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- 2. NPM 453 Managing the Nonprofit Organization 3
 - 3. One course (3 hours) chosen from:
 - POL 215 Introduction to Public Administration. 3
 - PSY 300 (also listed as SOCI 360) Leadership and Group Dynamics. 3
 - SOCI 306 Modern Social Problems. 3
 - 4. Internship:
 - (Approved by Coordinator of Nonprofit Management Program):
 - BUS 475, POL 487, PSY 498, SOCI 498 or other) 3

NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT COURSES (NPM)

358 The Nonprofit Sector: Structure and Dynamic (3) (Prerequisite: Junior status or permission of the program coordinator) F. Basic dimensions of the American nonprofit sector, review of theories for its development and its role in society, and overview of the financial and legal aspects of the sector. Examination of the various types of nonprofits, including religious, social services, health care, education and research, advocacy, arts and culture, international, grant makers, and mutual benefit organizations. Identification of trends and likely future directions of American nonprofits. Credit cannot be given for both MGT 358 and NPM 358.

453 Managing the Nonprofit Organization (3) (Prerequisite 358 or MGT 358) S. An introduction to managing and improving the performance of nonprofit organizations in an environment of pressure from stakeholders to rationalize management practices, show measurable outcomes and keep administrative costs low. Major topics include strategic planning, strategic management, fund raising managing, public relations, political support, international opportunities, information technology, financial management, human resource management, and management of legal processes. Credit cannot be given for both MGT 453 and NPM 453.

UNIVERSITY LIFE

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The University Life Program at FMU is designed to help students learn the necessary academic, cultural, social, and technological skills and strategies needed to succeed in the university environment. Classes in the program are taught in sections by specially trained faculty from all areas of the University. Students who successfully complete University Life courses receive elective credit towards graduation. Courses cannot be taken more than once for credit.

UNIVERSITY LIFE COURSES

100 University Life (1) (Prerequisite: first semester student with less than 25 hours credit or permission of coordinator) F, S, SU. Students will be introduced to skills and strategies that will enhance their study habits and ability to succeed in their degree programs. Students will become familiar with the resources available to help solve academic, personal, and social problems.

102 Planning for Success (1) (Prerequisite: permission of coordinator) F, S. Students will develop a plan to manage academic work. Skills such as study methods, note taking, and time-management will be emphasized. Students will use resources on campus to improve their academic performance.