# GERONTOLOGY MINOR

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## GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

**Minimum Minor Requirements**

- 18 credit hours
- 9 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 Minor GPA
- Residency: Last 9 credit hours of the minor must be completed while registered at UCCS

**Student Responsibilities**

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: [catalog.uccs.edu](http://catalog.uccs.edu)
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course pre-requisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student’s schedule: see degree audit for list of course prerequisites within academic minor.

## MINOR REQUIREMENTS

Explore Gerontology: [Gerontology Minor | Gerontology Center (uccs.edu)](http://Gerontology Minor | Gerontology Center (uccs.edu))

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<td><strong>Gerontology Minor (18 hours)</strong></td>
<td>GRNT 3000</td>
<td>Introduction to Gerontology</td>
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<td>GRNT 2300 OR SOC 2300</td>
<td>Transitions in Adulthood: Lifecourse Perspectives</td>
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<td>GRNT 4630 OR PSY 3510</td>
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<td>Gerontology Electives</td>
<td>Complete 6 hours from those listed below. COMM 2600, GES 3730, GRNT 3560, GRNT 9400, HSCI 4740, NURS 4260, PHIL 3130, PHIL 3160, PSY 3060, SOC 4670, VAPA 1050</td>
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**Note:** VAPA 1050 and other courses that are offered with a focus on aging may be taken with approval from the Director of Gerontology.