EDUCATION POLICY, ORGANIZATION & LEADERSHIP, MA

for the degree of Master of Arts in Education Policy, Organization & Leadership

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overview of college admissions & requirements: College of Education (https://education.illinois.edu/programs/grad/how-to-apply?url=/programs/grad)
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The Department of Education Policy, Organization & Leadership offers many programs leading to the degree of Master of Arts (M.A.). A list of programs and additional requirements can be found on the program’s website, (https://education.illinois.edu/faceted-search/programs?degree=edm&department=epol) the College of Education Graduate Programs Handbook (https://education.illinois.edu/current-students/graduate/coe-graduate-handbook), and the Graduate College Handbook (http://www.grad.illinois.edu/gradhandbook).

Students may select an optional concentration in:

- African American Studies concentration (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/african-amer-studies/#concentrationconcentrationtext)
- Diversity & Equity in Education (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/diversityequityeducationconcentration)
- Educational Administration & Leadership (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/edadminleadershipconcentration)
- Global Studies in Education (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/globalstudiesinedconcentration)
- Higher Education (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/highereducationconcentration)
- History of Education (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/historyofeducationconcentration)
- Human Resource Development (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/humanresourcesdevconcentration)
- Learning Design & Leadership (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/learningdesignleadershipconcentration)
- Philosophy of Education (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/philosophyofeducationconcentration)
- Social Sciences & Education Policy (http://catalog.illinois.edu/graduate/graduate-majors/ed-pol-org-leadership/socialsciandedpolicyconcentration)

Code | Title | Hours
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Psychological Foundations Courses in Educational Psychology

Select one of the following:

- EPSY 400 Psychology of Learning in Education
- EPSY 401 Child Language and Education
- EPSY 402 Sociocultural Influence on Learning
- EPSY 404 Adjustment in School Settings
- EPSY 405 Personality and Soc Dev
- EPSY 406 Psychology of Classroom Management
- EPSY 407 Adult Learning and Development
- EPSY 408 Learning and Human Development with Educational Technology
- EPSY 430 Early Adolescent Development
- EPSY 485 Assessing Student Performance
- EPSY 490 Developments in Educational Psychology
- EPSY 553 Global Issues in Learning

Philosophical and Social Foundations Courses in Education Policy, Organization and Leadership

Select one of the following:

- EOL 548 Poli & Cultural Context of Ed
- EPS 400 History of American Education
- EPS 402 Asian American Education
- EPS 405 Historical & Social Barriers
- EPS 410 Professional Ethics in Education
- EPS 411 School and Society
- EPS 412 Critical Thinking in Education
- EPS 413 Aesthetic Education
- EPS 415 Technology & Educational Reform
- EPS 420 Sociology of Education
- EPS 421 Racial and Ethnic Families
- EPS 423 Politics of Education
- EPS 424 Economics of Education

500-Level Courses Required in Education (Thesis Research Credit not included)

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400/500-Level Courses approved by Advisor (Thesis Research Credit and Independent Study can be applied up to a maximum of 8 hours each)

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(Optional) Concentration Courses. May overlap with other coursework requirements

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### Other Requirements

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