

SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EXERCISE SCIENCE
AND RECREATION ADMINISTRATION

MASTER OF ARTS IN RECREATION ADMINISTRATION

Requires completion of an 18-hour core curriculum and one of two 15-hour options
(thesis or non-thesis) for a total minimum requirement of 33 hours.

CORE CURRICULUM (18 hours):

<u>Semester Hours</u>	<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Title</u>
3	RA 600	Issues and Trends in Recreation Programs
3	RA 601	Recreation Program Development and Promotion
3	RA 602	Assessment and Evaluation of Recreation Programs
3	RA 680	Leisure Programming for Senior Adults
3	RA 625	Research Design and Evaluation
3	500-600	Statistics (Advisor Approved)
18	Total Core Hours	

Non-Thesis Option (15 hours)

<u>Semester Hours</u>	<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Title</u>
3	RA 653	Independent Research
3	RA 654	Directed Event Programming
9	Electives	Committee Approved
15		

Thesis Option (15 hours)

<u>Semester Hours</u>	<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Title</u>
6	697	Thesis
9	Electives	Committee Approved
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Students admitted to the program with an undergraduate degree from a non-accredited recreation, park, or leisure services program, or from a related discipline, may require additional undergraduate course work to develop basic areas of knowledge in the professional field. Students who have not completed an internship or who lack professional work experience within the park and recreation field will complete a 3-hour internship (PRM 627) as one of the electives within the degree program.