Graduate School Opportunities

Many students who complete a gerontology education choose to pursue graduate school. Our unique program opportunities to participate in research and hands-on experiences position students to be highly competitive in a variety of graduate programs. The most common types of programs among our alumni* include:

- Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling
- Social Work
- Nursing (AAOT, LPN, BSN, DNP)
- Occupational Therapy
- Psychology (Organizational, Clinical, Experimental)
- Business Administration
- Healthcare Management
- Death and Dying Studies Certification
- Horticultural Therapy

Our advisors would love to sit down and talk to you about graduate school opportunities and strategies for being accepted and completing these types of programs!

Additionally, here are some of our own graduate programs here at WOU: http://www.wou.edu/graduate/

Finally, if you are interested in learning about gerontology or geriatric graduate programs throughout the world, the Academy for Gerontology in Higher Education's Online Directory of Educational Programs in Gerontology and Geriatrics has an online directory located here: https://www.aghe.org/directory

^{*}Data collected from a 2017 survey of alumni who completed a Gerontology baccalaureate degree.