



Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Curriculum and Instruction

For a student who has completed a master's degree, a DVM, or MD at a U.S. institution, a minimum of 64 hours are required as outlined below. Otherwise, 96 hours are required for the PhD; the additional 32 hours beyond the 64 hours outlined below will be electives and research hours that will be approved by the student's doctoral committee.

| Introductory Course: 3 Hours Required | | |
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| Course Prefix | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| EDCI 601 | Disciplinary Knowledge and Research in C&I | 3 |
| Total | | 3 |

NOTE: Must be taken in the first semester

| Foundations Core Courses: 9 Hours Required (Choose three of the following) | | |
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| Course Prefix | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| EDCI 646 | Instruction Theory | 3 |
| EDCI 647 | Curriculum Theory | 3 |
| EDCI 658 | History of Education | 3 |
| EDCI 662 | Philosophical Theories of Education | 3 |
| Total | | 9 |

| Research Core Required Courses: 6 Hours Required (Choose one from each research categories) | | | |
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| Research Category | Course Prefix | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| Qualitative | EDCI 605 | Qualitative Research Methods in C&I | 3 |
| | EDCI 689 | Narrative Inquiry | |
| Quantitative | STAT 651 | Statistics in Research I | 3 |
| | EPSY 640 | 640 Statistical Analysis in Educational Research I | |
| | EDCI 686 | Research Methods in EDCI I | |
| Total | | | 6 |

NOTE: Recommended to be taken in the first year

Research Core Elective Courses (page 2): In consultation with the permanent committee chair, students will choose additional research courses that are most appropriate for the student's Degree Plan. These three courses will be approved by the student's committee on the Degree Plan. In consultation with the temporary advisor, students may take the introductory courses (see above) before the Degree Plan is approved. For those students who will focus primarily on quantitative data analysis and research, the additional research courses must include one additional basic course that lists the first course as a prerequisite, and two intermediate/advanced courses (see below). The research core elective course list are possible additional research courses from which to select in consultation with your permanent advisor

| Research Core Elective Courses: 9 Hours Required (Choose three of the following) | | | |
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| Research Category | Course Prefix | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| | EHRD 655 | Qualitative Research | 3 |

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| Qualitative | EHRD 651 | Models of Epistemology & Inquiry in HRD | 3 |
| | EHRD 656 | Narrative Analysis | 3 |
| | EHRD 657 | Life History Research | 3 |
| | EDAD 623 | Advanced Fieldwork Methods | 3 |
| | EDAD 690 | Theory of EDAD Research (Naturalistic Inquiry) | 3 |
| | EPSY 633 | Qualitative Research Design and Data Collection | 3 |
| | EDCI 707 | Narrative Inquiry II | 3 |
| Quantitative | STAT 653 | Statistics in Research III | 3 |
| | EPSY 622 | Measurement and Evaluation in Education | 3 |
| | EPSY 660 | Single-Case Research (formerly EPSY 630) | 3 |
| | EPSY 636 | Techniques of Research | 3 |
| | EDCI 687 | Research Methods in EDCI II | 3 |
| | EDCI 688 | Research Methods in EDCI III | 3 |
| | EPSY 689 | Hierarchical Linear Modeling/Multi-level Modeling | 3 |
| | STAT 651* | Statistics in Research I | 3 |
| | STAT 652* | Statistics in Research II | 3 |
| | EPSY 641* | Statistical Analysis in Educational Research II | 3 |
| | STAT 659** | Applied Categorical Data Analysis | 3 |
| | STAT 604** | Topics in Statistical Computations | 3 |
| | EPSY 625*** | Advanced Psychometric Theory | 3 |
| | EPSY 642*** | Meta-Analysis of Behavioral Research | 3 |
| | EPSY 643*** | Applied Multivariate Methods | 3 |
| | EPSY 650*** | Multiple Regression & Other Linear Models in Ed. Research | 3 |
| | EPSY 651*** | Theory of Structural Equation Modeling | 3 |
| | EPSY 652*** | Theory of Hierarchical Linear Models | 3 |
| | EPSY 653*** | Advanced Structural Equation Modeling | 3 |
| | STAT 656*** | Applied Analytics Using SAS Enterprise Miner | 3 |
| | STAT 657*** | Advanced Programming Using SAS | 3 |
| EDCI 627*** | Teaching & Learning Data Analysis & Uncertainty Concepts | 3 | |
| EDCI 628*** | Analyzing and Reporting Field Based Research | 3 | |
| Mixed Methods | EDCI 689 | Standards and Models of Curriculum | 3 |
| | EDCI 661 | Evaluation Mixed-Methods Research in Education | 3 |
| | EDAD 620 | Educational Program Evaluation | 3 |
| | EHRD 618 | Evaluation Models in Human Resource | 3 |
| | EHRD 641 | Development Evaluation of Adult Teaching and Learning | 3 |
| Total | | | 9 |

