

NORTH PARK UNIVERSITY

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT

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REQUIRED COURSES:

ADULT LEARNING CORE:

GS 2050	Strategies and Technologies for Professional Development	4 sh
GS 2080	Writing for the Disciplines	4 sh

MAJOR COURSES (40 semester hours)

ORG 3034	Business Communications	4 sh
ORG 4074	Leadership and Management	4 sh
ORG 4094	Principles of Marketing	4 sh
ORG 4120	Business Ethics	4 sh
ISIT 3030	Information Systems in Organizations	4 sh
BADM 3100	Principles of Macro and Micro Economics	4 sh
**NPM 4170	Elements of Nonprofit Management	2 sh
**NPM 4180	Nonprofit Governance and Volunteer Management	4 sh
**NPM 4190	Financial Management of Nonprofit Organizations	2 sh
**NPM 4200	Building Public and Financial Support for Nonprofit Organizations	4 sh
BADM 4400	Strategic Management	4 sh

** Available only on the Chicago campus or online.

Developed for professionals who aspire to leadership positions in the nonprofit sector, this major provides strong skills development in all major functions of nonprofit management including board governance, fundraising, volunteer management, and financial management.

Students are prepared for graduate programs in nonprofit administration, and social work.

TARGET AUDIENCE:

Working students who want to complete their bachelor's degree in a values-based educational environment.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- at least 12 sh from an accredited college or university;
- at least 2.0 gpa (on a 4.0 scale);
- free online application;
- official transcripts from all colleges attended.

Prospective students may scan/email unofficial transcripts for the initial evaluation.

COST:

\$550 per semester hour. Ask about scholarships.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

- Complete the free on-line application.
- Submit official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended.
- Upon evaluation and acceptance, students are referred to an advisor to discuss program options and orientation.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

Year-round calendar with six intensive sessions. Each session is seven weeks in duration.

DELIVERY MODE:

Bachelor's degree in Nonprofit Management available face-to-face, online, or hybrid.

LOCATION(S) OF COURSES:

University Center facility in Grayslake and online.

TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

Texts are available online through the North Park bookstore website.

TRANSFER POLICY:

- School of Professional Studies will accept up to 90 semester hours from a community/city college providing the hours are all transferable.
- Students may transfer up to 90 semester hours from an accredited four-year college/university.
- North Park's residency requirement is 32 semester hours.
- Students must complete 50% of the major with North Park.
- A minimum grade of "C" or better is required to waive a course in the major.
- Courses are waived at the discretion of the major department faculty chair.

TOTAL HOURS NEEDED:

Minimum of 120 credit hours, including all major and general education requirements.

FINANCIAL AID INFO:

Student Administrative Services at (773) 244-5560.

SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS:

- Accelerated and intensive class sessions meet once a week for seven weeks
- Credit for Life Experience: Earn Prior Learning Assessment (PLA) credit hours at North Park by demonstrating learning gained outside a traditional academic environment—informal life experience, professional training, certification, licensure, or any other source.
- North Park University is distinctively Christian, urban, and multicultural.