

Eastern Michigan University

Graduate Certificate in Gerontology

Required Courses: 12-13 credit hours

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| BIO 570 | Biological Aspects of Aging (2) | WI |
| GERT 512 | Applied Psychosocial Aspects of Aging (3) | FA |
| SWRK 620 | Policy Issues and Older People (3) | WI |
| SWRK 553 | Ethnicity and Gender Issues Among the Aged (2) | SU |
| GERT 688-689 | Gerontology Practicum (2-3) | SP-SU |

Electives: 5-6 credit hours

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| GERT 509: Older Adults and Chemical Dependency (1) | WI |
| GERT 511: Elders and Their Families (2) | FA (even years) |
| GERT 513: Intergenerational Programming (2) | FA (odd years) |
| GERT 515: Sexuality and Aging (1) | SP (even years) |
| GERT 516: The Elderly and The Law (1) | SP (odd years) |
| GERT 517: Developing Funding Proposals for Aging Programs (2) | FA |
| GERT 518: Innovations in Alzheimer's Care (2) | FA |
| GERT 523: Designing Programs for People w/ Dementia (2) | WI |
| GERT 524: Families and Dementia (2) | SU |
| GERT 528: Advanced Issues in Dementia Care (2) | SP |
| GERT 532: Aging Through the Eyes of the Old (2) | SP |
| GERT 590: Edna Gates Conference: Seminar on Dementia Care (1) | When offered |
| GERT 591: Responding to Behavioral Symptoms in Dementia (2) | SP |
| GERT 697-699: Gerontology Independent Studies (1-3) | Every Semester |
| SWRK 590: Separation, Loss, and Grief (1) | SP |
| SWRK 624: Working with Aging People (3) | WI |
| IDE 503: Physical Environments and Aging (2) | FA |
| PSY 551: The Psychology of Death and Dying (2) | See Department |
| HLAD 510: Medical Care Organization | FA/SP |
| THRC 510: Leisure and the Older Adult (3) | FA |

Total Number of Required Credits: 18

For more information on the above courses please contact:

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