

DRAFT – PENDING FINAL APPROVAL FROM THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND RUTGERS UNIVERSITY.

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ED.M. PROGRAM IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION (OPTION C)

Non-certification option

Revised January 2025 - for students admitted for summer 2025 or later

I. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Master's degree (Ed.M.) programs are offered for aspiring school principals, PK-12 supervisors, and leaders in higher education. Students have a choice of three programs: Option A (33 credits) meets the requirements for New Jersey principal, supervisor, and superintendent certification. Option B (30 credits) prepares students for principal and superintendent certification. Option C (30 credits) prepares students who seek an Ed.M. in Educational Administration and Supervision without certification(s). Non-degree programs leading to supervisor (12 credits) and superintendent (3 credit) endorsement are also available.

Option C is designed for students who wish to prepare for positions of leadership in public and private PK-12 and higher education institutions that do not require administrator certification. The program builds on a foundation of course work in educational administration and leadership and allows the opportunity to choose electives in specific areas of expertise.

This Control Sheet pertains only to Option C.

II. APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Fall admission - February 1 deadline Spring admission - November 1 deadline

- **III. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:** To be considered for admission to the program, applicants must provide the following before the deadline:
 - 1. Personal statement
 - 2. Three letters of recommendation
 - 3. Official undergraduate transcripts

Only complete applications will be reviewed.

- IV. HOW TO APPLY: Applications are submitted online at the Graduate Admissions website: http://gradstudy.rutgers.edu/
 - 1. Click on "Create Account or Login" and follow the instructions given.
 - 2. Under "Start an application today!", click **Apply Now** Application Selection
 - 3. For "Level of Application", select Graduate
 - 4. For "Applicant Type", select Degree
 - 5. Continue filling out the application, following the on-screen instructions. <u>Program of Study</u>
 - 6. Under "Program Information", make sure **Degree** is selected for "Applicant Type"
 - 7. For "Degree Type", select Master's (e.g. MA, MS, EdM, MFA)
 - 8. For "Area of Study", select Education
 - 9. For "Location/Instructional Method", select **New Brunswick**
 - 10. For "Program Selection", select Education Administration and Supervision (EDM) New Brunswick <u>Program Details</u>
 - 11. For "First Preference Concentration", select **Non-Certification**. (2nd and 3rd preferences can be left blank.)
 - 12. Complete the rest of the application by providing the requested information.
 - 13. Enter payment information for the non-refundable application fee.
 - 14. Submit your application.

V. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

| | Course Number | Course Name | Credits |
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| Required Courses | 15:230:501 or | School Leadership in Diverse Society or | 3 |
| | 15:230:517 | Diversity and the Politics of Higher Education | 5 |
| | 15:230:609 | Leading for Social Justice: Navigating Through Policy, Politics, and the Law | 3 |
| Educational Administration Electives | 15:230:507 | Education Law | 15 |
| | 15:230:514 | Personnel Administration | |
| | 15:230:519 | Higher Education Finance | |
| | 15:230:604 | Leading Educational Organizations | |
| (Select 5 courses from this group with advisor approval) | 15:230:606 | Higher Education Law | |
| | 15:230:615 | Assessment/Data/Problem Solving | |
| | 15:230:620 | Organization and Administration of Higher Education | |
| | 15:230:625 | Policy for Urban Education | |
| | 15:310:502 | History of American Education | |
| | 15:310:611 | History of Higher Education I | |
| Outside Electives (Select 3) | 15:310:503 | Comparative Education | 9 |
| | 15:310:512 | Race, Empire, and Education | |
| | 15:310:537 | Ethics and Education | |
| | 15:310:540 | Gender and Education | |
| | 15:310:561 | History of African-American Education | |
| | 15:310:569 | Queer Issues in Schools | |
| | 15:310:581 | Special Issues in Higher Education | |
| | | Total Credits | 30 |