NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP (ONLINE) (Z159)

Graduate Certificate Program
College: Public Policy

ABSTRACT

The Nonprofit Management and Leadership Certificate (online) is a four-course (twelve-credit) graduate certificate program that is designed to provide skills and experiences that enable students to delve deeply into the complex challenges facing nonprofit leaders. The certificate will equip students to formulate innovative strategies, negotiate the complexities of nonprofit management, develop entrepreneurial skills, generate more resources, effectively manage finances, and employ their talents to make a significant difference for a nonprofit organization and the community it serves.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The School has financial aid available in the form of fellowships, graduate assistantships, and employment. All qualified applicants meeting appropriate deadlines are considered.

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Courses: PLCY (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/courses/plcy/)

ADMISSIONS

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Statement of Purpose (https://gradschool.umd.edu/sites/default/files/2024-10/umdstatementofpurposeZ159.pdf)
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

- CV/Resume

*Visa Eligibility: This program is not eligible for I-20 or DS-2019 issuance by the University of Maryland.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Type of Applicant	Fall Deadline	Spring Deadline
Domestic Applicants		
US Citizens and Permanent Residents	July 25, 2025	November 22, 2024
International Applicants		
F (student) or J (exchange visitor) visas; A,E,G,H,I and L visas and immigrants	N/A	N/A

RESOURCES AND LINKS:
Program Website: spp.umd.edu (https://mage.umd.edu/)
Application Process: gradschool.umd.edu/admissions (https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/)

REQUIREMENTS

- Nonprofit Management and Leadership, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (P.B.C.) (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/nonprofit-management-and-leadership-online-z159/nonprofit-management-and-leadership-online-pbc/)