

# Department of Educational Leadership

## Master's Degree Workforce Education & Development

### Workplace Learning & Performance (WLP)

The Workforce Education and Development concentration in workplace learning and performance is designed to provide persons with interest in training and related fields the foundation skills for roles specific to facilitating, designing and developing, and measuring and evaluating training environments. The program is geared toward persons interested in becoming training professionals, curriculum designers, program developers, and training generalists. The Master's of Education requires the successful completion of a comprehensive exam. The Master's of Science requires the completion of a thesis.

### Admission Requirements

1. A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university;
2. A completed application and official copies of all college transcripts;
3. Two letters of professional recommendation;
4. Submission of an official copy of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Miller's Analogy Test (MAT);
5. A minimum GPA of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work;
6. Professional Resume or Vita with verification of professional experience;
7. Writing sample;
8. Statement of Interest; and,
9. Indication of interest in a graduate assistantship, when applicable.

### Admission Process

Application forms, fees, and official transcripts of all college-level work should be submitted to:

**Graduate College  
University of Nevada Las Vegas  
4505 Maryland Parkway, Box 451017  
Las Vegas, NV 89154-1017  
Telephone (702) 895-3320**

Two letters of recommendation, professional resume or vita, verification of appropriate professional experience, notification of interest in a graduate assistantship, GRE or MAT, and statement of interest should be submitted to:

**Department of Educational Leadership  
College of Education  
University of Nevada Las Vegas  
4505 Maryland Parkway, Box 453002  
Las Vegas, NV 89154-3002  
Telephone (702) 895-3491**

## Degree Requirements

### Workforce Education Core (15/18 credits)

EPY 702	Research Methods
EDW 740	Technology for Improving Human Performance
EDW 745	Theories of Adult Learning
EDW 763	Readings in Workforce Education: Post-secondary, WLP (formerly training) & Leadership
EDW 772	Seminar in Workforce Education
EDW 731*	Workforce Education Externship *(Prerequisite for those with no work experience)

### Concentration Options in Workplace Learning & Performance (WLP) (18/15 credits)

EDW 732	Foundation of WLP
EDW 737	Facilitation Skills in B & I
EDW 734	Needs Assessment & Training Program Eval.
EDW 736	Training Program Development
EDW 741**	Advanced Training Program Development **(Optional for M.S.)
EDW 742	Policies & Practices in WLP
EDW 759***	Professional Seminar in WLP *** (1-3 Credits—Optional)

### Internship (3 credits)

EDW 749	Professional Internship
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### Option I: M.Ed. Successful Completion of a Comprehensive Exam

(Total 36 Credits)

### Option II: M.S (3 credits)

EPY 718	Qualitative Research Methods
<b>OR</b>	
EPY 721	Descriptive and Inferential Statistics

### Capstone (6 credit)

EDW 775	Thesis
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(Total 39 Credits)

## Financial Aid

For Information on grants, loans, and work-study opportunities contact Student Financial Services at (702) 895-3424 or toll-free 1-800-334-UNLV or the office located on the second floor of the Reynolds Student Services Complex. Fellowships, scholarships, and graduate assistantships are available through the Graduate College. Contact the Graduate College regarding requirements and deadlines for these awards. For more information, visit our website at:

[http://education.unlv.edu/Educational\\_Leadership](http://education.unlv.edu/Educational_Leadership)

## Admission Deadlines

March 15—Summer Admission  
June 15—Fall Admission  
November 15—Spring Admission

