

## Course Detail

**Course Title :** Master of Science Program in Smart City Management and Digital Innovation

**Master Degree :** Master of Science (Smart City Management and Digital Innovation) /  
M.S. (Smart City Management and Digital Innovation)

**Credit Requirement:** Plan A Type A 2  
Total Credit not less than 36 credits

## Structure of the Program

### Plan A Type A 2

No.	Requirements	Plan A Type A 2	
		Higher Education Curriculum Standards, 2022	Revised Curriculum 2025
1	Coursework not less than		18
	1.1 Core Courses	-	9
	1.2 Electives not less than	-	9
2	Thesis not less than	12	18
3	Independent Study	-	-
4	Required Non-Credit Courses	-	5
Total not less than		36	36

### Plan A Type A 2

<b>Coursework</b>	<b>Not less than</b>	<b>18 Credits</b>
<b>Core Courses</b>		<b>9 Credits</b>
854501	Infrastructure and Smart City Management	3(2-3-5)
854502	Data Science and Machine Learning for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854503	Innovation Management for Low Carbon Society	3(2-3-5)

<b>Electives</b>	<b>Not less than</b>	<b>9 Credits</b>
Students can select courses of their interest, totaling no less than 9 credits, under the guidance of their academic advisor.		
854511	Feasibility Study and Business Plan for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854512	Smart Energy System	3(3-0-6)
854513	Sustainable Community Energy Management for Smart City	3(3-0-6)
854514	Optimization for Low Carbon Energy System	3(2-3-5)
854515	Community Design and Urban Development for Smart City	3(3-0-6)
854516	Design of Innovation Platform for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854517	Artificial Intelligence Tools and Applications for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854518	Big Data Analytic and Utilization for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854519	Special Topics in Smart City Management and Digital Innovation	3(3-0-6)
<b>Thesis</b>		<b>18 Credits</b>
854591	Thesis 1, Type A 2	3 Credits
854592	Thesis 2, Type A 2	6 Credits
854593	Thesis 3, Type A 2	9 Credits
<b>Required Non-Credit Courses</b>		<b>5 Credits</b>
854571	Research Methodology in Science and Technology	3(3-0-6)
854581	Seminar 1	1(0-2-1)
854582	Seminar 2	1(0-2-1)

**Study Plan****Plan A Type A 2****The First Year  
First Semester**

854571	Research Methodology in Science and Technology (Non-credit)	3(3-0-6)
854501	Infrastructure and Smart City Management	3(2-3-5)
854502	Data Science and Machine Learning for Smart City	3(2-3-5)
854503	Innovation Management for Low Carbon Society	3(2-3-5)
<b>Total</b>		<b>9 Credits</b>

**The First Year  
Second Semester**

854xxx	Elective Course	3(x-x-x)
854xxx	Elective Course	3(x-x-x)
854xxx	Elective Course	3(x-x-x)
854572	Seminar 1 (Non-credit)	1(0-3-1)
854591	Thesis 1, Type A 2	3 Credits
<b>Total</b>		<b>12 Credits</b>

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**The Second Year  
First Semester**

854582	Seminar 2 (Non-credit)	1(0-2-1)
854592	Thesis 2, Type A 2	6 Credits

**Total 6 Credits**

**The Second Year  
Second Semester**

854593	Thesis 3, Type A 2	9 Credits
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**Total 9 Credits**

**Course Content/Study Topic:**

**854501 Infrastructure and Smart City Management 3(3-0-6)**

Concepts and components of smart cities; dimensions and city operating systems; Infrastructure and public service subsystems; management and planning for growth, essential information and communication technology infrastructure; relevant laws and policies; benefits, evaluation indicators, and global examples of smart cities

**854502 Science and Machine Learning for Smart City 3(2-3-5)**

Fundamentals of data science; exploratory data analysis; introduction to machine learning; deep learning; advanced machine learning techniques; big data technologies for smart cities; Internet of Things (IoT) and sensor networks in smart city; data integration and management; smart city applications

**854503 Innovation Management for Low Carbon Society 3(2-3-5)**

Technology disruption to smart city and digital innovations; policy and strategy for smart city; creative thinking and digital innovation development for smart city; innovation management techniques; valuation of innovation; concepts of sustainability and expected characteristics of architecture according to sustainability

and low carbon society concepts; ideas and practices of efficient use of energy, renewable energy, and other available resources; creation of sustainability through professional practice

**854511 Feasibility Study and Business Plan for Smart City 3(2-3-5)**

Concept and technique of business strategic planning; business planning component; feasibility study for smart city projects; foresight analysis; implement the business plan; research for digital marketing; related tools; risk and sensitivity analysis; evaluation of economic, societal, and environmental impacts of the projects; case studies of success and failed business models

