

# NONPROFIT STUDIES - MINOR

## College of Education, Health and Human Services

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## Description

The Nonprofit Studies minor prepares students for careers in a variety of nonprofit organizations at the local, state, national and international level. The curriculum provides students with knowledge and competencies in areas such as grant writing and fundraising, mission and vision, advocacy and lobbying, risk management, board development, program planning, leadership and ethics, human resource development, youth and adult development, marketing, financial management and non-profit management. Students gain real world experience with local nonprofit agencies through a practicum experience.

The Nonprofit Studies minor may be beneficial for students with a major or interest in business, education, gerontology, psychology, sociology, health sciences, public health, political science and human development and family studies.

## Fully Offered At:

- Geauga Campus
- Kent Campus

## Admission Requirements

Admission to a minor is open to students declared in a bachelor's degree, the A.A.B. or A.A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree (not Individualized Program major). Students declared only in the A.A. or A.S. degree or the A.T.S. degree in Individualized Program may not declare a minor. Students may not pursue a minor and a major in the same discipline.

To declare this minor, students must have attempted a minimum 12 credit hours at Kent State and earned a minimum 2.000 overall Kent State GPA. Students who have not attempted 12 credit hours at Kent State will be evaluated for admission based on their high school GPA for new students or transfer GPA for transfer students. Transfer students who have not attempted 12 credit hours of college-level coursework at Kent State and/or other institutions will be evaluated based on both their high school GPA and college GPA.

## Minor Requirements

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Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Minor Requirements</b>		
HDFS 44032	NONPROFIT FUNDRAISING AND GRANTWRITING	3
HDFS 44033	COMMUNITY OUTREACH IN NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT (ELR)	3
HDFS 44034	PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES OF NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT	3
Methods/Analysis Elective, choose from the following:		3-4

ACCT 23020	INTRODUCTION TO FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	
ANTH 38490	QUANTITATIVE ANTHROPOLOGY	
COMM 30000	COMMUNICATION RESEARCH METHODS	
POL 30001	RESEARCH METHODS (ELR)	
PSYC 21621	QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY I	
SOC 32220 & SOC 32221	DATA ANALYSIS and DATA ANALYSIS LABORATORY	
Internship/Practicum	Elective, choose from the following: <sup>1</sup>	3
ATTR 45292	INTERNSHIP IN ATHLETIC TRAINING I (ELR)	
BMRT 21092	INTERNSHIP IN MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY (ELR)	
BUS 40192	INTERNSHIP IN BUSINESS (ELR)	
CACM 35092	INTERNSHIP IN CONFLICT MANAGEMENT (ELR)	
COMM 45092	INTERNSHIP IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES (ELR)	
CRIM 46792	INTERNSHIP (ELR)	
EDST 44092	PRACTICUM IN EDUCATIONAL STUDIES (ELR)	
ENG 41096	INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATION	
ENG 49095	SENIOR SPECIAL TOPICS	
GERO 43092	PRACTICUM IN NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATION I (ELR)	
GERO 43192	PRACTICUM IN NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATION II (ELR)	
GERO 44092	PRACTICUM IN GERONTOLOGY (ELR)	
HDFS 44092	PRACTICUM IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES (ELR)	
HDFS 44192	INTERNSHIP IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES-CASE MANAGEMENT I (ELR)	
HDFS 44292	INTERNSHIP IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES-CASE MANAGEMENT II (ELR)	
HED 44092	INTERNSHIP IN COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATION (ELR)	
IGST 40192	INTERNSHIP IN INTEGRATIVE STUDIES (ELR)	
IHS 44092	PRACTICUM IN INTEGRATED HEALTH STUDIES (ELR)	
PH 40196	INDIVIDUAL INVESTIGATION IN PUBLIC HEALTH	
PH 44092	INTERNSHIP IN PUBLIC HEALTH (ELR)	
POL 40980	COLUMBUS PROGRAM IN STATE ISSUES (ELR)	
POL 40981	WASHINGTON PROGRAM IN NATIONAL ISSUES (ELR)	
POL 40992	INTERNSHIP (ELR)	
RPTM 46092	INTERNSHIP IN RECREATION (ELR)	
SOC 42092	INTERNSHIP IN SOCIOLOGY (ELR)	
SPAD 25092	PRACTICUM I IN SPORT ADMINISTRATION (ELR)	
SPAD 35092	PRACTICUM II IN SPORT ADMINISTRATION (ELR)	
SPAD 45092	INTERNSHIP IN SPORT ADMINISTRATION (ELR)	
THEA 41992	THEATRE PRODUCTION INTERNSHIP (ELR)	
THEA 42292	PRACTICUM II: THEATRE MANAGEMENT (ELR)	
WMST 40992	PRACTICUM IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (ELR)	
Any other internship or practicum course		
Development Elective, choose from the following:		3
COMM 36505	COMMUNICATION, AGING AND CULTURE	
COMM 46605	COMMUNICATION ACROSS THE LIFESPAN	
EPSY 29525	EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY	

GERO 14029	INTRODUCTION TO GERONTOLOGY (DIVD) (KSS)
GERO 40656	PSYCHOLOGY OF AGING
GERO 44030	ADULT DEVELOPMENT AND AGING (WIC)
HDFS 24012	CHILD DEVELOPMENT
HDFS 24013	EARLY ADOLESCENCE
HDFS 44020	ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT
NURS 20950	HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS
PH 30005	SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE THEORIES IN PUBLIC HEALTH
PSYC 20651	CHILD PSYCHOLOGY (DIVD) (KSS)
PSYC 30651	ADOLESCENT PSYCHOLOGY
RPTM 36010	RECREATION, LEISURE AND AGING
SOC 42421	CHILDHOOD IN SOCIETY
SOC 42478	ADOLESCENCE IN SOCIETY
SOC 42879	AGING IN SOCIETY (DIVD)

Minimum Total Credit Hours:

18

- <sup>1</sup> An internship/practicum is required at a non-profit organization; students must make prior arrangements with the program director. Before taking the internship/practicum course, students must have taken (or will take concurrently) HDFS 44033 and HDFS 44034.

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## Graduation Requirements

### Minimum Minor GPA

2.000

- After declaring the Nonprofit studies minor, students are required to meet with the program director to discuss course selection and procedures for completing the minor.
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be upper-division coursework (30000 and 40000 level).
- Minimum 6 credit hours in the minor must be outside of the course requirements for any major or other minor the student is pursuing.
- Minimum 50 percent of the total credit hours for the minor must be taken at Kent State (in residence).