Graduate Certificate
Higher Education Leadership

The Graduate Certificate in Higher Education Leadership is designed for individuals who currently work in or aspire to have a rewarding career in the field of higher education, including areas such as student affairs, academic affairs, intercollegiate athletics administration, institutional advancement, and enrollment management. You will also gain contextual knowledge and applicable leadership skills in Higher Education Administration for the next step in your career. Our program gives students the opportunity to learn in a flexible environment that includes on campus and online class offerings and the ability to complete in as little as 12 months.

Be EXPERIENCED

We know that education is not always found in the classroom. Our faculty are intentional in combining real-world challenges and issues in higher education into the curriculum that will equip you with relevant knowledge and skills that you can apply right away. In addition, our graduate certificate will prepare for master’s or doctoral work in similar degree programs or related fields.

Our students will take courses in applicable subjects such as:
• Organization and Administration in Higher Education
• Governance and Policymaking in Higher Education
• Legal Issues and Law in Higher Education
• Finance in Higher Education

Be INVESTED

Invest in yourself and your career. Before you graduate, you will build a resume that sets you apart, make connections that can help lead to job offers, learn what you like most about your field, and gain the confidence only experience provides. Work in a variety of occupations, including:
• Admissions Counselor
• College Professor
• Student Affairs Professional

$69,000 average earnings for graduate students
2.51% Increase in demand for this field over the next 10 years (US Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2019)

The credits earned in the Higher Education Leadership Graduate Certificate can transfer into our M.A. in Educational Studies degree.

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