

The Graduate Certificate in Arts and Health

M.A. in Arts Leadership University of Houston

The Graduate Certificate in Arts and Health Program, offered through the M.A. in Arts Leadership Program, is an exclusive 9-credit, non-degree program at the University of Houston. The program will combine academic and professional training for students preparing to integrate the fine and performing arts into the areas of health, healthcare, and well-being. A portion of the curriculum will be delivered off-site in health and human services facilities in the city of Houston.

Certification Requirements for Prospective UH Graduate Students

Prospective UH Graduate Students must have a graduate degree from an accredited institution and apply to the university, including paying an application fee. Prospective UH Graduate Students must then submit the application form via email to fsfernando@uh.edu with **Arts & Health Graduate Certificate Application** as the subject line.

Certification Requirements for Current UH Graduate Students

Current UH Graduate Students applying for the Graduate Certificate in Arts and Health Program must have completed a minimum of 9 graduate credit hours with a minimum GPA of 3.0 in a related field which can include (but is not limited to) art, art history, arts leadership, architecture, anthropology, education, history, health sciences, liberal arts, music, medicine, nursing, theatre, dance, social work, social sciences, sociology, world cultures and literature. Current UH Graduate Students must submit the application to fsfernando@uh.edu with **Arts & Health Graduate Certificate Application** as the subject line.

Application Deadlines:

- Fall: August 1
- Spring: December 1

Three (3) courses (9 credit hours) from the following must be completed to successfully to complete the Graduate Certificate:

ARLD 6380: Introduction to Arts and Health REQUIRED
ARLD 6382: Healthcare Administration, Policy & Research REQUIRED
ARLD 6381: Arts and Health in Practice
ARLD 6315: PR and Marketing in the Arts
ARLD 6310: Fundraising for the Arts*
ARLD 6320: Financial Management for the Arts*
ARLD 6391: Internship Placement (Can be taken any semester upon director's approval)

If you have further questions, please contact Fleurette S. Fernando, Director of MA in Arts Leadership Program: fsfernando@uh.edu.

