

## CURRICULUM for Minor in *Aging and Health* (revised January 2017)

The Aging and Health (AGH) Minor is designed for degree candidates who want to understand the aging process more fully in relation to health and the environment. The program is interdisciplinary. Students meet the requirements of the minor by completing 18 credits of coursework. Students can fulfill many of the requirements of the AGH minor with courses that also fulfill University Studies and College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) requirements. At least three courses (nine credits) must be numbered 300 or higher. These nine credits may not double-count toward major department or college requirements. If your major department offers courses for the AGH minor, you may count up to three courses (nine credits; typically 100-200-level courses) in your major toward the minor, provided that at least three of the other courses you complete are numbered 300 level and higher and do not count toward your major requirements. Prerequisites ( ) are below.

<b>Introduction to minor</b>	<b>2 courses</b>	<b>6 credits</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PSY 220 / AGH 220 Lifespan Development (Psy101; cross-listed with AGH220)</li> <li>• PSY 301 / AGH 301 Adulthood and Aging (Psy101; Psy220 or Psy201 or Psy215; cross-listed with AGH301)</li> </ul>		
<b>Aging, Health, &amp; Society in Context</b>	<b>3 courses (&lt;= 2 from same discipline)</b>	<b>9 credits</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AGH 302 Aging and Disability (one prior AGH course)</li> <li>• AGH 309 Mental Health and Aging (one prior AGH course)</li> <li>• AGH 311 Topics in Aging and Health (one prior AGH course)</li> <li>• AGH 421 Practicum in Aging and Health (two prior AGH courses)</li> <li>• AGH 495 Independent Study in Aging and Health</li> <li>• HLS 201 Health and Society (the planned introductory course in this program)</li> <li>• NUR 105 Human Nutrition (US2B; open to non-majors)</li> <li>• PHL 317 Ethics for Health Care Professionals (Jr standing in MLS, PHL, or NUR; cross-listed AGH 317)</li> <li>• PHL 340 Philosophy of Happiness (one prior PHL course)</li> <li>• PHL 341 Philosophy of the Good Life (US4C; one prior PHL course)</li> <li>• PHL 365 Buddhism (one prior PHL course)</li> <li>• PSC 3xx Reproductive Rights and Health (course under development)</li> <li>• PSC 315 Public Policy in America (PSC 101 and contract for aging-related project)</li> <li>• PSY 410 / AGH410 Cognitive Health and Aging (new course; prereq PSY301 or AGH301; cross-listed with AGH410)</li> <li>• PSY 490 Topics in Psychology (when relevant to Aging; Psy majors only)</li> <li>• SOA 315 Health and Healing (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 325 Sex, Marriage and Family (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 331 Race and Ethnicity (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 336 Gender, Policy, and Social Justice (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 338 Population, Environment, and Culture (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 376 Women and Sexualities Across Cultures (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• SOA 378 Urban Issues and Public Policy (SOA 101 or 111)</li> <li>• 298/495 Experiential Learning / Independent Study (when relevant to category)</li> </ul>		
<b>Biology, Environment, &amp; Health</b>	<b>1 course from list</b>	<b>3 credits</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BIO 101 General Biology (US2A; intended for non-majors)</li> <li>• BIO 107 Biology of Genetic Disease (US 2B; intended for non-majors)</li> <li>• BIO 108 Cancer Biology (US 2B; intended for non-majors)</li> <li>• BIO 143 Ecology and Environmental Issues (US 2B; open to non-majors)</li> <li>• BIO 221 Anatomy and Physiology I (US2A; BIO, NUR, &amp; MLS majors, Pre-Health w/ permission)</li> <li>• BIO 222 Anatomy and Physiology II (BIO, NUR, &amp; MLS majors, Pre-Health w/ permission)</li> <li>• CHM 130 Chemistry and the Environment (US 2A; open to non-majors)</li> <li>• CHM 132 Chemistry in Nutrition and Health (US 2A; open to non-majors)</li> <li>• ECO 2xx Health Care Policy (course under development)</li> <li>• ECO 338 Environmental Economics (ECO 231)</li> <li>• ECO 343 Economics of Sex and Race Discrimination (ECO 231 and ECO 232)</li> <li>• MLS 105, 106 Contemporary Topics in Human Ecology I and II (US2A; US2B, respectively)</li> <li>• MLS 121 Human Genetics (MLS 116; MLS majors)</li> <li>• MLS 211 Fundamentals of Human Physiology (US2A; MLS 121 or permission)</li> <li>• MLS 221 Pathophysiology (MLS 211 or BIO221 and 222; MLS major or permission)</li> <li>• NUR 485 Environmental Health (open to non-majors)</li> <li>• PSC 385 Politics of Global Climate Change (PSC 161 OR SUS 101 OR junior standing OR permission of instructor)</li> <li>• PHL 215 Introduction to Ethics (US4A)</li> <li>• WGS 369 Global Women's Health and Activism</li> </ul>		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>18 credits</b>