**854512 Smart Energy System 3(3-0-6)**

Smart energy in smart city context; smart energy technology; smart grid technology; microgrid system; distributed energy resources; demand response; virtual power plant and net zero energy

**854513 Sustainable Community Energy Management for Smart City 3(3-0-6)**

Problem and opportunity of community energy; community energy technology; digital technology for community; application of digital technology for community management; evaluating the cost-effectiveness of technology usage

**854514 Optimization for Low Carbon Energy System 3(2-3-5)**

Basics and principles of low carbon electric power and thermal systems; design principles and optimization techniques; optimization algorithms using mathematical optimization; metaheuristic optimization and hybrid optimization; computer programming; machine learning; application of optimization techniques for solving energy system problems and reduce carbon dioxide emissions; case study on using optimization technique for designing low carbon energy system

**854515 Community Design and Urban Development for Smart City 3(3-0-6)**

Meaning of community; characteristics of community and elements of the city; concept of urban design; urban structure; urban information; problem situations and challenges of urban development; urban management system; establishing linkages between community and city; process of community and stakeholder participation; space management for all groups of people

**854516 Design of Innovation Platform for Smart City 3(2-3-5)**

System analysis and design conceptualization; data modeling; standardization and data integration; innovation platform in smart city; enabling tools and technologies for platform development; designing the platform in smart energy; business model canvas analysis; case studies of innovation platform in smart city

**854517 Artificial Intelligence Tools and Applications for Smart City 3(2-3-5)**

Concept of artificial intelligence; machine learning fundamentals; linear classification; neural networks and deep learning; data collection and management; computer vision in smart city; natural language processing; optimization with artificial intelligence; public safety and security; ethics and privacy in artificial intelligence

**854518 Big Data Analytic and Utilization for Smart City 3(2-3-5)**

Big data conceptualization; big data analytic; big data analytics tools and technologies; open data and the challenges; designing the big data infrastructure; evaluate the big data technologies for implementation in smart city; big data utilization for business value in smart city; case studies on applying big data for smart city

**854519 Special Topics in Smart City Management and Digital Innovation 3(3-0-6)**

New knowledge in smart city management and digital innovation based on current interest such as foresight, various crises, artificial intelligence, smart energy, smart environment

**854571 Research Methodology in Science and Technology 3(3-0-6)**

Research definition, characteristic, and research goals; types and research processes; research problem determination; variables and hypothesis; data collection; data analysis; proposal and research report writing; research evaluation; research application; ethics of researcher; proper techniques of research methodology in science and technology

**854581 Seminar 1 1(0-2-1)**

Emphasize on encouraging students to learn how to search, criticize the articles and published papers; practice the oral presentation with precise content on related topics of current research or thesis in smart city management and digital innovation

**854582 Seminar 2 1(0-2-1)**

Presentation and discussion of current research topics related to smart city management and digital innovation with precise topic and content

**854591 Thesis 1, Type A 2 3 Credits**

Studying the components of a thesis or of samples of thesis studies in related fields; determining the thesis topic/title; developing a concept paper; and preparing a review of related literature and research studies

**854592 Thesis 2, Type A 2 6 Credits**

Design and develop data collection tools; research methodology and preparing a thesis proposal and to be presented to the thesis committee; obtain approval for thesis proposal to conduct research

**854593 Thesis 3, Type A 2 9 Credits**

Collecting data; analyzing data; preparing a progress report to be presented to the thesis advisor(s); preparing a complete thesis and publishing a research article according to the graduation criteria and defending thesis examination; submit the final version of the thesis

## Requirements to Graduate in Master Degree

Requirements	Plan A Type A 2
1. Having completed the duration of study as specified by the course	✓
2. Having registered all courses as required by the course	✓
3. Having completed all courses and passed all conditions as specified in the course	✓
4. Having a grade point average of not less than 3.00	✓
5. Having passed the English proficiency test as announced by the University 5.1 Internet-based TOEFL : 35 5.2 International English Language Testing System (IELTS) : 5.0 5.3 CU-TEP : 54 5.4 Cambridge Placement Test (CEPT) : B1 (37) 5.5 Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC) : 601 5.6 TEC-W Score : 76 5.7 English Proficiency Enhancement for Graduates (EPE) : EPE Intermediate	✓
6. Having proposed the thesis defense and passed the final oral thesis defense	✓
7. The thesis or part of the thesis must be published or at least have been accepted for <b>publication in the form of articles, creative works, innovations, inventions, or other academic works</b> that can be searched in accordance with the university announcement along with the university council's approval.	✓





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