Agenda

Welcome
Robert Dedrick, Ph.D., Professor, Program Coordinator

Department of Educational and Psychological Studies
Barbara Shircliffe, Ph.D., Professor, Chair
Department of Educational and Psychological Studies

Faculty Introductions

Staff Introductions: Todd Williams

Student Introductions

PowerPoint Presentation
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Questions & Answers
Program: Educational Measurement, Evaluation, and Research
Overview

- Organization of the College
- Information about our Program
3 Departments

Barbara Shircliffe
Educational & Psychological Studies (EPS)
EDU 380P

Jenifer Schneider
Teaching & Learning (T&L)

Michael Berson
Teaching & Learning (T&L)

Judith Ponticell
Leadership, Counseling, Adult, Career & Higher Education (LCACHE)
Department of
Educational & Psychological Studies (EPS)

1. Educational Measurement and Research
2. Educational Psychology
3. Exercise Science
4. Instructional Technology
5. School Psychology
6. Social Foundations
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• **Black, William**- Critical policy analysis, policy ethnography

• **Blank, Jolyn**- Case study research, observational methods, analyzing talk

• **Braun, Alisha**- Discourse analysis, policy analysis, interviews

• **Braunstein, Lauren**- Ethnography of communication, critical approaches to qualitative research
Faculty Affiliates

• **Denton, Michael** - Narrative and arts-based inquiry, participant observation & critical approaches

• **Feldman, Allan** - Action research, self-study, mixed methods

• **Jones, Phyllis** - Participatory/inclusive research, interviewing, analysis of artifacts

• **King, James** - Queer and critical approaches to qualitative research

• **Richards, Janet** - Arts-based research, writing-up qualitative research, poetry, narrative and auto-ethnography

• **Schneider, Jenifer** - Performance and performative approaches to research
Within the Program:
Hall, Hines, Kromrey Conference Room
Within the Program

- Consulting Office for Research in Education (CORE)
  - Walter Chason
  - Ke Cheng
  - Geoffrey West
  - Zhiyao Yi

- John Ferron, Ph.D. (Faculty Advisor)
CORE: Consulting Office for Research in Education

- This consultation service is funded by the College of Education Dean's Office and provided by the doctoral students from Measurement and Research.
  - Research design
  - Sampling strategies and sample size determination
  - Reliability Estimation
  - Data screening
  - Statistical analysis
  - Data presentation
  - Thematic analysis
  - Data coding
  - Instrument design/development
  - Psychometrics
  - Qualitative
  - Mixed Methods

http://www.coedu.usf.edu/main/departments/me/CORE.html
Hough Family Foundation Measurement and Research Lab

Susan Hough Henry, Ph.D. (Measurement & Research)
Within the Program

• Hough Family Foundation Measurement and Research Lab

(EDU 248)

Dr. Yi-hsin Chen: Coordinator
Ke Cheng
Siyu Liu
Thang Nguyen
Zhiyao Yi
Our Students

• Diverse in Background
  – Education (Mathematics, Science, etc.)
  – Public Health
  – Criminology
  – Psychology
  – Nursing
  – Business/Economics
  – etc.
Our Students

• Diverse in Career Goals
  – Faculty in Higher Education
  – Testing and Evaluation Professionals in P-12 School Districts and Private Sector
  – Psychometricians in government and commercial testing companies
  – Researchers in institutes and centers
  – Consultants in Research and Evaluation
Focus on Research and Innovation

• Students participate actively in research throughout the program, with explicit goals for presentation of their research via conference presentations and journal articles.

• Faculty mentor-student relationships are central in the professional socialization of the student and complement student peer relationships and collaborative engagements.
We encourage professional development through participation in state, regional, national and international conferences (these are just a few of potential conferences).

