

Educational Psychology & Higher Education Program Handbook

Welcome

Welcome to the Department of Educational Psychology and Higher Education at UNLV! The Department of Educational Psychology & Higher Education provides instruction in, and the delivery of innovative

Advisory Committee Guidelines.

For programs that require a thesis or dissertation, a graduate advisory committee is mandatory and must conform to the Degree Progression Policies and Procedures provided in the graduate catalog

Degree Program Benchmarks

Information on Timeline, Comprehensive Exams, Thesis (when applicable) and Culminating Experiences are provided below for each degree and certificate.

Program Timeline

The credit hours and additional requirements for each degree and certificate are provided below. The timeline to completion is dependent upon the number of credits pursued each semester, including summer. Time to degree often varies significantly depending on each student's obligations and commitments in addition to chosen credit hour load. Official program requirements are found in the Graduate Catalog.

Please see catalog for degree requirements:

[Master of Science - Educational Psychology](#)

[Master of Education - Higher Education](#)

[Master of Education - Educational Policy & Leadership](#)

[Graduate Certificate in Higher Education](#)

[Graduate Certificate in Chief Diversity Officer in Higher Education](#)

[Graduate Certificate in College Sport Leadership](#)

[Graduate Certificate in Program Evaluation and Assessment](#)

Professional Code of Ethics/Discipline Guidelines

UNLV Graduate College policy regarding academic integrity can be found in the graduate catalog.

Annual Review Procedures

Annual Mandatory Individual Development Plan: Each winter break and early spring term, graduate students are **required** to complete the Graduate Student Individual Development Plan (IDP) form [Formerly known as the Student Annual Review]. The review covers the prior calendar year and assesses student progress, and it establishes reasonable goals for the year ahead. Faculty Advisors/Graduate Coordinators have the option to provide feedback — C pp ac d pp ?

Here, all members of campus can discuss their differences, discover their similarities, and build a shared sense of belonging.

UNLV Libraries

UNLV Libraries has always been more than books; they are about encouraging students and creating quality programs that elevate growth and learning. Please visit their website for important information about the services they offer to graduate students.

Graduate & Professional Student Association (GPSA)

The Graduate & Professional Student Association serves all currently enrolled University of Nevada, Las Vegas graduate and professional students. The GPSA maintains the Graduate Student Commons located in the Lied Library room 2141 and Gateway Building PDAC Room. The facility a working office equipped with a copier, fax, flatbed scanners, color laser printer, office supplies, and computers with printers and a small kitchen area. The GPSA is the graduate student governance body at UNLV; the GPSA Council consists of one graduate student representative from each graduate department, and they meet monthly. The GPSA also provides volunteer opportunities, sponsors social events, and supports graduate student research through the graduate research and travel grants program.

Office of Student Conduct

The Office of Student Conduct is a student-centered, service-oriented office located within the Division of Student Affairs. The Office of Student Conduct collaborates with the UNLV community to provide an inclusive system through enforcement of the *UNLV Student Code of Conduct* by:

- Promoting awareness of student rights and responsibilities;
- Establishing accountability for student choices;
- Creating opportunities for involvement in the process; and
- Striving to uphold the values and ethics that advance the common good.

Military and Veteran Services Center

University Policies and Procedures