Educational Leadership/Public School Administration

Degrees Offered
- Master of Arts
- Doctor of Education

Certifications Offered
- Certification for elementary and secondary school principals
- Certification for instructional supervisors
- Certification for superintendents

Nature of the Program
The Educational Leadership – Public Education Administration Program at West Virginia University prepares individuals for leadership positions in elementary, secondary, and post-secondary educational institutions. Although most of our students pursue administrative careers at the secondary-education level, some prepare for college or university research, teaching, and/or staff positions.

Note: Currently not accepting new students into this program.

FACULTY
CHAIR
- Samuel F. Stack, Jr - Ph.D. (University of South Carolina)
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PROFESSOR
- Helen Hazi - Ph.D. (University of Pittsburgh)
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Admissions
We are not currently accepting applicants into this program.

Masters
We are not currently accepting applicants into this program.

Doctoral
NOTE: Our program is currently not accepting new applications due to oversubscription.

Major Learning Outcomes

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

The learning goals for this program are to prepare students who:
- Have commitment and skills to engage in life-long learning;
- Are effective communicators;
- Recognize that teaching is a professional, moral, and ethical enterprise with well-developed ethical frameworks which facilitate effective teaching;
- Will serve as a facilitator of learning for all students;
- Possess in-depth knowledge of both pedagogy and content, and the relationships between them;
- Are reflective practitioners;
- Are aware of, and have respect for, human diversity;
- Value and integrate knowledge from a wide variety of fields, are creative and open to new ideas, and are able to act constructively in a world characterized by technological, cultural, and societal diversity and change.