Degree Requirements: Higher Education (M.S.)

This document is based on the program of study requirements listed in the 2017-2018 Higher Education Master of Science Handbook. Degree requirements, course names, or course numbers may change. Scheduled semester may vary. Check department listings.

Core Courses (33 hours)

- EDH 5051 Higher Education in America: Basic Understandings (3)
- EDH 5045 Student Development Theories (3)
- SDS 5040 Introduction to Student Affairs (3)
- EDH 5046 Diversity in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5078 Outcomes Assessment in Higher Education I (3)
- EDH 5931 Leadership Education and Learning (3)
- SDS 5804 Practicum in Student Personnel (3)
- EDF 5931 Outcomes Assessment in Higher Education II (3)
- EDH 5630 Capstone in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5944 Internships or Thesis (6** see note below)

Electives (minimum 6 hours)

- EDH 5042 Student Success in College (3) – recommended elective
- EDH 5405 Legal Aspects of College (3) – recommended elective
- EDH 5639 Management in Higher Education (3) – recommended elective
- EDH 5054 The American Community College (3)
- EDH 5506 College & University Business Administration (3)
- EDH 5055 Introduction to Institutional Research (3)
- EDH 5305 College Teaching: Instruction (3)
- EDH 5504 Institutional Advancement in Higher Education (3)
- EDF 5519 History of Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5005 Sociology of Higher Education (3)
- EDF 5630 Sociology of Education (3)
- EDH 5506 College and University Business Administration (3)
- EDH 6067 International Perspectives in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5095 Strategic Planning in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5507 College and University Budgeting (3)
- EDH 6505 Finance in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 6064 Women in Higher Education (3)
- EDH 5089 Black and Latino Education: History and Policy (3)

(Other higher education courses may be substituted with consent of advisor)

** Internships/Thesis: Students with experience in higher education management positions may, within one year of starting classes, petition the faculty to forego 3 internship credit hours and take another course (elective) in its place. Students seeking an intensive research experience in the field may, within one year of starting classes, petition the faculty to pursue 6 hours of thesis credit in place of the internship requirement.