

**Fall 2021 – PA 5413**

# **Early Childhood and Public Policy**

## **Course Overview**

Early Childhood & Public Policy will be taught in fall 2021 by State Representative Dave Pinto, the chair of the Minnesota House Early Childhood Finance & Policy committee and the founder of the Prenatal to Three Policy Forums.

The course will examine state and federal policies relating to the first five years of life, the process by which such policies are developed, and the skills of policy advocacy on behalf of young children and their families. There will be a particular emphasis on the policy context in Minnesota. This course is part of the early childhood policy certificate.



**Wednesdays, 6:00 - 8:45 pm**

**Instructor is David Pinto**

Questions about the course? Email [dave@davepinto.com](mailto:dave@davepinto.com). Need a class permission number? Email Stacey Grimes at [grime004@umn.edu](mailto:grime004@umn.edu).

## **Who Should Take This Course?**

Graduate students from a wide variety of disciplines who have an interest in the course content are welcome to enroll. There is no prerequisite.



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