

Education

with a Concentration in Organizational Leadership

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION



Program Features

54 credit hours

Outstanding faculty and student-centered curriculum

Format

Three semesters per year

Multiple starts throughout the year (August, January, and May)

Offered via online and blended formats

Quality

Nova Southeastern University is regionally accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

The Abraham S. Fischler College of Education's educator preparation programs are nationally accredited.



Ed.D. with a Concentration in Organizational Leadership

The Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) with a concentration in Organizational Leadership is designed for practicing professionals with a leadership role in their organization. This concentration fosters the development of skills to meet both current and future leadership challenges facing organizations through self-reflection, analysis, and best practices used to solve real problems in the workplace through practical application.

The primary purpose of the concentration in Organizational Leadership is to build upon the capacities of adult learners to meet both current and future challenges facing their associations. Organizational leaders must acquire the skills to lead in an increasingly diverse world in the context of a changing economy, growing globalism, and rapidly developing technology. Graduates of this program will benefit from strategic opportunities to develop professionally and to apply their knowledge and skills to lead organizations effectively into the future.



Visit education.nova.edu/doctoral/edd/organizationleader.html for more information.

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CURRICULUM

Program Requirements Credits

Orientation (0 credits)

DSO	8000	Doctoral Studies Orientation	0
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Concentration Area Courses (24 credits)

EDD	8200	Leadership, Communication, and Technology	3
ORGL	8730	Virtual and Global Leadership	3
ORGL	8740	Organizational Behavior and Human Development	3
ORGL	8750	Strategic Planning	3
ORGL	8760	Change Management	3
ORGL	8770	Critical Thinking for Decision Making	3
ORGL	8780	Emerging Theories of Organization Leadership	3
ORGL	8790	Diversity Dynamics	3

Research Courses (12 credits)

RES	8100	The Nature of Knowing: Epistemology and Inquiry-Based Learning	3
RES	9300	Methods of Inquiry	3
Research Electives			6

Program Requirements Credits

Applied Dissertation Benchmarks (12 Credits)

DISR	8966	Applied Dissertation 1: Prospectus	3
DISR	8967	Applied Dissertation 2: Proposal Development	3
DISR	8968	Applied Dissertation 3: Proposal	3
DISR	8969	Applied Dissertation 4: Applied Dissertation	3

Electives (minimum of 6 credits)

Elective Courses			6
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Summer Institute (0 credits)

FSC	8000	Summer Institute (residency requirement)	0
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Students must attend one Summer Institute during their program of study.

Continuing Dissertation Services (0 credits)

ADS	8091	Applied Dissertation Services*	0
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Total Credits 54

* If not completed, students must enroll in ADS 8091 beginning the 37th month in order to receive dissertation services and support from the Dissertation Committee, chairs, and/or other NSU faculty and staff.

This publication should not be viewed as a substitution for official program requirements and outcomes. A student is responsible for meeting the curriculum and program requirements in the *Fischler College of Education Catalog and Student Handbook* that are in effect when the student enters the program.

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