

# Educational Leadership Ed.D.

## PROGRAM OPTIONS

The program includes a P-12 Leadership track and a Higher Education Leadership track.

## CURRICULUM

The program includes courses in educational leadership, program assessment and evaluation, finance, ethics and legal issues, global education, and quantitative, qualitative, and mixed methods research. The dissertation process is structured and systematic, unfolding from the first course throughout the curriculum to make it possible to complete a dissertation study by the end of the program. The research courses in the curriculum are designed to build the expertise needed not only to complete the dissertation, but also to supervise, evaluate, and apply research to the management of complex educational organizations.

Because the program is explicitly designed to prepare educational leaders who can use research and theory to create change in practice, students complete a dissertation that is addressed to a specific practical management challenge appropriate to their work setting.



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## APPLICATION DEADLINE

The deadline for submission of all application materials is March 15th. New cohorts are admitted once a year beginning each summer.

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