Educational Leadership, Policy and Human Development

The Adult, Workforce, and Continuing Professional Education specialization with the Ph.D. in Educational Leadership, Policy, and Human Development is unique in its emphasis on serving the spectrum of both formal and informal adult learning organizations, and its inclusion of administrative, instructional and technology-related leadership within a practitioner preparation program. Based on a land-grant, Research Extensive University, the department reflects the tripartite commitment to quality instruction, research scholarship and service outreach.

The Ph.D. in Educational Leadership, Policy, and Human Development with a specialization in Adult, Workforce, and Continuing Professional Education, is one-of-a-kind as its primary commitment is to part-time students who are full-time working professionals. Full-time students are eligible for consideration to receive full funding through scholarships, fellowships and teaching assistantships, which allow our students to work with top faculty on cutting-edge projects. To meet the needs of full- and part-time students, most courses are offered once a week during late afternoon or evening hours. Some courses are regularly available during summer sessions and weekends and through distance education technologies.

Admission Requirements

Applications for admission are submitted through the Graduate School. We accept students from a wide range of educational backgrounds. To qualify for admission, applicants must have a master’s degree from an accredited institution of higher education in any field. International applicants must also have a TOEFL score of 100 or higher. Admission decisions are based on several criteria, including undergraduate GPA, work history and interest in the field.

Student Financial Support

To be eligible for financial aid, students must be enrolled in Master’s or Doctoral degree programs offered by the University. Unfortunately there is no financial aid available for Graduate Certificate students. Occasionally graduate assistantships are available for full time students in our degree programs. Please check with your advisor about assistantship opportunities.

Degrees

- Educational Leadership, Policy, and Human Development (PhD) (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/educational-leadership-policy-human-development/educational-leadership-policy-human-development-phd/)
- Educational Leadership, Policy and Human Development (PhD): Adult and Lifelong Education (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/educational-leadership-policy-human-development/adult-and-lifelong-education/)
- Educational Leadership, Policy and Human Development (PhD): Community College and Career Education (http://catalog.ncsu.edu/graduate/education/educational-leadership-policy-human-development/community-college-and-career-education/)

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