



Educational Policy (EDUCST-PH, EPS)

Specialization leading to Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Studies

Program Requirements (15 hours)

Common Core (6 hours)

EDUCST 6891	Proseminar in Educational Studies (3)
EDUCST 6892	Educational Policy and Inequality in Social and Cultural Context: Integrating Research Traditions (3)

Research Core (choose three, minimum 9 hours)

Students will select 1) one quantitative research sequence or two qualitative research courses and 2) an additional research course that may be quantitative or qualitative. Students who complete qualitative coursework must take at least one course from the introductory course list. Additional qualitative courses may come from the introductory or additional course lists.

ANOVA Sequence:

ESQREM 7648	Univariate Experimental Design (4)
ESQREM 8648	Multivariate Experimental Designs (4)

Regression Sequence:

ESQREM 7651	Regression Analysis (4)
ESQREM 8658	Applied Multilevel Data Analysis (3)

Qualitative Options:

Introductory courses

ESQUAL 8210	Qualitative Research: The Analysis of Interaction in Educational Settings (3)
ESQUAL 8280	Qualitative Research in Education: Paradigms, Theories, and Exemplars (3)

Additional courses

ESQUAL 8211	Analysis of Classroom Discourse (3)
ESQUAL 8290	Qualitative Research in Education: Methods and Analysis (3)
ESQUAL 6269	Digital tools in Qualitative Research (3)
ESQUAL 7230	Qualitative Research for Educators (3)
ESQUAL 7240	Life History Interview Methods in Education (3)

Specialized Sequence:

Students, in consultation with their advisors, may design their own research sequence. This is particularly suited to humanistic scholarship in education (e.g., history or philosophy of education). To complete a specialized sequence, students must take three courses relevant to their research interests. Specialized research plans are approved by the Graduate Studies Committee.

Minimum hours
post-MA/MS: 60

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Specialization Requirements (30 hours)

Required Courses (15 hours)

ESEPOL 6000	Introduction to Educational Policy (3)
ESEADM 8352	Educational Policy in Democratic Society (3)
ESCFE 7224	Educational Policy Analysis in Contemporary Culture (3)
ESCFE 7222	History of Educational Policy (3)

Choose one of the following courses: (choose two courses if a required course was taken as part of Master's degree)

ESCFE 8201	Social Foundations of Education (3)
ESEPHL 8410	Ethics and Education: Equality, Freedom, and Justice in Schools (3)
ESETEC 6223	Foundations of Educational Technology (3)

Supporting Courses (choose five, 15 hours)

Choose five courses from the list of electives or other courses approved by your advisor.

ESEPOL 7100	Policy Writing (3)
ESEPOL 8312	Politics and Political Leadership in American Education (3)
ESEPHL 8410	Ethics and Education: Equality, Freedom, and Justice in Schools (3)
ESCFE 8201	Social Foundations of Education (3)
ESEADM 8310	Educational Change (3)
ESEADM 8361	Social and Political Contexts in Education (3)
ESEADM 8423	Trends and Issues in Teacher Education (3)
ESCFE 5260	Children, Families, and Communities in Conflict Transformation (3)
ESCFE 8266	Policy and Politics of English Language Learning (3)
ESETEC 6223	Foundations of Educational Technology (3)
ESETEC 7229	Technology, Society, and Education (3)
ESEPHL 6410	Philosophy of Education (3)

Research Apprenticeship (9 hours)

Consult with faculty advisor

EDUCST 8191	Research Apprenticeship: Educational Studies (1-12)
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Dissertation Requirement (6 hours)

Consult with faculty advisor

EDUCST 8999	Dissertation or Thesis Research: Educational Studies (minimum 6)
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Note: Students exact curriculum may vary depending upon program of study determined by student and advisor, and approved by the Graduate Studies Committee.