

COMBINED DEGREE PROGRAM - PHD EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP - HIGHER EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION CONCENTRATION & MPP PUBLIC POLICY

The combined Ph.D. in EPPL with a concentration in Higher Education Administration with the MPP - Master of Public Policy is a combined educational leadership and public policy program that allows students to obtain both a Ph.D. and a M.P.P. degree in five years, instead of the six years that would be required if each were pursued separately. Candidates interested in this combined degree program must apply to and gain acceptance by both the Graduate School of Education and the Public Policy program In Graduate Arts & Sciences.

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
Fall		
EPPL 604	Cross Disciplinary Perspectives in Educational Theory, Research and Practice	3
EPPL 663	Foundations of Higher Education	3
EDUC 663	Quantitative Research Design & Methods I	3
Hours		9
Spring		
EPPL 603	Leadership in Education	3
EPPL 613 or EPPL 635	The Academic Life or Advanced Organizational Theory and Governance of Educational Systems	3
EPPL Elective		3
Hours		9
Second Year		
Fall		
EDUC 694	Qualitative Research, Part I	3
EPPL 601	Educational Policy: Development and Analysis	3
EPPL 637	Social Justice Praxis for Higher Education	3
EPPL Elective		3
Hours		12
Spring		
EDUC 695	Qualitative Research, Part II	3
EPPL 602	Educational Planning	3
EPPL 613 or EPPL 635	The Academic Life or Advanced Organizational Theory and Governance of Educational Systems	3
Hours		9
Third Year		
Fall		
PUBP 500	Math Public Policy Analysis	1
PUBP 590	Policy in Practice	1
PUBP 602	Quantitative Methods I	3
PUBP 604	Microeconomics Public Policy	3
PUBP 607	Law & Public Policy	3
Hours		11

Spring		
PUBP 590	Policy in Practice	1
PUBP 603	Quantitative Methods II	3
PUBP 618	Policy Case Competition	2
PUBP/Applied Methods Elective		3
Hours		9
Fourth Year		
Fall		
PUBP 590	Policy in Practice	1
PUBP 610	Policy Research Seminar	4
PUBP 612	Leading Change	3
PUBP or LAW Elective		3
Hours		11
Spring		
EPPL 790	Educational Policy, Planning and Leadership Research Seminar	3
EPPL Elective		3
PUBP 609	Applied Ethics	3
PUBP 611	Evidence in Policy Process	3
Hours		12
Fifth Year		
Fall		
EDUC 800	Dissertation	3
Hours		3
Spring		
EDUC 800	Dissertation	3
Hours		3
Total Hours		88