

PROGRAM CONTENT

Proficiency Workshops	(10 hours)
Introduction to Research and Writing <i>(NOBTS campus only)</i>	3 hours
Teaching in Higher Education <i>(NOBTS campus only)</i>	3 hours
Educational Research and Statistics	3 hours
Oral Proficiency Exam <i>(NOBTS campus only)</i>	1 hour

Required Seminars	(16 hours)
History, Philosophy, & Theology of Christian Education	4 hours
Educational Psychology	4 hours
Discipleship and Spiritual Formation	4 hours
Higher Education Leadership	4 hours

Mentorships	(6 hours)
Integrated Mentorship	3 hours
Mentored Reading Colloquium with Chair	3 hours

Concentration Electives	(11-12 hours)
Elective/Concentration Reading Colloquium	3 hours
Pick ONE:	
2 Concentration Courses (9000 level) OR	
3 Concentration Courses (8000 level)	

Dissertation	(11 hours)
Prospectus Development	3 hours
Prospectus Approval	1 hour
Research and Writing	6 hours
Dissertation Defense	1 hour

Total Hours **54-55**

**represents changes for 2017*

Ed.D. Core Courses, Electives, Seminars, & Workshops

2017
2018

Course #/Title	Courses Offered:		- Fall 2018		- Summer 2018
Required Workshops (Proficiency)					
RDOC9300	Introduction to Research and Writing				3 hours
RDOC9302	Teaching in Higher Education				3 hours
CEST9300	Educational Research and Statistics				3 hours
Required Seminars					
CEEF9401	History, Phil, & Theology of Christian Education				4 hours
CEEF9402	Educational Psychology				4 hours
CEAL9400	Higher Educational Leadership				4 hours
CEDI9401	Discipleship and Spiritual Formation				4 hours
Supervised Reading Colloquia					
CESR9302	Foundations in Christian Education				3 hours

Elective Seminars (ReDoc, 9000 Level) <i>*reference current & future course schedules for class availability</i>		Recommended Vocation Guide		
		Educational Leadership	Ministry Leadership	Teaching
CEAD9401	Adult Education			X
CEAD9402	Family Ministry in Church Life		X	
CEAL9402	Contemporary Context of Christian Education	X		X
CEAM9401	Strategic Leadership in Christian Education	X	X	
CEAM9402	Principles of Administration	X	X	
CEAM9403	Building and Managing an Effective Organization	X		
CEAM9404	Issues in Risk Management	X		
CECH9401	Childhood Education			X
CECH9402	Child Development			X
CEYH9401	Youth Ministry in Cultural Context		X	
CEYH9402	Adolescent Development			X
CEDI9401	Discipleship and Spiritual Formation		X	
CEDS9400	Directed Study in Christian Education	X	X	X
CESR9302	Foundations in Christian Education	X	X	X

8000 Elective Courses

Ed.D. students receive 11-12 hours from a combination of 8000 and 9000 level seminars and Reading Colloquia. See all [available](#) 8000 courses in the **2018-2019 ProDoc Course Schedule** document on the Ed.D. website.