# The Challenge... The Preparation... The Pursuit.



Designed for scholar-practitioners in P-16 school settings, Ed.D. graduates are prepared to apply the knowledge, skills and dispositions necessary to fill leadership positions by becoming:

- Effective change agents and leaders
- Insightful facilitators
- Influential communicators
- Critical thinkers
- Independent problem solvers
- Intuitive decision makers

Now accepting applications for annual admission. Enrollment is limited.

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# LEC

**Louisiana Education Consortium** 

Doctor of Education Degrees

in
Educational Leadership

and
Curriculum and Instruction



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Grambling State University
Louisiana Tech University
University of Louisiana at Monroe

#### An Exceptional Learning Model

The Louisiana Education Consortium Doctoral Degrees in Educational Leadership and Curriculum and Instruction are an exceptional learning model brought by a combination of three renowned Universities all located in North Louisiana.

By joining these three Universities, students experience:

- Diverse and key educators who offer their unique perspectives
- Flexibility to take classes part-time in the evenings as well as part distanced and part in the classroom
- Access to each University's resources: libraries, computer centers, student centers, and more
- An exceptional learning model structured by collaboration of each University
- Small class sizes and hands-on learning
- Inclusion of campus-life at each University
- Opportunities for Graduate Assistantships
- Support from the Association of Doctoral Students, a network of LEC students

#### **Career Paths**

LEC Ed.D. graduates may consider career paths as:

- School Leaders
- Superintendents
- Curriculum Specialists
- Staff Development Specialists
- Consultants
- Lead Teachers
- Mentor Teachers
- Teachers of Excellence
- Curriculum Coordinators
- Adjunct Professors
- Instructional Supervisors
- Department Heads
- Academic Coaches
- And other leadership roles

#### Ed.D. in Educational Leadership

The Ed.D. in Education Leadership is a rigorous academic program that provides experiences that cover a spectrum of abilities and tasks to prepare scholars/practitioners who

- Analyze, interpret, and disseminate educational information to stakeholders within the school and community to support and enhance school improvement,
- Employ conflict management techniques that effectively maintain a productive learning culture for students and staff, and
- Investigate and evaluate local, state, and national policy and practice impacting schools and school districts to ensure that students develop the knowledge, skills, and values needed to become life-long learners.

## Ed.D. in Curriculum and Instruction

The Ed.D. in Curriculum and Instruction is a rigorous academic program that provides experiences that cover a spectrum of abilities and tasks to prepare scholars/practitioners who

- Apply curriculum concepts (scope, sequence, balance, integration) in curriculum development and instructional design,
- Align curricula with state standards and national guidelines, and
- Design and deliver staff development activities with professional colleagues (workshops, presentations, classroom demonstrations, etc.) based upon need assessment and other research.

#### Admission Procedures

- I. Application To University
  - A. Applicant must submit an application to the 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/counseling 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 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.

#### Program Design

I.	Foundations Core	15	sem.	hrs.
	(Research, Statistics, Foundations)			
II.	Program Core	24	sem.	hrs.
II.	Cognate/Electives	9	sem.	hrs.
IV.	Internship	6	sem.	hrs.
v.	Research/Dissertation	12	sem.	hrs.
	Minimum	66	sem	hrs

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