NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT - GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

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Description
The Nonprofit Management graduate certificate prepares graduates to work in the management and administrative positions in nonprofit organizations across a range of industries. Students acquire basic management skills, as well as applied skills specific to the nonprofit sector, that may include fundraising, executive board relations, policy advocacy and nonprofit law.

Prospective employers are nonprofit sector organizations as well as private and public sector organizations that frequently interact with nonprofit organizations.

Fully Offered At:
• Online

Admission Requirements
• Bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university
• Minimum 3.000 undergraduate GPA on a 4.000 point scale
• Official transcript(s)
• GRE score or equivalent (GRE waiver available) (Effective Spring 2020, GRE scores will no longer be required)
• Goal statement
• Writing Sample
• Three letters of recommendation
• English language proficiency - all international students must provide proof of English language proficiency (unless they meet specific exceptions) by earning one of the following:
  • Minimum 550 TOEFL PBT score (paper-based version)
  • Minimum 79 TOEFL IBT score (Internet-based version)
  • Minimum 77 MELAB score
  • Minimum 6.5 IELTS score
  • Minimum 58 PTE score

Program Requirements

Certificate Requirements

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Certificate Electives, choose from the following: 9

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Minimum Total Credit Hours: 12

Graduation Requirements

Minimum Certificate GPA
3.000