

Ed.D. Specialization: Leadership and Counseling - Educational Leadership

Ed.D. Core – 8 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
ED 604	Grant Writing and External Funding	3	
ED 604	Writing for Publication	3	
ED 611	Doctoral Seminar I	1	
ED 612	Doctoral Seminar II	1	

Research Core – 15 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
ED 680	Philosophical Foundations of Educational Research	3	
ED 571	Introduction to Quantitative Research	3	
ED 574	Introduction to Qualitative Research	3	
ED 573	Action Research	3	
ED 595	Survey Design for Social Science Research	3	

Research Electives – 3 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
ED 584	Intermediate Quantitative Analysis in Education	3	
ED 587	Advanced Quantitative Analysis	3	
ED 589	Designing and Conducting Qualitative Research	3	
ED 590	Qualitative Research: Writing, Critiquing, Practice, and Application	3	

Specialization– 9 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
EdAd 509	Educational Policy and Politics for Educational Leaders	3	
EdAd 513	Administration of Special Education Law	3	
EdAd 528	Leading Standards Driven Instruction	3	
EdAd 530	Ethical Leadership and Law in Education	3	
EdAd 533	Multicultural Diversity and Educational Leadership	3	
EdAd 534	The Principalship	3	
EdAd 535	School Finance	3	
EdAd 571	Educational Leadership in the Global Society	3	
EdAd 584	Bargaining/Mediation/Arbitration	3	
EdAd 586	Advanced School Finance	3	
EdAd 587	The Superintendency	3	

EdAd 592	School Community Relations	3	
EdAd 593	School Facilities Planning and Maintenance	3	
EdAd 594	Theory in Educational Administration	3	
EdAd 595	Administration and Supervision of Personnel	3	

Cognate – 24 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
EdAd 509	Educational Policy and Politics for Educational Leaders	3	
EdAd 513	Administration of Special Education Law	3	
EdAd 528	Leading Standards Driven Instruction	3	
EdAd 530	Ethical Leadership and Law in Education	3	
EdAd 533	Multicultural Diversity and Educational Leadership	3	
EdAd 534	The Principalship	3	
EdAd 535	School Finance	3	
EdAd 571	Educational Leadership in a Global Society	3	
EdAd 584	Bargaining/Mediation/Arbitration	3	
EdAd 586	Advanced School Finance	3	
EdAd 587	The Superintendency	3	
EdAd 592	School Community Relations	3	
EdAd 593	School Facilities Planning and Maintenance	3	
EdAd 594	Theory in Educational Administration	3	
EdAd 595	Administration and Supervision of Personnel	3	

NOTE: A minimum of 9 credit hours must be outside of the program, department, or college. In other words, these courses must be identified with a prefix other than EdAd. On the study plan, they should appear in the

Cognate section. Major Professor approval is required for the courses selected.

Immersion Experience – 6 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
EdAd 598	Internship	6	

Dissertation – 18 Credit Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Taken Semester/Year
ED 600	Dissertation scheduled with MP	18	