Post-Master’s Certificate in Educational Leadership and Administration

**Sample Curriculum**

The academic program of the Post-Master’s Graduate Certificate requires 18 credit hours of study. The core curriculum consists of courses that allow students to bridge theory to practice.

The coursework places emphasis and value on meaningful practical experiences for the students through sustained coursework and internships, as well as school-based internship courses.

All courses are a 3.0 credit hour equivalent and a sample of the courses required in the Post-Master’s Graduate Certificate program of study are:

- EDUC 6232: Supervision and Evaluation of Instruction
- EDUC 6234: Site Based Leadership: K-12
- EDUC 6236: School Law and Policy
- EDUC 6422: Instructional Needs Analysis

Course descriptions can be found [here](#).

**Internships/Field Experience**

A minimum of 320 sustained and real internship hours are completed by students as part of their overall graduate certificate program. Leadership roles are assumed by students in varied settings in at least two school types while enrolled in their program. As a nationally recognized program, the curriculum and internships are aligned with the endorsed standards of educational leadership and administration.

Internship placements have served under:

- Director of Accountability & Technology
- Elementary Asst. Principal
- Middle School Asst. Principal
- High School Asst. Principal
- Special Education Coordinator
- STEM Coordinator

**Career Path**

Graduates are ready to address issues such as growing enrollments, the challenges of school reform, and lead in diverse 21st century educational communities within public and independent PK-12 schools and agencies. They find careers in a variety of leadership positions such as:

- Curriculum Leaders
- Assistant Principals
- Principals
- Head of School
- Dean of Students

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