

# Leadership and Volunteer Management (Certificate)

A Youth, Family, and Community Sciences Online Graduate Certificate in Leadership and Volunteer Management prepares students to work as leaders in community-based organizations. It prepares and strengthens future and current professionals to assume administrative positions and leadership roles within community-based youth or family development. Students gain a more comprehensive understanding of organizational leadership, as well as an applied understanding of effective management skills. The certificate is intended to enhance a student's work in organizational administration and/or volunteer management including volunteer recruitment, retention, risk management, and recognition.

## Plan Requirements

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
<b>Required Courses</b>		<b>6</b>	
YFCS 550	Family and Youth Professionals as Leaders		
YFCS 557	Volunteerism in Youth and Family Settings		
<b>Organizational Administration Course</b>		<b>3</b>	
See "Organizational Administration Courses" listed below			
<b>Elective Course</b>		<b>3</b>	
See "Elective Courses" listed below			
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>	

## Organizational Administration Courses

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
<b>Select one of the following electives in Organizational Administration</b>		<b>3</b>	
YFCS 531	Effective Management of Family Resources		
YFCS 552	Program Development & Evaluation in Youth & Family Settings		
YFCS 557	Volunteerism in Youth and Family Settings		

YFCS 558 Contemporary Issues in Volunteer Resource Management

YFCS 585 Professional Ethics and Family Policy

## Elective Courses

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
<b>Select one of the following electives as related to your career interests</b>		<b>3</b>	

YFCS 502 Theories in Family Science

YFCS 523 Family Relationships Over the Life Course

YFCS 531 Effective Management of Family Resources

YFCS 533 Complex Family Issues

YFCS 535 Family Health & Well-being

YFCS 537 Human Sexuality

YFCS 540 Environmental Influences on the Family

YFCS 545 Family Communication and Coaching

YFCS 552 Program Development & Evaluation in Youth & Family Settings

YFCS 558 Contemporary Issues in Volunteer Resource Management

YFCS 585 Professional Ethics and Family Policy