Accelerating Learning & Performance |   | Executing Strategic Change |                         |

*Second Year—4 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i>                    | <i>Winter Quarter</i>                      | <i>Spring Quarter</i> | <i>Summer Quarter</i>   |
|--|--|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Designing Sustainable Strategic Change | Advancing Learning & Performance Solutions | Making Knowledge Work | (Electives** available) |

*Third Year—4 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i>     | <i>Winter Quarter</i>   | <i>Spring Quarter</i>         | <i>Summer Quarter</i> |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (Electives** available) | (Electives** available) | Capstone 1 (Research Methods) | Practicum             |

*Fourth Year—4 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i> | <i>Winter Quarter</i> | <i>Spring Quarter</i> | <i>Summer Quarter</i> |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Capstone II         | Capstone III          |                       |                       |

\* “Foundations I” and “Foundations II” are each .5 unit credit. “Foundations II” is an action learning experience that begins in the fall term and extends through the spring term. Students may enroll in either fall or spring to receive credit for their work during the three terms.

\*\* Electives chosen from Northwestern programs include Kellogg School of Business, Medill Integrated Marketing Communications Program, Learning Sciences Program, etc.; MSLOC electives include “Transformational Consulting” offered during Winter Term and “Cognitive Design” offered during Summer Term.

NOTE: Although this plan shows only one course/quarter, part-time students typically alternate between one and two classes/quarter, contingent upon their other work and life demands. MSLOC core classes (change, learning and knowledge) are only offered during the quarter in which they appear above. The “Practicum” can be taken any term once MSLOC core courses are completed. “Capstone I: Research Methods” is only offered during the spring quarter and can be taken once MSLOC core courses are completed.

FULL-TIME (3 Credits/Term)

Sample Curriculum Plan

NOTE: 15 units of credit needed to fulfill requirements for graduation

*Scenario with no summer classes*

*First Year—9 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i>                    | <i>Winter Quarter</i>                      | <i>Spring Quarter</i>         | <i>Summer Quarter</i>        |
|--|--|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Foundations I* (.5)                    | Advancing Learning & Performance Solutions | Making Knowledge Work         | (Paid Internship- no credit) |
| Accelerating Learning & Performance    | Designing Strategies for Knowledge Work    | Executing Strategic Change    |                              |
| Designing Sustainable Strategic Change | Elective 1**                               | Capstone I (Research Methods) |                              |
|  |  | Foundations II* (.5)          |                              |

*Second Year—6 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i> | <i>Winter Quarter</i> | <i>Spring Quarter</i> | <i>Summer Quarter</i> |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Capstone II         | Capstone III          |                       |                       |
| Elective 2          | Elective 3            |                       |                       |
| Practicum***        | Elective 4            |                       |                       |

*Scenario with summer classes*

*First Year—12 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i>                    | <i>Winter Quarter</i>                      | <i>Spring Quarter</i>         | <i>Summer Quarter</i> |
|--|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Foundations I* (.5)                    | Advancing Learning & Performance Solutions | Making Knowledge Work         | Capstone II           |
| Accelerating Learning & Performance    | Designing Strategies for Knowledge Work    | Executing Strategic Change    | Elective 2            |
| Designing Sustainable Strategic Change | Elective 1**                               | Capstone I (Research Methods) | Practicum***          |
|  |  | Foundations II* (.5)          |                       |

*Second Year—3 units credit*

| <i>Fall Quarter</i> | <i>Winter Quarter</i> | <i>Spring Quarter</i> | <i>Summer Quarter</i> |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Capstone III        |                       |                       |                       |
| Elective 3          |                       |                       |                       |
| Elective 4          |                       |                       |                       |

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