PhD in Educational Administration  
PK-12 School Administration

**Core Courses**

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| EDAD 639 | Foundations of Educational Administration | 3 |
| EDAD 651 | Education Finance and Economics | 3 |
| EDAD 652 | Politics of Education | 3 |
| EDAD 653 | Organizational Theory in Educational Leadership | 3 |
| EDAD 687 | Proseminar: Culturally Responsive Leadership | 3 |
| Total Core Course Hours | | 15 |

**Research Core Courses**

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| EHRD 651 | Models of Epistemology and Inquiry in HRD | 3 |
|  | Quantitative Methods (Two doctoral level courses)\* | 6 |
|  | Qualitative Methods (Two doctoral level courses)\* | 6 |
|  | Additional Research Methods (Three doctoral level courses)\* | 9 |
| \* | With faculty approval, educational administration students are allowed to take research methods courses outside the department that are appropriate to their academic interests from throughout university departments/ |  |
|  | Total Research Core Hours | 24 |

**Doctoral Cognate Courses**

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|  | Doctoral Cognate courses (4) approved by faculty | 12 |
| Total Doctoral Cognate Hours | | 12 |

**Additional Courses**

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|  | Elective Courses (3) approved by faculty | 9 |
| EDAD 691 | Research (Dissertation) | 12 |
|  | Total Additional Hours | 21 |

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| **PhD Total Hours\*** | 72 |

*\*Additional Hours are required for students who do not have a Masters degree.*