

MINOR & CERTIFICATE

The certificate and minor may be completed online, on campus, or as a mix of both.

GERONTOLOGY

The study of the physical, psychological, and social aspects of aging. A way of life.

Certificate (18 Credits)

- Gerontology Coursework: Students choose 15 credit hours (5 courses) in gerontology based on their career and educational goals.
- Gerontology Practicum: 3 credit hours Students complete 156 hours at a practicum site of their choice. This allows for important real-world experience before graduation.
- Sample Courses:
GERO 2000: Intro to Gerontology
GERO 3000: Community Resources for Older Adults
GERO 4460: Psychology of Adult Development
GERO 4500: Legal Aspects of Aging
GERO 4550: Health Aspects of Aging
- Available for undergraduate and graduate students.
- May be completed by individuals who are working in the field and does not require full-time enrollment at UNO.

Minor (18 Credits)

The minor is very similar to the certificate. However, students who pursue the minor are not required to complete a practicum and choose a traditional course instead.



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WHY GERONTOLOGY?


There are now more people over the age of 65 than under 5! Diversify your degree and career options with a certificate or minor in Gerontology.


Complementary areas of study include:


- Architecture or Interior Design
- Biology
- Behavioral Health
- Black Studies
- Business Administration
- Communication Studies
- Counseling
- Criminology & Criminal Justice
- Economics
- Emergency Management
- Exercise Science
- Healthcare Administration
- Law
- Neuroscience
- Non-Profit Administration
- Political Science
- Pre-Medicine
- Pre-Nursing
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Recreation & Leisure Studies
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Speech-Language Pathology
- Women & Gender Studies

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