









Institute of Geriatric and Gerontology of PUCS

- Founded by Yukio Moriguchi in 1973
- Medical Residency in Geriatrics since 1974
- Specialization Course (Latus Sensus) since 1978 (Medicine)
- Specialization in Social Gerontology (1992)
- Master in Medical Clinic 1994 (Medicine)
- Program in Biomedical Gerontology (all sciences) June 2000





Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande do Sul

Institute of Geriatrics and Gerontology



Programa de Pós-Graduação em Gerontologia Biomédica

Program Aims

• Master:

- Develop teaching skills
- Understand the concepts and stimulate the participation in interdisciplinary groups of scientific research and/or community work

Doctorate:

- Research skills and aptitudes
- Plan and execute scientific investigations
- Active participation in interdisciplinary groups and community development



Program Outline

- Continuum Enrollment
 - Selection and inscription
 - Didactic activities
- Disciplines:
 - Flexible timesheets
 - Life and online activities



Management

- Attached to Institute of Geriatrics and Gerontology PUCRS
- Subordinate to Pro-Rectory of Research and Post-Graduation PUCRS
- Coordination:
 - Coordinator named by the Univ. Dean
 - Committee named by the IGG Chairman





Studies

- Credits (1credit=15 hours/class):
 - Master: 12 core + 12 free choice + 6 orientation (30 c=450h/c)
 - Doctor: 14 core + 22 free choice + 6 orientation (42 c=630)
- Study Program submitted to Coordination
 Committee
- 1 credit ± R\$800.00 (US\$250.00)
 - __Master=US\$ 7,500.00
 - Ph.D. = US\$ 10,500.00

Qualify Examination

- After 75% of activities
- Exam Committee
- Identify the Gerontology understand and the theories involved in the dissertation/ thesis research



Numbers

- Faculty: 23
- Current Students: 70
- Graduated:
 - Master 48 (25 mo)
 - Ph.D. 6 (38 mo)



Faculty

- Biology: 8
- Nurse: 2
- Pharmacy: 3
- Physics: 1
- Medicine: 5
- Dentistry: 1
- Pedagogy: 1
- Chemistry: 1
- Social Service: 1



Students

- Biology
- Physical Education
- Nurse
- Pharmacy
- Physiotherapy
- Phono -audiology
- Mathematics

- Medicine
- Nutrition
- Dentistry
- Pedagogy
- Psychology
- Occupational Therapy



