

Graduate Certificate Nonprofit Management and Leadership

Program Requirements:

A minimum of 18 credit hours are required for the degree program.

- Courses must be numbered 6000 or above.
- Three hours of internship are also required. Students who have significant relevant field experience in the nonprofit sector may request that the internship requirement be waived. To request a waiver, students must submit a written request with appropriate documentation. The waiver must be approved by the program director. Students who receive a waiver must take an additional three hours of electives in lieu of the internship.

Application Requirements:

1. [Online Graduate Application](#)
2. Official transcripts from all universities attended. A Bachelor's degree is required.
3. Entrance examinations:
 - a. International Students must document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination. See [International Admissions](#) for more information.
4. **Minimum GPA of 3.0 on 4.0 scale**
5. Letters of Recommendation: 2 letters of recommendation are required from individuals who can evaluate your recent academic performance.

Application Deadlines:

Domestic Applicants: Fall - July 1 ♦ Spring - December 1 ♦ Summer - May 1

Applications are processed as they are submitted. However, applications that are not received by the posted date may delay admission until the following semester.

Application Fees:

\$50 for domestic applicants

\$40 for international applicants

Graduate Program Director:

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