Adult Development and Aging Ph.D. Program

Help us improve the lives of older adults through research.
Northeast Ohio is a dynamic region with much to offer. Whether visiting Cuyahoga Valley National Park, seeing the world-class Cleveland Orchestra or downhill skiing a mere 20 minutes from Akron, there’s something to appeal to almost every interest. Museums, zoos, Lake Erie, pro sports and more, all within a short distance.

**PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- All ADA graduate students were fully funded (tuition + stipend) in 2014-15
- Successful job placement for all doctoral graduates of the program (2014 and 2015)
- Link with Cleveland and Akron area medical and research institutes
- Be prepared to work in various roles in research, teaching, and applied settings
- Obtain training in the use of such psychophysiological measures as electrodermal activity, electrocardiogram, pupilometry and more

**RESEARCH TRAINING:** The need for expert researchers in adult development and aging is at an all-time high due to dramatic shifts in global demographics toward older societies. You’ll work with experienced, full-time faculty to develop and carry out relevant research projects.

**CURRICULUM:** You’ll take equal amounts of coursework at each institution, covering research methods/design, adult biobehavioral functioning, and adult psychosocial functioning. Your coursework will also include advanced research seminars.

Applications are due January 15.