Earn a Master of Science Degree in Educational Psychology Distance Education Program (EdPsych Online)

From a major research institute and flagship campus.

A completely online 36-credit hour program designed for those pursuing professional careers in a variety of educational settings.

Two concentrations available:

- Adult Education
- Applied Educational Psychology

Courses in Educational Psychology

• Adult Education

• Applied Educational Psychology

All courses are offered via distance education with the majority being offered using synchronous technology (all students and professor “sync up” at a designated time for a live, interactive session). All courses are offered in the evening to be sensitive to most working adults. The degree can be completed in two years by taking two courses per semester year round. Current curriculum includes:

Core Courses (24 credit hours)

EDPY 504 Motivation in Learning
EDPY 506 Introduction to Educational Research Foundations
EDPY 507 Survey of Educational Psychology
EDPY 513 Reflective Practice
EDPY 521 Program Planning and Operations
EDPY 525 Adult Learning
EDPY 573 Meeting Needs of Nontraditional and Underachieving Learners
EDPY 574 Facilitating Group Change in Educ Settings

AND

Adult Education Concentration (12 credit hours)

EDPY 520 Survey of Adult Education
EDPY 522 Adult Development
EDPY 527 Ethical Issues in Adult Education
EDPY 524 Learning in the Workplace

OR

Applied Educ Psych Concentration (12 credit hours)

EDPY 510 Psychological Theories of Human Development Applied to Education
EDPY 572 Theories of Learning in Applied Educ Psych
COUN 525 Formal Measurement
IT Course Instructional Technology (multiple options)
Criteria for Prospective Educational Psychology Candidates

- Bachelor’s degree from an accredited university or college
- GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale desired
- Career goals that are a good match with program goals

Application Process

Students are admitted every semester (fall, spring, summer). Ideally, applications are received no later than six weeks prior to the semester for desired enrollment. If you are interested in applying for the Educational Psychology (EdPsych Online) Distance Education Program please contact:

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The Master of Science Degree in Educational Psychology (with concentrations in Adult Education and Applied Educational Psychology):

- Focuses on concepts, principles, techniques, and models of educational psychology as they are used to facilitate teaching and learning and the creation of effective environments for learners of all ages.
- Is designed for professionals working in school settings, colleges and universities, non-profits, and business and government as well as those preparing for work in those and related areas.
- May be used as a stepping stone for entering a doctoral program in Adult Learning, Education, Educational Psychology, Learning Environments and Educational Studies, School Psychology, or related areas.

For more information about the degree, curriculum, faculty, and how to apply, see details at:
http://web.utk.edu/~edpsych/EdPsychOnline/default.html

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