

# Get serious about educational leadership: Doctor of Education Degree

ELPA

EdD

## ▶ PROGRAM PROFILE

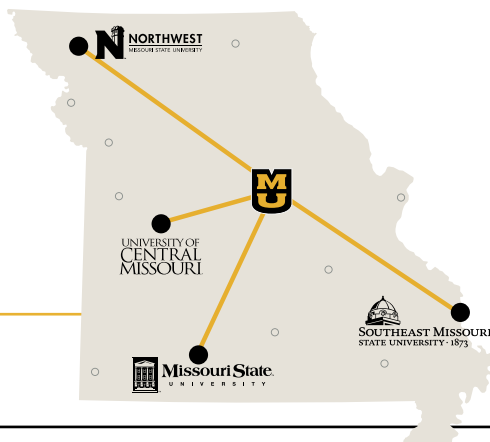
- » **Who should apply:** Leaders in PK-12, postsecondary, and other educational environments
- » **Degree required:** Master's
- » **Learning Environment:** Challenging and highly interactive courses
- » **Type of Curriculum:** Integrated, thematic, problem-based, and team-oriented
- » **Style:** Cohort style with sites throughout Missouri
- » **Final Project:** Dissertation-in-Practice

**529** graduates in leadership positions

**34** credit hours of coursework

**12** credit hours of dissertation-in-practice work

## ▶ PARTNER INSTITUTIONS



## The Vision of the EdD Program:

To create scholarly practitioners who transform educational policies, programs, and practices through ethical and compassionate leadership.

The EdD is an advanced degree in educational leadership. The Statewide Cooperative EdD Program was designed to fulfill the needs of leaders in PK-12, postsecondary, and other educational environments. With an outstanding reputation amongst its graduates, this program has been lauded by a number of organizations for its innovative delivery, cohesive curriculum, and rigorous standards.

Based on an integrated curriculum, this degree is delivered in cohort format with both face-to-face and web-enhanced instruction. Students take courses during summer sessions at MU's campus in Columbia, as well as fall and spring courses.

## Why Choose the EdD Program:

- Designed to accommodate the busy schedules of practicing professionals.
- Much of the coursework is offered at sites close to the student's home and work location, along with faculty support available through nearby institutions.
- Mizzou is one of 21 charter member schools participating in the Carnegie Project on the Education Doctorate and one of 62 institutions that are part of the Association of American Universities.

## ▶ APPLICATION DEADLINE

*Applications are due December 1st of even-numbered years.*

**Dec 1**

*Cohort 12 will begin in the spring of 2019.*