

LEAD WITH CONFIDENCE

Are you ready to assume a leadership role in a school district, government agency, or private industry?

This program, which is a collaboration between Missouri State University (MSU) and University of Missouri (MU), will put you on that career path. The curriculum prepares you with four critical lenses essential to educational leadership:

- Leadership theory and practice
- Organizational analysis
- Educational policy
- Content and context of learning

A new cohort begins every 2 years, and applications are due by December 1 of even-numbered years. To earn this degree, you will need to complete 34 hours of coursework and 12 hours of dissertation.

Attend courses on the MU campus during two abbreviated summers sessions. Complete the remainder of your coursework through Missouri State at a site near you or through web conferencing technology.

Please note that this program does not provide certification for teaching K-12. However, additional courses can be taken to achieve a certification for administration.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP

**QUESTIONS?
READY TO GET STARTED?**

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT THE PROGRAM

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FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT ADMISSIONS

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EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP
COOPERATIVE DOCTORATE PROGRAM

BE A LEADER IN EDUCATION

**MAKE YOUR
MISSOURI
STATEMENT.**



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

ADMISSION TO THIS PROGRAM IS DONE THROUGH THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Apply to the university and program at edd.missouri.edu/apply and submit unofficial transcripts. If accepted, you will be required to send official transcripts to:

University of Missouri
Office of Research and Graduate Studies
210 Jesse Hall
Columbia, MO 65211

As part of the application process, please provide:

- Three references
- Current résumé
- GRE exam results
- Official TOEFL (if applicable)

If selected during the initial screening, you will be invited to the MU campus to participate in an on-campus interview, a problem-solving activity and a writing assignment.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

TENTATIVE COURSE SEQUENCE

YEAR 1

SUMMER (at MU)

Organizational Analysis for Educational Leadership (4) Online
Educational Leadership Inquiry: Change, Diversity, and Ethics (2) Face-to-face at MU
Team Building and Group Dynamics (1) Face-to-face at MU

FALL

Leadership Theory and Practice (3) ITV/Web conference
Leadership Theory and Practice Application: Leaders and Data (1) ITV/Web conference
Professional Seminar I — Research Design (1) Online

SPRING

Qualitative Tools for Applied Research in Educational Leadership (3) ITV/Web conference
Educational Leadership Inquiry II: Research Ethics IRB (1) ITV/Web conference
Professional Seminar: Research Design (1) Online

YEAR 2

SUMMER (at MU)

Policy Analysis for Educational Leadership (4) Online
Quantitative Tools for Applied Research in Educational Leadership (3) Face-to-face at MU

FALL

Educational Planning and Evaluation (3) ITV/Web conference
Educational Leadership Inquiry III: Data Reporting (1) ITV/Web conference
Professional Seminar II: Literature Reviews (1) Online

SPRING

Content and Context of Learning (3) ITV/Web conference
Educational Leadership Inquiry IV: Data-Driven Decision Making (1) Online
Professional Seminar II: Advanced Research Design — Prospectus Development (1) ITV/Web conference

GET STARTED MAKING A DIFFERENCE

1. APPLY FOR ADMISSION.

Apply online: edd.missouri.edu/apply
This form serves as an application to the university and to the program. Applications must be received by December 1 of even-numbered years for cohorts starting the following summer. For assistance contact the Department of Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis at MU (573-882-8221) for application, admission, and program details.

2. MEET WITH YOUR ADVISOR.

Contact Dr. Cynthia MacGregor, MU-MSU Site Coordinator at CMacgregor@MissouriState.edu or call 417-836-6046.

3. APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID.

You might pay tuition to MU, to MSU, or to both partner institutions, depending upon enrollment during the session.

Visit www.fafsa.gov and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to receive federal loans.

Additional Information available at:
<http://sfa-pwe.missouri.edu/applying-for-aid/educational-leadership.php>

4. GET REGISTERED!