PhD in Educational Administration  
Higher Education Administration

(Applies to those students admitted after spring 2020)

**Core Courses**

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| EDAD 610 | Higher Education Law | 3 |
| EDAD 611 | Higher Education Business & Finance | 3 |
| EDAD 612 | Policy Issues in Administration of Higher Education | 3 |
| EDAD 629 | Diversity and Social Justice in Higher Education | 3 |
| EDAD 639 | Foundations of Educational Administration | 3 |
| EDAD 653 | Organizational Theory and Leadership in Education | 3 |
| EDAD 655 | Administration of Higher Education | 3 |
| EDAD 6XX | Socialization to Higher Education Field | 1 |
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| Total Core Course Hours | | 22 |

**Higher Education Electives**

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|  | Four courses taken from any higher education courses (approved by faculty advisor) | 12 |
| Total Elective Course Hours | | 12 |

**Research Core Courses**

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| EDAD 690 | Theory of EDAD Research (STAT I) | 3 |
| EDAD 690 | Theory of EDAD Research (STAT II) | 3 |
| EHRD 651 | Models of Epistemology and Inquiry in HRD | 3 |
|  | Introductory Qualitative Methodology Course  (EDAD 690, EHRD 655 or equivalent) | 3 |
|  | Two additional research methodology courses selected in consultation with the advisor  (Proposal Preparation; Literature Review; Advanced statistics; Advanced Qualitative) | 6 |
|  | Total Research Core Course Hours | 18 |

**Support Field**

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|  | Support Field  (Approved by faculty advisor) | 9 |
| Total Support Field Course Hours | | 9 |

**Research Hours**

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| EDAD 691 | Research (Dissertation) Total Dissertation Hours | 12 |

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| **PhD Total Hours\*** | 73 |

No more than 18 credit hours can be taken through online courses.

*\*Additional Hours are required for students who do not have a Master’s degree.*