

Graduate Programs in Nonprofit Management



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

- Ranked 8th in nation by *U.S. News & World Report*
- First standalone nonprofit program accredited by NASPAA
- Offered completely online

COURSEWORK INCLUDES:

- Nonprofit Organizations
- Volunteerism in Nonprofit Management
- Nonprofit Resource Development
- Grant and Contract Management
- Human Resource Management
- Nonprofit Administration
- Nonprofit Financial Management
- Public Program Evaluation
- Strategic Planning and Management

For complete program requirements, see the UCF Graduate Catalog at graduatecatalog.ucf.edu.

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MANAGING NONPROFITS

Nonprofit managers oversee organizations dedicated to furthering a cause or mission. They manage nonprofit operations, analyze needs, and develop and implement programs to benefit members or communities or to assist specific causes. They frequently collaborate with a network of professionals focused on meeting the needs of community members.

NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT AT UCF

UCF offers a Master of Nonprofit Management and Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Management. Both programs emphasize professional and ethical management practices in the nonprofit sector. An MNM cohort option for out-of-state students and a dual Master of Public Administration-MNM option are available as well.

Master of Nonprofit Management

The 36-credit-hour MNM program equips students with the nonprofit management skills and program evaluation techniques needed for successful careers in nonprofit organizations. The program is oriented towards challenges facing nonprofit organizations, including those associated with finance, human resources, volunteer management and growth management.

Graduate Certificate

The graduate certificate program provides continuing education for both pre-career students and those already employed in the nonprofit sector and seeking advancement.

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WHERE GRADUATES WORK:

- American Hebrew Academy
- Adolph and Rose Levis Jewish Community Center
- City of Waconia (Minnesota)
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- Florida State College Foundation
- GoldenRule Housing and Community Development Corporation
- Grassroots Consulting Inc.
- Heart of Florida United Way
- LeFrank Organization
- Orangewood Christian School
- Planned Parenthood of Southwest and Central Florida
- REBUILD globally
- UnitedHealth Group
- United Way of Northeast Florida
- University of Central Florida
- University of Maryland
- Valencia College
- Winter Park Health Foundation

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WHERE CAN I GET A JOB?

Many graduates of the MNM program find employment with local area nonprofit organizations, open their own nonprofit or work with government agencies to enhance the nonprofit sector. They often work as directors or in leadership roles in finance, human resources, strategic planning and community engagement. Some graduates specialize in grant writing or fundraising and later advance into leadership roles.

Small grassroots nonprofit organizations are more likely to have small staffs with positions that overlap. The executive director also may raise funds, or the volunteer coordinator may also plan events. Large nonprofits may have national headquarters and regional offices that employ professionals in more specialized roles. They also need nonprofit leaders to oversee the efforts of specialized areas within the organization.

DID YOU KNOW?

Nonprofits are all around us and touch millions of lives each day. They advocate for clean air and water, for quality education, for taking care of our elders, for ending homelessness and income inequality, for enriching lives through the arts, and much more. Nonprofits are the key economic engine in our communities. — *National Council of Nonprofits*

POSSIBLE JOB TITLES:

- Grants manager
- Chief executive officer
- Volunteer manager
- Human resources director
- Policy analyst
- Chief financial officer
- Community engagement specialist
- Director of development