PROGRAM PLANNING
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D.) DEGREE
IN COUNSELOR EDUCATION AND COUNSELING

Recipients of the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree in Counselor Education and Counseling must have demonstrated the ability to teach counseling related subjects, provide clinical supervision, conduct research and program evaluation relevant to the work setting, deliver individual, group and/or couple and family counseling, and provide consultation services. Graduates are prepared to be counselor educators, supervisors, and counselors but also may function as supervisors in university, mental health, and family counseling centers.

A. General Residency Requirement. Following the bachelor’s degree, each candidate must complete the equivalent of ten semesters of graduate study including the master’s degree and three years of doctoral residency. At least six of the semesters must be at the doctoral level and three must be consecutive semesters of full-time graduate study on campus. (It is strongly recommended that the student attend all six of these semesters on a full-time basis.)

B. Required Courses
COUN 7683  Leadership and Advocacy in Counselor Education  2 cr.
COUN 7701  Advanced Statistics  2 cr.
COUN 7702  Advanced Research and Experimental Design  2 cr.
COUN 7703  Qualitative Research  2 cr.
COUN 7704  Qualitative Methodology and Analysis  2 cr.
COUN 7705  Instructional Theory for Counselor Educators  4 cr.
COUN 7710  Practicum in College Teaching  2 cr.
COUN 7712  Advanced Psychological Testing and Assessment  2 cr.
COUN 7724  Advanced Diversity Issues  3 cr.
COUN 7727  Advanced Theories of Counseling  3 cr.
COUN 7774  Advanced Group Procedures  3 cr.
COUN 7790  Supervision in Counselor Education  3 cr.
COUN 8800  Research and Professional Issues (2 credits, repeated up to 6 credits)  2-6 crs.
COUN 8801  Career Development in Counselor Education  1 cr.
COUN 8802  Scholarship in Counselor Education  2 cr.
COUN 8848  Doctoral Counseling Practicum  2 cr.
COUN 8848L  Doctoral Counseling Practicum Lab  0 cr.
COUN 8849  Doctoral Internship  1-18 cr.
COUN 8849L  Doctoral Internship Lab  0 cr.
COUN 8850  Dissertation  1-12 cr.

Suggested Elective
COUN 7758  Independent Problems  1-4 cr.

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FIRST YEAR FALL SEMESTER
COUN 7727 Advanced Theories of Counseling
COUN 7774 Advanced Group Procedures (includes 6676)
COUN 7790 Supervision in Counselor Education
COUN 8800 Research and Professional Issues
COUN 8849/8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., g4491, 6676, 6696)
*master's degree curriculum review
*specialization/core areas developed

FIRST YEAR SPRING SEMESTER
COUN 7701 Advanced Statistics
COUN 7703 Qualitative Research
COUN 7712 Advanced Psychological Testing and Assessment 7712 & 7724 alternate each spring semester
COUN 7724 Advanced Diversity Issues
COUN 8802 Scholarship in Counselor Education
COUN 8849/8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., 6669, 6697L and 6699L)
*develop committee/letter to Department identifying Department committee members
*work on specialization/core areas

SECOND YEAR FALL SEMESTER
COUN 7702 Advanced Research and Experimental Design
COUN 7704 Qualitative Methodology and Analysis
COUN 7705 Instructional Theory for Counselor Educators (includes g4491)
COUN 8800 Research and Professional Issues
COUN 8848/8848L Doctoral Counseling Practicum and Doctoral Counseling Practicum Lab (may be taken now)
COUN 8849/8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., g4491, 6676, 6696, 6697L, 6699L)
*final program of study
*dissertation proposal presentation in COUN 8800
*work on specialization/core areas

SECOND YEAR SPRING SEMESTER
COUN 7683 Leadership and Advocacy in Counselor Education
COUN 7712 Advanced Psychological Testing and Assessment 7712 & 7724 alternate each spring semester
COUN 7724 Advanced Diversity Issues
COUN 8848/8848L Doctoral Counseling Practicum and Doctoral Counseling Practicum Lab (may be taken now)
COUN 8849/8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., 6669, 6697L, 6699L)
*work on specialization/core areas
*dissertation committee meeting
*comprehensive examination (early February)
COUN 7712 and COUN 7724 offered alternating years

THIRD YEAR FALL SEMESTER
COUN 7710 Practicum in College Teaching (Prereq: COUN 7705)
COUN 8800 Research and Professional Issues
COUN 8801 Career Development in Counselor Education
COUN 8848/8848L Doctoral Counseling Practicum and Doctoral Counseling Practicum Lab (may be taken now)
COUN 8849/8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., g4491, 6696, 6697L, 6699L)
COUN 8850 Dissertation
COUN Electives
*dissertation work
*work on specialization/core areas

THIRD YEAR SPRING SEMESTER
COUN 8849 /8849L Doctoral Internship and Doctoral Internship Lab (i.e., 6669, 6697L, 6699L)
COUN 8850 Dissertation
*complete specialization/core areas
*finish dissertation
*dissertation defense

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