Complementary to the nation's first BS degree in nonprofit leadership and management, the American Indian studies concentration prepares purpose-driven students to be culturally aware and competent and ready for key roles that enable them to advance nonprofits that serve tribal lands and include those organized by tribal governments.

Program Description

Through the BS program in nonprofit leadership and management, students are empowered to become successful professionals who work to advance the quality of life in communities. The nonprofit sector in the United States is unique in form and function. This sector includes institutions and individuals situated between government, public, business and commerce sectors.

Students in the nonprofit leadership and management program learn about the nonprofit sector through curriculum instruction and field experience. Many students in the nonprofit sector work with American Indian populations. The concentration in American Indian studies familiarizes students with American Indian worldviews, current issues and tribal governance.

The required internship component of the program leads students to professional opportunities within the nonprofit sector. Students also may choose to pursue the National Certified Nonprofit Professional credential through ASU's affiliation with the Nonprofit Leadership Alliance: https://www.nonprofitleadershipalliance.org/credential.

At a Glance

- **College/School:** Watts College of Public Service & Community Solutions
- **Location:** Downtown Phoenix campus
- **Additional Program Fee:** Yes
- **Second Language Requirement**: No
- **First Required Math Course**: MAT 142 - College Mathematics
- **Math Intensity**: General

## Required Courses (Major Map)

[2020 - 2021 Major Map](#)

[Major Map (Archives)](#)

## Admission Requirements

**General University Admission Requirements:**

All students are required to meet general university admission requirements.

[Freshman](#) | [Transfer](#) | [International](#) | [Readmission](#)

## Change of Major Requirements

A current ASU student has no additional requirements for changing majors.

Students should refer to [https://changingmajors.asu.edu/request](https://changingmajors.asu.edu/request) for information about how to change a major to this program.

## Transfer Options

ASU is committed to helping students thrive by offering tools that allow personalization of the transfer path to ASU. Students may use the [Transfer Map search](#) to outline a list of recommended courses to take prior to transfer.

ASU has transfer partnerships in Arizona and across the country to create a simplified transfer experience for students. These pathway programs include exclusive benefits, tools and resources, and help students save time and money in their college journey. Students may learn more about these programs by visiting the admission site: [https://admission.asu.edu/transfer/pathway-programs](https://admission.asu.edu/transfer/pathway-programs).

## Global Opportunities

**Global Experience**
With over 250 programs in more than 65 countries ranging from one week to one year, study abroad is possible for all ASU students wishing to gain global skills and knowledge in preparation for a 21st-century career. Students earn ASU credit for completed courses, while staying on track for graduation, and may apply financial aid and scholarships toward program costs. [https://mystudyabroad.asu.edu/](https://mystudyabroad.asu.edu/)

### Career Opportunities

Most of the major nonprofit organizations in Arizona work with American Indian populations providing services and expertise. Thus, career options are extensive and include many of the nonprofit organization in the state and beyond. Careers fields may include youth programming, fundraising, volunteer management and social services provision.

Career examples include but are not limited to those shown in the following list. Advanced degrees or certifications may be required for academic or clinical positions.

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* Data obtained from the Occupational Information Network (O*NET) under sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA).

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