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<td>Oct. 31 – Nov. 3, 2018 (proposal deadline was March 15, 2018)</td>
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External Internships
Something to consider down the road (especially in the summer)

- **NCME** maintains a lists of internships (see [http://www.ncme.org/resources/careers](http://www.ncme.org/resources/careers)).
- **AEA** and others [https://www.eval.org/GEDI](https://www.eval.org/GEDI).
- **ACT** also has a summer internship program (see [http://www.act.org/content/act/en/working-at-act.html](http://www.act.org/content/act/en/working-at-act.html)).
ACT Summer Internship Program

• Research Intern in the Validity and Efficacy Research Department

• 22 interns from different states and university degrees. Each intern has office, laptop and two monitors, and is able to use all ACT resource as any employers (Gym, library, free coffee and water, supplies, mail service, unlimited color print, use their cafeteria, blog, etc.). The internship program includes engaging in one or two projects with the intern supervisor, exposing to other ACT projects such as ACT Next, and weekly meeting with one or two of ACT department director; volunteering for 4-5 hours, assigning ACT mentor for each intern, meeting with the ACT CEO, research presentation rehearsal and conference presentation (proceed to publish product); and ceremony for recognition. We also got a chance to meet with all interns and sponsors in the area with a great 4 hours gathering. Activities are varied depending on each intern responsibilities but a variety of training and research presentation are open to public.

• Here are some of interns’ universities:

  University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, University of Illinois at Champaign–Urbana, IL, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA, Iowa State University, IA, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, University of Colorado at Boulder, CO, Indiana University, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, Coe College, IA, University of Nebraska–Lincoln.

• Internship Program benefits: 9 weeks (from June 10th to August 10th from 8:30 AM to 5 PM) paid* summer internship ($20 per hour with 37.5 hours for a week), in addition to relocation airfare and airport meals, housing, and ACT daily commute for an intern who resides 50 miles or more from Iowa City.
Focus on Teaching

• All doctoral students are encouraged to acquire skills in teaching at the university level
  – In-class
  – Online

• Doctoral students are encouraged to complete a semester-long teaching internship under the supervision of a professor and experienced graduate teaching assistant, and teach independently under the supervision of the faculty member who supports them through the process of teaching at the undergraduate level (EDF 4430: Measurement for Teachers).

• EDF 4490 Studies in Research Design (undergraduate)
Focus on Student Success

• Emphasis on Mentoring

• Support for Graduate Students. CORE and the Program employ many graduate students and provide them with hands-on opportunities to learn and the financial support that makes full-time study possible.
The Program

- Research Design
- Measurement
- Statistics
- Evaluation

Education Philosophies of Inquiry
Overview (≥ 71)

- EEX 7743 Philosophies of Inquiry (3)
- Education Area (≥ 9): next slide
- Statistics, Measurement, Evaluation, and Research “Core” (≥ 29)
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Statistics, Measurement, Evaluation, and Research

- Statistics, Measurement, Evaluation, and Research “Core” (> 29)
  - All students would take the courses listed on the next slide

- Statistics or Measurement or Evaluation or Research Specialization (> 12)
  - Students would pick one area of specialization
Educational Statistics, Measurement, Evaluation, and Research (“Core”)

**Statistics (8)**
- EDF 7408* Statistical Analysis II (4)
- EDF 7484 Statistical Analysis III (4)

**Measurement (7)**
- EDF 7437 Adv. Measurement I (3)
- EDF 7438 Adv. Measurement II (4)

**Evaluation (6)**
- EDF 7485 Theory and Practice of Educational Evaluation (3)
- EDF 7940 Supervised Practicum in Applied Evaluation (3)

**Research (8)**
- EDF 7410* Design of Systematic Studies in Education (4)
- EDF 7477* Qualitative Research in Education I (4)

* face-to-face and online
Specialization

• Students would specialize in **one area**:
  – Statistics
  – Measurement
  – Evaluation
  – Research Methods

• At least **one course** is recommended to be taken outside the Department as one mechanism for broadening students’ perspectives
Specialization: Statistics (12)