NOTE: Courses selections from this category must be in consultation with your permanent committee chair

*Basic Quantitative level Course

**Intermediate Quantitative Level Course

***Advanced Quantitative Level Course

Emphasis Area Courses: 24 Hours Required

Technology and Teacher Education (TTE) Program Area

| Emphasis | Standard | Courses | Credit Hours |
|--------------------------------|------------|--|--------------|
| Teacher Education | Required: | EDCI 658, EDCI 606, EDCI 703, EDCI 704, EDCI 705 | 15 |
| | Electives: | In consultation with advisor | 9 |
| History of Education | Required: | HIST 628, HIST 630, EDCI 658, EDCI 659, EDCI 670 | 15 |
| | Electives: | In consultation with advisor | 9 |
| Philosophy of Education | Electives: | In consultation with advisor | 24 |
| Technology Education | Electives: | In consultation with advisor | 24 |

**Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education
(STEM) Program Area**

| Emphasis | Standard | Courses | Credit Hours |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Science Education | Required: | EDCI 663, EDCI 665, EDCI 667, EDCI 668, EDCI 669, EDCI 671, EDCI 701 | 21 |
| | Electives: Approved with Chair | EDCI 620, EDCI 660, EDCI 720, EDCI 721, EDCI 723, EDCI 724, EDCI 726 | 9 |
| Mathematics Education | Required: | EDCI 617, EDCI 619, EDCI 620, EDCI 621, EDCI 622, EDCI 623, EDCI 627, EDCI 628 | 24 |
| | Elective: | Mathematics Education will allow EDCI 685 to be substituted for any of the above courses at the discretion of the Committee Chair. | |

Reading and Literacy Education (LIT) Program Area

| Emphasis | Standard | Courses | Credit Hours |
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| Reading | Required: | RDNG 634, RDNG 635 | 6 |
| | Required if student has not completed Reading Specialist Certification: | RDNG 602, RDNG 603, RDNG 604, RDNG 605, RDNG 609, RDNG 616, RDNG 620 | (21) |
| | Electives: | RDNG 612, RDNG 613, RDNG 630, RDNG 610, EDCI 723 | 9 |

Multicultural Education (MULT) Program Area

| Emphasis | Standard | Courses | Credit Hours |
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| Required for all Multicultural Education students: | | EDCI 642, EDCI 629, EDCI 653, EDCI 645, EDCI 689: Equity Research Methods | 15 |
| Urban Education | Electives: | EDCI 637, EDCI 641, EDCI 710, AFST 601, SOCI 667, EDAD 689: Critical Race Theory | 9 |
| Power and Privilege | Electives: | EDCI 641, EDCI 710, EDAD 629, EDAD 689, POLS 674, SOCI 662, SOCI 667, EDCI 689*: CritQuant Research | 9 |
| Critical Global Education | Electives: | EDAD 621, EHRD 650, SOCI 337, SOCI 338, HISP 646, SOCI 617, EDCI 703, EDCI 689: Critical Global Education | 9 |
| Cultural and Linguistic Diversity | Electives: | EDCI 650*, EDCI 606, EDCI 640, EDCI 653, BIED 620, HISP 671, PHIL 624 | 9 |

* = required elective

Dissertation Hours: 13 Required

| Course Prefix | Course Title | Credit Hours |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| EDCI 691 | Research | 13 |
| Total | | 13 |

NOTE: Additional hours beyond the 13 hours required will require Committee Chair approval. A hold will be placed on the student's account each semester until graduation.