EDUC ORGANIZATION & LEADERSHIP (EOL)

EOL Class Schedule (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/DEFAULT/DEFAULT/EOL)

Courses

EOL 440 Professional Issues for Teachers  credit: 1 or 3 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/440)
Provides the basic common understanding of schools as social organizations and the professional role of teachers in public schools; analyzes selected legal issues relating to student rights, employment and teacher rights, and collective bargaining in schools; and serves as an introduction to instructional supervision, teacher evaluation, and continuing professional development of teachers. Same as EPOL 440. 3 undergraduate hours. 1 graduate hour. Prerequisite: Admission into a teacher preparation program. 1 hour section requires concurrent enrollment in EDPR 432 or EDPR 442.

EOL 518 Econ of Ed, Hlth & Hum Capital  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/518)
Basic economic analysis of human capital and the value of human time, with applications to the economics of education and health; theory and analysis of consumer investment in human and physical capital over the life cycle; the returns to education and health, and their effects on growth; the theory of nonmarket time; public finance of education and health; and implications for the analysis of the distribution of income. Same as ECON 545. Prerequisite: A course in microeconomic theory and a course in statistics, or consent of instructor.

EOL 540 Introduction to Educational Leadership  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/540)
Multiple perspectives for understanding theory and practice in the governance and operation of complex organizations in P-12 school systems. Focuses on leadership development and the changing role of the school leader in leading learning-focused schools dedicated to significant and continuous growth for every student. Same as EPOL 535. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 541 Supervision of Learning Environments  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/541)
Methods, theories, and research applying to the supervision and evaluation of classroom practices in learning-centered schools; includes analysis and application of research in effective teaching practices, formative assessment and summative evaluation, data collection techniques, and professional development. Same as EPOL 538. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 542 Leading Learning-Centered Schools  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/542)
Provides an overview and analysis of the administrative, supervisory, and leadership functions of building-level administrators; emphasizes the design and implementation of effective educational programs on a school-wide basis; analyzes administrative tasks and processes that focus on learning-centered schools. Same as EPOL 540. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit. Prerequisite: EOL 540 or consent of instructor. Priority will be given to department majors.

EOL 543 Leading School Improvement  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/543)
Study of major ideas on school improvement, past and present, and of emerging research on the condition of public education in the United States. In-depth examination of reform proposals for changing the organization of schools, the instructional program, and the roles of students, teachers, and school administrators. Same as EPOL 536. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 544 Leading Improvement and Innovation  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/544)
In-depth examination of leadership competencies and skills required for the public school superintendent to successfully lead, innovate, and manage complex educational organizations. Analysis of research and evidenced-based practices that focus on learning, building organizational capacity, strategic design, and ensuring equity and excellence for all learners. Emphasis placed on preparing individuals to effectively lead socially just organizations that ensure high quality learning. Same as EPOL 541. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 546 Public School Finance  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/546)
Study of financing public education systems in the United States; focuses on the social, economic, political, legal, and technical dimensions of developing school finance policy for federal, state, and local governments; relates theory and research in public school finance to administrative practice in budgeting and financial administration. Same as EPOL 542. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 547 Education Law  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/547)
Examines the range of federal and state constitutional and statutory sources that apply to the constituents (pupils, parents, teachers, administrators, and board members) engaged in public schools. Emphasizes development of legal analytical skills. Same as EPOL 537. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 548 Political & Cultural Context of Education  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/548)
The political and social environment of public education in the United States; analysis of the power structure and its influence on educational policy making at the district level; examination of the evolving roles of state and federal agencies, the courts, private organizations, and interest groups in school governance. Studies the tension between the ideal of a democratically controlled public school system and the growing power of educational experts. Same as EPOL 539. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 549 Organizational Theory for Educational Leaders  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/549)
Study of theoretical perspectives and empirical research drawn from the social sciences relating to educational organizations and administrative leadership with an emphasis on application of theory to practice. Same as EPOL 544. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 550 Educational Leadership and Professional Development  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/550)
Study of major issues on educational leadership and professional development. Examination of research, theories, and practices pertaining to: professional development purposes, content, context, policies, and processes; fostering and sustaining quality professional development; and the roles of teachers, school administrators and policy analysts. Same as EPOL 543. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

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EOL 560 Clinical Experience Administration  credit: 0 to 12 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/560) Same as EPOL 597. See EPOL 597.

