NONPROFIT STUDIES - MINOR

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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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Methods/Analysis Elective, choose from the following: 3-4

Development Elective, choose from the following: 3

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  DATA ANALYSIS
& SOC 32221 and DATA ANALYSIS LABORATORY

Internship/Practicum Elective, choose from the following: 1

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)
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

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

1 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.

### 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).