Master of Education
Higher Education

Online Program

Program Overview

The Master of Education, Higher Education program is designed for candidates with an interest in working in administrative positions in institutions of higher education, civic organizations, non-profit organizations, national government organizations, or the social sector. Program coursework provides students with a strong grounding in leadership / management / organizational development with particular attention to the higher education context.

Addressing the growing demand for higher education professionals, the curriculum emphasizes theory, research methods and data analysis, as well as substantive knowledge and skills development in organizational leadership, particularly as it pertains to higher education. Delivered in a convenient online format the M.Ed. Higher Education provides students with a well-rounded foundation in higher education administration, and the ability to personalize the curriculum to meet their needs through elective courses and project / internship experiences.

Prospective students must complete and submit an application to Graduate Studies at CWU (available online at http://www.cwu.edu/masters/applying-cwu-graduate-school)

Program Requirements

I. Required Courses and Credits: (45)

- EDF 510 – Educational Research ..............................................4
- EDAD 510 – History of Education ..............................................3
- EDAD 515 – College Student Development ...............................3
- EDAD 517 – Organizational Dynamics ........................................3
- EDAD 518 – Program Evaluation and Assessment ........................3
- EDAD 577 – Diversity Leadership ............................................3
- EDAD 581 – Public School Finance ...........................................4
- EDAD 589 – School Law ..........................................................4
- ADMG 485 – Managerial Communications ...............................3
- ADMG 572 – Leadership and Supervision ..................................3
- EDAD 596 – Internship / Capstone Project .................................5
- EDAD 700 – Thesis / Exam ....................................................1
- Electives – Pre-approved courses identified ..............................6

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