Certificate in Nonprofit Leadership

The Graduate Certificate in Nonprofit Leadership is designed to allow students to pursue graduate-level advanced studies in the subject area of nonprofit leadership, to manage a nonprofit organization, plan and implement fundraising initiatives, market and brand a nonprofit organization, effect organizational change, and create a mission and strategies that focus on creating beneficial social impact.

This certificate is 12 credits, 6 of which must be taken at Charter Oak. All courses must be completed with a grade of B or above.

Certificate Requirements

OEL 501: Driving Orgaanizational Adaptability through Learning Organizations	3 cr
OEL 553: Nonprofit Strategic and Operations Management	3 cr
OEL 554: Nonprofit Financial Resource Management & Fundraising	3 cr
OEL 655: Role of Nonprofits in Fostering Social Change	3 cr
Total	12 cr

Student Learning Outcomes

Students who complete a Nonprofit Leadership certificate will be able to:

- 1. assess and design learning communities, explain complexities of organizational design and structure, and construct organizational leadership strategies;
- 2. develop strategies that support the advancement of an organization's mission and formulate change strategies that support a continual changing landscape for nonprofit organizations; and
- 3. apply various nonprofit fundraising principles and practices to accomplish the organization's financial goals.