GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
RECREATION & LEISURE
MANAGEMENT

OVERVIEW

The Graduate Certificate in Recreation and Leisure Management is designed to develop and/or improve knowledge and skills for successful engagement within recreation and leisure services professions. Program goals include understanding professions within recreation and leisure management, applying theories to the professions, using relevant research to provide high quality services and creating quality programs for specific populations.

COURSEWORK

Choose One of the Following:

Required Course:
LEIS 5453 Social Psychology of Leisure

Choose One of the Following:
LEIS 5030 Field Problems in Leisure Studies
LEIS 5030 Readings in Recreation & Leisure Management
LEIS 5423 Supervision & Leadership in Leisure Services

Choose One of the Following:
LEIS 5413 Organization & Administration of Leisure Services
LEIS 5423 Supervision & Leadership in Leisure Services
LEIS 5463 Areas & Facilities in Leisure Services
LEIS 5933 Campus Recreation, Intramurals & Sport

Choose One of the Following:
LEIS 5020 Workshop in Leisure Studies
LEIS 5013 Recreation & A Technologically Advanced Society
LEIS 5023 Legal Aspects of Health, Physical Education & Leisure Services
LEIS 5033 Recreation Specialization & Serious Leisure
LEIS 5413 Organization & Administration of Leisure Services
LEIS 5943 Grant Writing & Nonprofit Management

*Any substitutions or deviations from the list must be approved by the program coordinator prior to enrollment.

APPLICATION

To be considered for admission to the program, applicants must complete and submit the following:

- OSU Graduate College application online at gradcollege.okstate.edu/apply
- Transcripts from all previously attended institutions
- Three letters of recommendation (focused on academic capability, communication skills, desire and potential for success, ability to work independently and relevant experience)
- Resume
- Writing sample (can be a past class assignment)
- Personal statement (250 words max) addressing desire and potential for success, ability to work independently and relevant experience

ADMISSION

Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis. Applicants will be notified of admission status within four to six weeks of submission. To be considered for admission to the program, applicants must have:

- Undergraduate degree from an accredited university with a 3.0 minimum GPA (admission with qualifications may be considered if below a 3.0 GPA)

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