## Degree Requirements for the Masters in Marine Policy 9-25-2013

Area	Requirement (30 credit hours)
Law and Institutions	Credits: 3 MAST 660 International and National Ocean Policy
Decision Analytics	Credits: 3  MAST 663 Decision Tools for Policy Analysis
Economics	Credits: 3  Take one of the following:  MAST 675 Natural Resource Economics  MAST 676 Environmental Economics
Seminar	Credits: 3 MAST 873 MP Seminar taken 3 times
Policy/Science/Economics/Law Electives	Credits: 12 Courses approved by Major Advisor
Science Elective	Credits: 3  Course approved by Major Advisor and Associate Director of Marine Policy. Typically a course from one of the other three program areas in SMSP satisfies the science requirement but it may also be taken from outside SMSP if approved.
Analytical Paper	Credits: 3  MAST 865 Research credits for the analytical paper. (i) Proposal for analytical paper approved by advisory committee. (ii) Analytical paper defended before and approved by the advisory committee.  The analytical paper is article length and targeted for publication at the level of Marine Policy, Ocean and Coastal Management, Coastal Management, or other policy, law, science, or economics journal of similar or higher level. The final paper should be in a form suitable for submission to a journal. See "Guidelines for AP" and "Guidelines for AP Proposal." Both are posted on the MP seminar website.
Advisory Committee	Committee of three or four member. Major advisor must be a core Marine Policy faculty member. One of the other committee members must be a core or joint faculty in SMSP. Student works with major advisor to form committee.
Time Line/Milestones	Semesters 1 - 3: Complete course work Before 3 <sup>rd</sup> semester: Form committee and complete analytical paper proposal Semesters 3 - 4: Complete analytical paper
Paperwork	Complete MMP student progress report as you progress through the program.
Official College Statement of Requirements	http://academiccatalog.udel.edu/Pub_ShowCatalogPage.aspx?CATKEY=CATKEY_1846&ACYEAR=2013-2014