

# HIGHER EDUCATION

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<b>Program Code</b>	HIED
<b>Campus(es)</b>	University Park (Ph.D., D.Ed., M.Ed.) World Campus (M.Ed.)
<b>Degrees Conferred</b>	Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Doctor of Education (D.Ed.) Master of Education (M.Ed.) Dual-Title Ph.D., D.Ed., and M.Ed. in Higher Education and Comparative and International Education Joint J.D./Ph.D., D.Ed., M.Ed. with Penn State Law
<b>The Graduate Faculty</b>	View ( <a href="https://secure.gradsch.psu.edu/gpms/?searchType=fac&amp;prog=HIED">https:// secure.gradsch.psu.edu/gpms/? searchType=fac&amp;prog=HIED</a> )

The graduate program in Higher Education has as its goal the preparation of individuals who will pursue careers and exert leadership in postsecondary education as administrators, faculty, or researchers in the nation's colleges and universities and in a variety of public and private agencies and associations in the United States and other nations. With emphasis on the systematic study of higher education, the program builds on the scholarly and scientific disciplines offered throughout the University and applies these studies to the professional functions and responsibilities that its graduates will assume, and to the knowledge of the field of higher education.