Master of Arts in Social Gerontology
Thesis Option & Non-Thesis Option
Offered online or on campus

Required To apply:
1. 3.00 GPA
2. Accepted to UNO Graduate Studies (UNO Graduate Admission process). Complete and submit to the Gerontology Department the Application with a writing sample (Department requirements).
   - The Department of Gerontology has rolling admission to the Master of Arts program. Applications are accepted year-round.

Thesis option: 36 credit hours
Gerontology Core Courses: Minimum of 18 credit hours of course work, to include:
   - GER0 9110: Applied Social Gerontology
   - GER0 9460: Seminar in Aging & Human Behavior
   - Up to 6 hours of select courses based on career or educational goals of student
   - Minimum of 6 hours of research methods
   - Minimum of 6 hours of GER0 8990: Thesis

Non-Thesis option: 36 credit hours
Gerontology Core Courses: Minimum of 15 credit hours of course work, to include:
   - GER0 9110: Applied Social Gerontology
   - GER0 9460: Seminar in Aging and Human Behavior
   - Up to 15 hours of select courses based on career or educational goals of student
   - Minimum of 3 hours of research methods
   - GER0 8940 Practicum: 3 credit hours
     - Students complete 156 hours at an approved practicum site of their choice, allowing for important real-world experience before graduation.
     Practicum Requirement:
     1. 2.50 GPA
     2. 9 hours of Gerontology courses completed
     - A written comprehensive examination upon completion of course work for Non-Thesis option.

Prospective students please refer to the application checklist or contact the University of Nebraska Omaha Department of Gerontology at 402.554.2272.

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