- EDF 7486  Application of Structural Equation Modeling in Education (3)
- EDF 7474  Applied Multilevel Modeling in Education (3)
- EDF 7498  Analysis of Single Case Data (3)
- PHC 7059  Advanced Survival Analysis (3)

These courses are examples of possible courses. The final selection of courses is made by the student in collaboration with the major professor and committee.
Specialization: Measurement (12)

- EDF 7439  Foundations of Item Response Theory (3)
- EDF 7469  Introduction to Computer-Based Testing (3)
- EDF 7436  Rasch Measurement Models (3)
- SOP 6669  Factor Analysis (3)

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Specialization: Evaluation (14)

- EDF 7491 Consulting and Project Management Skills for Evaluators (3)
- EDF 7462 Metaevaluation (4)
- EDF 7493 Systems Approaches for Program Planning, Evaluation, and Dev. (4)
- PHC 6545 Evaluation in Mental Health (3)

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Specialization: Research Methods (13)

- EDF 7478 Qualitative Research in Education II (4)
- EDG 7368 Visual Research Methods in Education (3)
- ANG 7750 Research Methods in Anthropology (3)
- PHC 6706 Focus Group Research Strategies (3)

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Summary (≥ 71)

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*Course schedule expected to remain in place for subsequent semesters.

Mon/Wed = Class meets twice a week; Tues/Thurs = Class meets twice a week
Graduate Certificate in Evaluation
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The Graduate Certificate in Evaluation provides an opportunity for graduate students and other professionals to gain a working understanding of contemporary evaluation theory and practice; tools and techniques used in evaluation; standards of quality for professional evaluation practice; evaluation ethics; appropriate evaluation uses; and impact of evaluation on decision making. The certificate is designed to prepare professionals for staff positions in evaluation, in schools or non-school organizations. Participants will be immersed in diverse real-world learning experiences from the beginning of the certificate that meet their specific interest and needs.
Graduate Certificate in Evaluation

Requirements

13 credit hours (minimum)

EDG 6931 - Foundations of Applied Evaluation (3)
EDF 6941 - Practicum in Measurement, Evaluation and Research (3)
EDF 7462 - Metaevaluation (4)

Electives (Select one course)
EDF 7477 - Qualitative Research in Education (4)
EDF 6481 - Foundations of Educational Research (3)
EDF 6407 - Statistic Analysis for Educational Research I (4)
EDF 6432 - Foundations of Measurement (3)

Credit toward Graduate Degree
Up to 12 hours of certificate course credits may be applied to a graduate degree with departmental approval.
Graduate Certificate in Qualitative Research
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• 13-hour certificate provides an opportunity for graduate students and other professionals to gain a broad and in depth knowledge of qualitative research, with an emphasis on the designs and methods used in studies of educational programs, processes, initiatives, settings, and policies.

• Required Course
  – EDF 7478: Qualitative Research in Education Part II (4 credit hours)

• Elective Courses
  – Nine (9) credit hours of elective coursework in qualitative research. Students may choose a course from the following list, or substitute an elective course approved by the Graduate Certificate director.
    • EDF 7426: Action Research in Schools (3 credit hours)
    • EDG 7368: Visual Research Methods (3 credit hours)
    • Any graduate course in qualitative research (3 credit hours)
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• For more information and to apply
  http://www.usf.edu/innovative-education/graduate-certificates/programs/qualitative-research.aspx

• For questions contact Graduate Certificate Director
  Dr. Jennifer R. Wolgemuth at jrwolgemuth@usf.edu

• FAQs
  Can Directed Research, Independent Study, or Dissertation credits count toward the certificate?
  • No

When can I apply?
  • https://www.usf.edu/innovative-education/graduate-certificates/how-to-apply/index.aspx
  • Can EDF 7477: Qualitative Research in Education Part I count toward the certificate?
  • Yes