

Gerontology Course Offerings Spring 2016 Graduate

Required Courses & Primary Electives

GRNT 6130-090 (CRN#26676) Sociology of Aging: Theories and Research

Dr. Julian Montoro-Rodriguez Tuesday 6:00—8:45

Cross listed with SOCY 6130 and MALS 6000

Application of stratification theories and demography specifically to the older population. Issues of race, gender, socio-economic status, age and geographic distribution are examined in order to investigate the diversity of the older age group and their access to resources.

Electives

GRNT 5050-090 (CRN#27271) Health Care Law and Ethics Winsor Schmidt Wednesday 5:30-8:15

Cross listed with HADM 6150 and Phil 3230

Investigation of specific issues in Gerontology, either from the perspective of a single discipline or from a multidisciplinary perspective. May be repeated for credit with change of topic.

GRNT 5134-001 (CRN#21119) Families and Aging

Dr. Cynthia Hancock Tuesday and Thursday 12:30-1:45

Cross listed with SOCY 5134-001

Theories explaining the formation and functioning of American families with emphasis on the impact of the aging of society. Examination of the current demographic trends and expectations of multigenerational families, as well as the future demands and modifications.

GRNT 5250 – 001 (CRN#23924) Aging Programs and Services

Katie Kutcher Monday 6:00—8:45

Cross listed with GRNT 4250

Examination of federal, state and local framework of services and programs for the aging.

GRNT 5280 – 090 (CRN#26678) The Experience of Dementia

Dr. Louise Murray Online

Cross listed with GRNT 4280 and MALS 6000

Provides an overview of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders using a person-centered perspective. This topic is explored from the perspectives of the person diagnosed, family members and concerned friends, and both formal and informal caregivers. Students who successfully complete this course will gain a holistic insight into these Disorders and their implications of both individuals and society.

HADM 6120—090 (CRN#21175) Health Economics
Dr. Sarah Laditka Wednesday 5:30—8:15

Examination of the economic context of health services delivery and policies, and application of economic concepts to the healthcare sector including supply and demand, elasticity, regulation, competition, and cost effectiveness analysis.

HADM 6150-090 (CRN#23219) Health Care Law and Ethics Winsor Schmidt Wednesday 5:30-8:15

Cross listed with GRNT 5050-090 and Phil 3230

Analysis of ethical and bioethical problems confronting healthcare delivery systems. Selected legal principles and their application to the healthcare field, including corporate liability, malpractice, informed consent, and governmental regulation of health personnel and health facilities.



GRNT 6800 – 002 Dr. Anita Blowers	(CRN#23925)	Directed Reading/Research TBA
GRNT 6999-001 Dr. Anita Blowers	(CRN#21421)	Thesis TBA
GRNT 6999-002	(CRN#21422)	Thesis

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