

## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

The approved degree program for each doctoral student must include a minimum of 66 hours beyond the master's degree of which at least one-half must be in coursework open only to doctoral students. Persons possessing the Education Specialist Degree in the area in which they are pursuing the doctorate must complete a minimum of 51 additional semester hours of credit for the doctorate. At least one half of the total number of semester hours used for doctoral degree purposes must be taken in courses open only to doctoral students.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The student must successfully complete all coursework, experiential, and examination requirements with a minimum 3.25 grade point average, within six years after admission to candidacy.

## AWARDING OF DEGREES

The Doctor of Education degree in [Curriculum and Instruction](#) shall be awarded by the institution to which the student has been admitted for doctoral study. The diploma will acknowledge that the degree was earned through a consortium of institutions.

## APPLICATION DEADLINES

Applications for admission are accepted as follows:

- **Summer Admission Deadline:**  
March 15 or until allotment is filled.
- **Fall Admission Deadline**  
April 15 or until allotment is filled.

## PROGRAM DESIGN

- I. Foundations Core.....15 sem hrs.  
(Research, Statistics, Foundations)
  - II. Program Core.....24 sem hrs.
  - III. Cognate.....9 sem hrs.
  - IV. Internship.....6 sem hrs.
  - V. Research/Dissertation.....12 sem hrs.
- Minimum.....**66** hours

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# LOUISIANA EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

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## Doctor of Education Degree

In  
[Curriculum and Instruction](#)



<http://www.ulm.edu/lec>

The Louisiana Education Consortium (LEC), composed of Grambling State University, Louisiana Tech University, and the University of Louisiana at Monroe, offers the Ed.D. degree program in [Curriculum and Instruction](#). **Annual admission is limited to eight students per campus.**

The program is designed for K-12 personnel, including teachers and administrators. The primary goal of the doctoral program is the preparation of professionals for roles in elementary, middle, and secondary school settings.

## INQUIRIES

Further inquiries should be addressed to individual campuses.



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## ADMISSION PROCEDURES

### I. Application To University

- A. Applicant must submit an application to graduate school on one of the LEC campuses.
- B. Applicant must hold a master's degree from a regionally accredited institution in an area related to his/her proposed program of study and a teaching certificate.
- C. Applicant must have a minimum cumulative undergraduate grade point average of 2.75 and a minimum cumulative graduate grade point average of 3.25.\*
- D. Applicant must have completed the Graduate Record Examination with minimum scores of 1000 (V+Q) or 1500 (V+Q+A). If analytical score is from 2004 or later, a score of 3.5 or higher is required.\*

### II. Application To LEC Campus Director

- A. Applicant must have teaching and/or administrative experience in a P-12 school or similar educational setting.
- B. Applicant must submit three letters of recommendation from individuals familiar with his/her character, teaching and/or administrative performance and ability to perform academically on the doctoral level.
- C. Applicant should complete the admission portfolio by inclusion of a personal resume and writing samples, particularly writing that has been published, and a copy of the teaching certificate.
- D. Finalists in the application process may be required to have a personal interview with the doctoral admission committee on the campus to which graduate application is made.

\* An applicant whose credentials do not meet GPA, GRE or MA minimums may qualify for probationary or conditional status.