The Master's Degree in Curriculum and Instruction provides an opportunity for students to earn a 36-credit degree, with 21 graduate hours in curriculum and instruction and 15 graduate hours in the chosen content or grade-level area. The degree is designed for teachers with Professional Certification, or for applicants who have established eligibility for Temporary Certification. The M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction has no student teaching, so applicants with Temporary Certification should be aware that internship requirements for certification by the state are not addressed in this program. Please be advised that you can take no more than 1/3 of the credits in this program as a non-degree student before being officially admitted.

**Core Courses: 12 credits**
- Take each of the following courses:
  - EDG 6224 U.S. Curricular Trends and Issues
  - EDG 6253 Design Components of Curriculum
  - EDG 6285 Program Evaluation in Curriculum and Instruction

- Take one of the following international courses:
  - EDG 6625 Global Perspectives of Curricular Trends Across Nations
  - EDF 6800 Foundations of Global Education

**Research/Statistics Courses: 6 credits** (Dept. of Educational Leadership and Research Methodology)
- Take both of the following:
  - STA 6113 Educational Statistics (should be taken prior to or concurrently with EDF 6481)
  - EDF 6481 Educational Research

**Capstone Course: 3 credits**
- EDF 6918 Action Research in Schools and Communities (final course of the program)

**Area of Specialization Courses: 15 credits at the 5000 or 6000 level**
- Grades K-6: Elementary Education
- Grades K-12: ESOL Endorsement (FULLY ONLINE)
  - Multicultural Education (FULLY ONLINE)
  - Art
  - Foreign Language: French and Spanish
  - Reading (does not lead to certification as a reading teacher)
- Grades 6-12: English/Language Arts
  - Mathematics
  - Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
  - Social Science

*Students with Professional Certification will choose 5 courses in consultation with their advisor, which may be from any college or department. Students with Temporary Certification may want to take courses that satisfy their Letter of Eligibility requirement*