

# Nonprofit Leadership Studies

2019–2020 Catalog Year

The Nonprofit Leadership Studies undergraduate degree is designed to prepare students for a career in the nonprofit sector. Students will learn the essentials of managing & leading nonprofit organizations such as marketing, operations, management, & leadership. Courses will examine volunteer management & recruitment, fundraising, grant writing, philanthropy, leadership, finance, & community resources. Courses will be offered using the traditional in class model & supported with blended classes & online courses to support busy students. Faculty members are already actively participating in the DFW nonprofit community, & will provide an important bridge between students & this growing industry.

A major in Nonprofit Leadership Studies requires 48 semester credit hours: 33 hours of required courses, and 15 hours of supporting courses for the major.

## A major in Nonprofit Leadership Studies will help equip students with these competencies:

- Analytical minds for financial management, budget, & transparency
- Structures that govern nonprofits
- Foundation for nonprofit management, ethics, & managing volunteers cross-sector relationships
- Societal trends on programs & projects
- Analytical thinking & the fundamentals of cross-sector relationships
- Fundraising, operations, proposal writing, research, & evaluation

## Major Requirements

(2.50 GPA is required in the major with each course having a "C" or better in order to apply for Graduation)

### Required Courses (33 hours):

<b>PADM 3010</b>	Foundations of Philanthropy & Nonprofits	<b>PADM 4240</b>	Volunteer Management, Concepts & Applications
<b>PADM 3020</b>	Public Management	<b>PADM 4250</b>	Community Development & Collaborative
<b>PADM 4050</b>	Negotiation & Dispute Resolution	<b>PADM 4260</b>	Volunteer Program Planning & Evaluation
<b>PADM 4200</b>	Leadership Theory & Practice for Volunteer Managers	<b>PADM 4300</b>	Nonprofit Leadership Capstone
<b>PADM 4210</b>	Intro to Philanthropy & Fundraising	<b>PADM 4310</b>	Comm. Service Internship
<b>PADM 4220</b>	Proposal Writing & Grants Administration		

### Supporting Courses for the Major (15 hours – Choose 5 courses):

<b>PADM 2100**</b>	Cultural Competency in Urban Governance	<b>PADM 4030</b>	Dispute Resolution in the Global Workplace
<b>PADM 3000</b>	Public Administration	<b>PADM 4040</b>	Crisis Intervention
<b>PADM 3030</b>	Managing Nonprofit Organizations	<b>PADM 4070</b>	Arbitration Basics
<b>PADM 3200</b>	Creating Innovative Cities	<b>PADM 4130</b>	American Intergovernmental Relations
<b>PADM 3420</b>	Bureaucracy & Public Policy	<b>PADM 4170</b>	Introduction to Research in the Social Sciences
<b>PADM 3700</b>	Issues in Public Administration	<b>PADM 4230</b>	Social Evolution of Contemporary Volunteerism
<b>PADM 4000</b>	Mediation	<b>PADM 4240</b>	Volunteer Management, Concepts & Applications
<b>PADM 4010</b>	Family Mediation	<b>PADM 4450</b>	Public Policy Analysis
<b>PADM 4020</b>	Dispute Resolution in the Workplace	<b>PADM 4610</b>	Topics in Comm. Service ( <i>may be repeated</i> )
<b>MGMT 3850 or</b>	Foundations for Entrepreneurship <i>or</i>	<b>PADM 4900</b>	Special Problems
<b>MGMT 4235</b>	Social Entrepreneurship	<b>PADM 4920</b>	Cooperative Education in Economic Development Regional Sectoral Analysis
<b>COMM 2040**</b>	Public Speaking	<b>JOUR 3410</b>	Public Relations for Nonprofits

\*Consult with NPLS Academic Advisor for additional information

\*\*PADM 2100 AND COMM 2040 can satisfy both general academic requirements & major requirements