**EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES**

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PHD) COURSEWORK PLAN 2013-14**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*The course work plan must be completed, with advisor’s signature, and submitted to the Academic Services Associate by the end of the first quarter of enrollment.*

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| **Transfer Credits, if any – must be filed with Graduate Studies Office by end of first quarter of study.** | | | | |
| **Course name & Original Number** | **Substitutes for (Requirement):** | **Institution** | **When Completed** | **Hours to Transfer** |
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| **TOTAL TRANSFER HOURS (15 maximum):** | | | |  |

*NOTE: Schedules are subject to change; be sure to consult your advisor!*

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| **Course name** | **Requirement** | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| School Reform & Current Issues | Program Area | ADMN 4821 |  | 3 |
| Structure & Foundations of Research | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4940 |  | 3 |
| Organizational Theory & Behavior | Program Area | ADMN 4819 |  | 3 |
| Introductory Statistics\* | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4910 |  | 5 |
| Foundations & Philosophy of Education | Program Area | ADMN 4827 |  | 3 |
| Educational Measurement\* | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4920 |  | 3 |
| Perspectives on District Administration | Program Area | ADMN 4812 |  | 3 |
| Survey Design & Analysis | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4931 |  | 3 |
| Leadership in Complex Systems | Program Area | ADMN 4822 |  | 3 |
| Introduction to Qualitative Research\* | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4941 |  | 4 |
| Improving School Culture | Program Area | ADMN 4836 |  | 3 |
| Program Evaluation | Program Area | ADMN 4820 |  | 3 |
| Educational Policy Making in the US | Program Area | ADMN 4823 |  | 3 |
| Policy Analysis in Educational Systems | Program Area | ADMN 4844 |  | 4 |
| Curriculum, Instruction, Assessment | Program Area | ADMN 4835 |  | 3 |
| Empirical Research Methods\* | Intro Level Research Methods | RMS 4930 |  | 3 |
| *\* Indicates Research Courses which a student may have waived or test out* | | | | |
| **Third Year of Study – Student Designs with Advisor See list below for recommended sequence and option** | | | | |
| **REQUIRED: Cognate Area Courses**  **REQUIRED: Three Intermediate and/or Advanced Research Methods Courses**  **REQUIRED:** Minimum of **8 credits at Intermediate level** and **3 credits at the Advanced level** | | | | |

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| **recommended options, statistics focus** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| Correlation & Regression *(prerequisite for many other RMS courses)* | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4911 |  | 4 |
| Analysis of Variance (ANOVA) | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4912 |  | 5 |
| Multivariate Analysis | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4913 |  | 5 |
| Hierarchical Linear Modeling | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4915 |  | 4 |
| Structural Equation Modeling | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4914 |  | 5 |
| **recommended options, measurement focus** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| Psychometric Theory | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4921 |  | 3 |
| Item Response Theory | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4922 |  | 3 |
| Multivariate Analysis | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4913 |  | 5 |
| **recommended options, qualitative focus** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| Qualitative Data Collection & Analysis | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4942 |  | 4 |
| Community Based Research | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4945 |  | 4 |
| Arts-based Research | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4947 |  | 3 |
| Ethnographic Research | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4946 |  | 4 |
| **other recommended options** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| Meta-Analysis for Social Science Research | Intermediate Research Methods | | RMS 4932 |  | 2 |
| Mixed Methods Research Design | Advanced Research Methods | | RMS 4951 |  | 4 |
| Doctoral Research Seminar | Intro Level Research | | ADMN 5993 |  | 2 |
| **TOTAL Additional Research Hours:** | | | | |  |
| **REQUIRED: Cognate Area Courses (***DU Leader Prep Programs MAY be counted in some circumstances***)** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
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| **TOTAL Additional Cognate Hours:** | | | | |  |
| **TOTAL HOURS, YEAR THREE (Additional Research + Additional Cognate Hours):** | | | | | **28** |
| **Course name** | | | **Number** | **Qtr Planned** | **Hours** |
| Dissertation Research | | | ADMN 5995 |  |  |
| **TOTAL REQUIRED DISSERTATION HOURS:** | | | | | **10** |
| **Optional Internship – only needed if seeking District Level (Superintendency) Administrative License.** | | | | | |
| **Course name** | | **Requirement** | **Number** | **ANY Qtr** | **Hours** |
| District Administration Internship | | 6 hours total required  (1-6 credits) | ADMN 4817 |  |  |
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| **TOTAL OPTIONAL INTERNSHIP HOURS:** | | | | | **6** |

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| *PhD in Educational Leadership - Summary of Requirements* | Credit Hours |
| College of Ed/Research Requirements | 21 |
| Additional Research Hours | 11+ |
| *NOTE: PhD requires a minimum of 28 research credits, at least 8 of which are Intermediate & 3 of which are Advanced* | |
| Division/Program Area Requirements | 24 |
| Additional Cognate Hours (9 to 24) | 9-24 |
| Dissertation Research Hours | 10 |
| TOTAL for PhD Doctorate: | 90 |
| OPTIONAL: Internship Hours (6 needed if license is sought) | 6 |
| TOTAL coursework hours for this plan: |  |

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| *PhD in Educational Leadership – Review Benchmarks Required* | Planned Qtr |
| End of Year One Review with Advisor |  |
| End of Year Two Comprehensive Examination (given summer quarter) |  |
| End of Year Two Review with Advisor |  |
| End of Year Three Review with Advisor |  |
| Official advancement to candidacy |  |
| Dissertation proposal defense |  |
| IRB (Institutional Review Board) approval |  |
| Final Dissertation defense |  |

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