College of Education

Degree: Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)
Major: Educational Leadership
Specialization: Adult and Community Educational Leaders

Research Areas: Adult Learning and its impact on Adult Education, Workforce Development, Andragogy, College Teaching and the use of Instructional Technology, Successful Aging and Health Literacy.

Admission Requirements

**Domestic Students**
- Graduate GPA of 3.0 from regionally accredited institution
- Three letters of recommendation
- Personal objective essay
- Resume
- Interview with faculty

**International Students**
- Graduate GPA of 3.0
- Three letters of recommendation
- Personal objective essay
- Resume
- Interview with faculty
- A course-by-course evaluation of international transcripts is required; FAU will do the evaluation or it must be done by a NACES member
- TOEFL score of 500 or IBT of 61; IELTS 6.0; Duolingo 90

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Application Deadlines

**Domestic Students**
- Fall: February 15
- Spring: September 15

**International Students**
- Fall: February 15
- Spring: September 15

**Important information about applying to Graduate School:**

- **Transcripts**: Submit official transcripts in sealed envelopes from all schools attended. NOTE: If you attended one of the Florida State University System institutions, transcripts may be requested electronically.
- **Supporting documentation**: Supplemental documents should be uploaded as separate files as part of the online graduate admissions application. NOTE: You will not be able to submit your application until all the supplemental materials are uploaded.
- **Conduct**: A "yes" answer to either of the conduct questions on the online application will require a written explanation. Additional information may be requested when your application is under review. Applications will not be fully processed until all conduct issues are cleared.
- **Application status**: Once your application has been submitted, you can check your application status online to ensure transcripts and test scores have been received. NOTE: Application status will say incomplete until an admission decision has been made.
- **Residency classification**: Your residency classification automatically defaults to non-Florida. After you are admitted, the residency officer will request additional documents by email if needed.