

POLICE IN EDUCATION LEADERSHIP, MANAGEMENT AND POLICY (ED.S.)

The Education Specialist degree within the Police Graduate Studies program is an option for M.A. graduates who wish to pursue further education.

The Educational Specialist program for law enforcement students was designed for law enforcement and public sector executives, who having completed the Master of Arts required preparation beyond the master's degree in specific areas of management and leadership.

Admissions Requirements

Admission will be open to holders of master's degrees from accredited colleges or universities. Faculty will evaluate each applicant based on the following criteria and materials:

- Statement of purpose;
- Official undergraduate transcript (must have 3.0 GPA or equivalent);
- Three letters of recommendation from academic and/or professional references;
- Graduate research coursework (must have taken at least one course); and
- Personal interview.

Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis.

Ed.D. for Seton Hall Ed.S. (Police) Graduates

Students who have graduated from Ed.S. (Police) program in the Department of Education Leadership, Management, and Policy are eligible to apply to a specialized version of the Ed.D. program, in Higher Education Leadership, Management, and Policy, in which their credits from the Ed.S. transfer into the program, and thus only 21 credits and other remaining doctoral requirements (e.g., dissertation) are required for completion.

Admissions Requirements

Admission will be open to holders of Ed.S. degrees from the department Ed.S. program within police graduate studies. Faculty will evaluate each applicant based on the following criteria and materials:

- Statement of purpose;
- Official undergraduate transcript;
- Official graduate transcript;
- Two letters of recommendation from academic and/or professional references; and
- Current resumé.
- Applications are twice per year, with fall entrants being reviewed in March and spring entrants being reviewed in October.

Dissertation Proposal

Students must have a documented, successful defense of their dissertation proposal, signed and dated by dissertation committee members. A successful proposal defense is a required intermediate stage of the dissertation process. More detail is in the department dissertation handbook.

Dissertation

Students must complete a dissertation and successfully defend their work with their dissertation committee. More detail is in the department dissertation handbook.

Course Requirements

Students must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours, as listed below. Up to 6 credits not applied to previous degrees may be transferred.

Code	Title	Hours
I. Interdepartmental/Interdisciplinary Studie		
Select one of the following:		3
EDST 9301	History of Ed in America	
EDST 9302	Socio-Psych Domain	
EDST 9304	Phil Persp-School and Society	
Subtotal		3
II. Concentration Studies		
ELMP 7772	Lead Dyn Analysis Sup	3
ELMP 7773	Organ Struct and Proc Admin	3
Select seven courses from the following:		21
ELMP 6764	Prin-Pub Sec Bargain	
ELMP 7761	Mgmt Fin Fiscal Affrs in Admin	
ELMP 7762	Public Relations in Admin	
ELMP 7765	Policy Analysis-Admin Pol-Econ	
ELMP 7767	Adv Study-Personnel Admin	
ELMP 7768	Technology for Administrators	
ELMP 7770	Cybernetic Research for Ed Adm	
ELMP 7771	Organiz Decision Making	
ELMP 7774	Comp Study-Intl Educ Systems	
ELMP 7776	Curric Design and Engineering	
ELMP 8984	Ldshp Inst Admin and Sup	
ELMP 8985	Ldshp Inst Wkshp Adm and Sup	
Subtotal		27
III. Required Research		
ELMP 6005	Statistical Methods	3
ELMP 9999	Culminating Research Seminar	3
Subtotal		6
Total Hours		36