



GRADUATE PROGRAM  
IN HIGHER EDUCATION  
LEADERSHIP

## Program Completion Plan Strategic Leadership Concentration

COURSE NUMBER AND TITLE	CREDITS	SCHEDULE
<b><i>Required Core Courses:</i></b>		
HIED 511: Foundations in Higher Education	3	Summer Intensive
HIED 515: Strategic Leadership in Higher Education	3	Early Fall (hybrid or online)
HIED 514: Equity Issues in Higher Education***	3	Early Spring (hybrid or online)
HIED 512: Organizational Culture and Governance in Higher Ed	3	Early Fall (hybrid or online)
HIED 513: Institutional Assessment and Effectiveness	3	Early Spring (hybrid or online)
HIED 516: Legal and Ethical Issues in Higher Education	3	Late Spring
HIED 562: Internship or HIED* 567: Professional Seminar**	3	
<i>*Prerequisite: Completion of 12 hours in the program.  **Prerequisite: Two (2) or more years of higher education experience required for HIED 567. Must have approval upon admission.  ***Prerequisite: 6 credit-hours in the program</i>		
<i>21 Core Course Credits needed</i>		

<b><i>Required Concentration Courses:</i></b>		
LEAD 505: Strategic Thinking, Planning, and Organizational Change	3	Late Fall
LEAD 515: Best Practices in Leadership	3	Late Spring
LEAD 550: Organizational Effectiveness	3	Late Spring
<i>9 Concentration Credits needed</i>		

<b><i>Higher Education Leadership Elective Courses</i></b>		
<i>Two of the following:</i>		
HIED 520: Academic Engagement and Learning in Higher Education	3	Late Fall
HIED 525: Curriculum Development in Higher Education	3	Late Fall
HIED 550: Student Development in Higher Education	3	Late Fall
HIED 551: College and University Environments	3	Late Spring
HIED 553: Enrollment Management in Higher Education	3	Early Summer
HIED 555: Spiritual Formation in Higher Education	3	May Intensive
HIED 565: Thesis (pre req EDME 580: Research Methods required)	3	

HIED 591: Independent Study	3	Various
COUN 510: Lifespan Development	3	various
COUN 528: Career Counseling Across the Lifespan	3	Various
IPEC 580: Research Methods	3	Early Fall, Early Summer
LEAD 501: The Character of a Leader	3	Early Fall
LEAD 560: Diversity in Leadership	3	Early Spring
<i>6 Elective Credits needed</i>		

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by accessing your degree audit in [Self-Service](#).  
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