

Adult and Higher Education MEd, Higher Education Emphasis

The M.Ed. in Adult & Higher Education is intended for

1. faculty and other educators who want to improve their adult teaching skills;
2. persons who occupy and seek to advance into administrative or management positions in a variety of educational settings; and
3. others who work with adults in a variety of agencies.

The degree program includes courses in foundations, curriculum and teaching (including distance learning), organization and administration, research, and electives so that students can create an emphasis area to fit their career goals. To help address student interests, special topic seminars are offered from time to time. An internship in the student's emphasis area is a required exit experience. Students elect either the adult education or higher education emphasis area.

Admission Requirements

This degree program follows the policies of The College of Education and the Graduate School relating to academic standards, residency, transfer credit, time limitations, and thesis options (see Graduate Study in the Bulletin).

Applicants must meet the general graduate admission requirements of the Graduate School, described in the UMSL Bulletin. Students are considered for admission to the graduate program in Adult and Higher Education only after they have formally applied for admission through the Graduate School. Applications may be completed on-line.

ED PSY 6474	Understanding the Psychosocial Development of Emerging Adults	3
or HIGHERED 6474	Understanding the Psychosocial Development of Emerging Adults	
HIGHERED 6405	Financial Issues in Higher Education	3
HIGHERED 6408	Legal Issues in Student Affairs	3
HIGHERED 6430	The Community College	3
HIGHERED 6473	Curriculum in Higher Education	3
HIGHERED 6475	College Access and Career Preparation for the Emerging Adult	3
HIGHERED 6476	Organization and Administration of Higher Education	3
HIGHERED 6477	History and Philosophy of American Higher Education	3
HIGHERED 6478	Enrollment Management and Student Retention	3
HIGHERED 6900	Internship (may be taken over 1-3 semesters)	3
Total Hours		30