

Applying for the Graduate Certificate in Gerontology

1. Students must first apply with the graduate college. To link to the Graduate College:
<http://www.boisestate.edu/gradcoll/>

Minimum Admission Requirements of the Graduate College.

All applicants must hold at least a baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited U.S. college or university or a degree from a non-U.S. institution of higher education that is judged equivalent to a U.S. baccalaureate degree by the Registrar. If an applicant is applying as a graduate degree seeking student, his or her undergraduate academic record must be of high enough quality to satisfy at least one of the following grade point average (GPA) requirements referred to a

4-point maximum scale:

- (1) a GPA of 3.0 computed for all undergraduate credits;
- (2) a GPA of 3.0 computed for the last half of the undergraduate credits.

Finally, if the applicant is applying as a graduate degree-seeking student and was a graduate degree-seeking student elsewhere but did not complete the program, the applicant must demonstrate that he or she departed that program in good academic standing.

Admission Requirements for a Graduate Certificate or Degree Program.

Achievement of the minimum admission requirements of the Graduate College **does not** guarantee admission to a graduate program. Furthermore, a student who is admitted to a graduate program is not guaranteed admission to any other graduate program at any time in the future. Admission to a graduate program is competitive and qualified applicants may be denied admission depending on a wide variety of programmatic variables. To ensure the best possible opportunity for admission, each applicant is strongly encouraged to review the specific admission requirements and application procedures given in this catalog for the program of interest. Applicants are cautioned that review of an application cannot begin until all application materials are received, including those that are specific to a particular program.

2. Students may contact Dr. Sarah Toevs for an interview.
Phone:(208) 426-2452
Email: SToevs@boisestate.edu

3. Submit Admission Materials.

Admission materials include:

- Transcripts
- Three letters of Reference
- Resume
- Statement of Purpose

After meeting with Dr. Toevs, students will be referred to their area of concentration advisor.

NOTES:

Students may take up to 6 credits before admission to certificate program.

Course Substitution: Each concentration area advisor may determine appropriate substitutions to fit the students' needs.