EOL 561 Educational Politics and Policies  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/561) Same as EPOL 530. See EPOL 530.

EOL 562 Law and School District Leader  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/562) Advanced study of public school law, addressing legal and fiscal policy issues related to effective management of public school districts. In-depth analysis of federal and state statutes, with an emphasis on recent court decisions and legal trends; emphasizes development of legal analytical skills. Same as EPOL 546. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 563 The School Superintendency  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/563) Same as EPOL 533. See EPOL 533.

EOL 564 District Change for Equity and Social Justice  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/564) Same as EPOL 547. See EPOL 547.

EOL 565 Human Resource Management  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/565) Principles, problems, and trends in the administration of professional public school personnel; organization of personnel; the legal framework of the personnel function; selection, evaluation, and development of staff; collective bargaining; contract administration and personnel policy; and the personnel administrator's role as a catalyst for school improvement. Same as EPOL 548. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 566 School District Financial Management  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/566) Same as EPOL 549. See EPOL 549.

EOL 567 Program Planning & Evaluation  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/567) Prerequisite: EOL 540 or equivalent or consent of instructor. Open only to persons who have been admitted to doctoral study in the Department of Educational Organization and Leadership.

EOL 568 Diversity, Leadership & Policy  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/568) Intended to provide students with an opportunity to study both historical and contemporary perspectives on leadership and policy in diverse contexts and to prompt reflection on their own practice. As students read, discuss, reflect on, and critique a variety of perspectives and topics such as race, class, power, cultural leadership, policy, change, diversity, and building community, they will consider how the literature informs the development of a personal philosophy of education leadership, takes into consideration moral and ethical issues, the implementation of educational policy, the purposes and nature of the task, and the complexity and diversity of educational contexts. Same as EPOL 531. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 569 Access to Higher Education  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/569) Same as EPOL 556 and EPS 579. See EPS 579.
EOL 580  Critical Issues in Higher Education  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/580)
Same as EPOL 565. See EPOL 565.

EOL 582  College Student Development  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/582)
Provides students with an understanding of theories and research involving the cognitive, intrapersonal and interpersonal development of college students. Special attention is paid to the application of student development research in educational settings and the intentional creation of educational environments along developmental principles. Same as EPOL 564. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 583  Student Affairs Administration  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/583)
Theory, research, and practice of student affairs administration, including philosophical foundations, management, professional development and organizational issues. Same as EPOL 560. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 584  Administration in Higher Education  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/584)
Designed for students to gain a greater understanding of administrative leadership in higher education. Provides current and future administrators an opportunity to explore foundational theories of academic organization and leadership; investigate contemporary leadership issues within various contexts; and develop analytical skills which connect theoretical frameworks to leadership practice and research. Same as EPOL 553. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 585  College Teaching  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/585)
Scholarly approach to curriculum and pedagogy at the college level: instructional methods, active and cooperative learning, technology-enhanced teaching, evaluation and assessment, faculty roles and responsibilities. Same as EPOL 554. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 586  Changing College Curriculum  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/586)
Examines the historical roots, contemporary controversies, current trends, and possible futures of the curriculum in American postsecondary education. It is a graduate seminar built on small group discussions and conversations about important literature on the changing college curriculum. Increases student understanding of historical and contemporary curricular issues in higher education with the additional goal of fostering the consideration of the possibilities of challenges to enacting curricular change. Same as EPOL 561. 4 graduate hours. No professional credit.

EOL 587  Quality Process Improvement  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/587)
Same as EPOL 572 and HRD 531. See HRD 531.

EOL 588  Capstone Experience I & II  credit: 2 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/588)
Same as EPOL 596. See EPOL 596.

EOL 589  Internship in Education Policy, Organization and Leadership  credit: 2 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/EOL/589)
Same as EPOL 598. See EPOL 598.

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