

CERTIFICATE IN NONPROFIT AND MISSION-DRIVEN MANAGEMENT

The Certificate in Nonprofit and Mission-Driven Management is tailored for professionals who want to become managers and leaders of nonprofit and other mission-driven enterprises. Students can customize their course of study, choosing among courses addressing effective financial and systems management in the government and nonprofit sectors, social entrepreneurship, community and regional planning and policy making, economic development, and more.

Several certificate programs are offered in public administration. These programs provide students with a post-baccalaureate knowledge of an area of specialization in public administration. Students in these programs register as certificate students. Certificate programs require a set of four courses. Students who are admitted to a master's degree program may apply coursework previously taken in a certificate program toward the requirements for the master's degree.

This certificate is designed for professionals who want to increase their knowledge and skills in nonprofit and mission-driven management but do not currently have the time to pursue a Master of Public Administration degree.

Curriculum

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Course		(12)
PA 502	Organizational Behavior	3
Select a minimum of three core courses from the following:		9
PA 505	The Law and the Nonprofit Sector	3
PA 533	Advanced Financial Management for Public and Nonprofit Sectors	3
PA 540	Alternative Dispute Resolution	3
PA 541	Performance Measurement in Nonprofit and Public Management	3
PA 543	Public Policy, Nonprofits, and Philanthropy	3
PA 556	Public Management Strategies for the 21st Century	3
PA 565	The Nonprofit Sector	3
PA 566	Nonprofits and the Public Sector	3
PA 570	Social Capital and the Community	3
PA 579	Ethics and Professional Responsibility in Public Service	3
Total Credit Hours		12