Counselling Psychology Program Plan by Term: 2022 Cohort

This document is to provide you with an idea of what your upcoming program may look like. Please note that this is just an approximation, as there will be program variations depending on each student and their other commitments, as well as instructor and course availability. The Department of Educational Psychology and Leadership Studies may make changes to the schedule as necessary.



The project-based MA takes 2 years to complete. The thesis-based MA will typically take 3 years to complete.

You must obtain permission from the Graduate Advisor to modify the course schedule below. This permission needs to be forwarded to the Program Assistant(s) for your record. Please note that modifying the course schedule will extend your program completion date.

YEAR 1

TERM 1: Fall (Sept-Dec 2022)

- **ED-D 518**: Advanced Seminar in Theories of Counselling Psychology
- ED-D 519N: Diversity, Culture and Counselling
- ED-D 522: Skills and Practice for Counselling

TERM 2: Winter/Spring (Jan-April 2023)

- **ED-D 519C**: Ethics and Legal Issues in Counselling
- ED-D 519L: Group Counselling
- ED-D 522: Skills and Practice for Counselling

TERM 3: Summer (May-Aug 2023)

- **Elective**¹ **#1**: ED-D 521: Family (usually May-June) – STRONGLY RECOMMENDED
- Elective¹ #2: Counselling-specific elective or elective from another program/department
- Continuing ED-D 522, if you are not yet done all your hours

For thesis-based students only:

• **ED-D 599**²: Thesis

YEAR 2

TERM 4: Fall 2 (Sept-Dec 2023)

- ED-D 514: Assessment in Counselling
- **ED-D 519H**: Career Development and Counselling Across the Lifespan
- ED-D 523: Internship in Counselling

For thesis-based students only:

 ED-D 560³: Statistical Methods in Education OR take a replacement methods course in any term, with permission of your supervisor

TERM 5: Winter/Spring 2 (Jan-April 2024)

- **ED-D 503**: Program Development and Evaluation
- ED-D 523: Internship in Counselling

For thesis-based students only:

 You may choose a different methods course³ in lieu of ED-D 560 Stat. Methods in Education

TERM 6: Summer 2 (May-Aug 2024)

- ED-D 561A: Methods in Educational Research
- Continuing ED-D 523 if not yet done all your hrs

For project-based students only:

- Elective¹ #3
- ED-D 598: Project (usually May-July)
- ED-D 597: Comprehensive Exam (usually Aug.)

For thesis-based students only:

• ED-D 599: Thesis

YEAR 3 (if needed)

TERMS 7, 8, 9: Fall, Winter/Spring, Summer (Sept 2024-Aug 2025)

- Continuing **ED-D 523** if you are not yet done all your hours
- ED-D 5603: Statistical Methods in Education or replacement methods course (if not yet taken or replaced)
- ED-D 599: Thesis (if not yet complete) or ED-D 598: Project and ED-D 597: Comprehensive Exam (if not yet complete)
- Any other course work that is needed or wanted

¹Thesis students take two electives. Project students take three electives. Electives may be courses from other programs or departments, selected in consultation with your supervisor based on your academic interests and career goals. To take an elective course from another program or department you will submit a <u>Graduate course registration form</u>, with signatures from the course instructor and your supervisor.

² You may or may not start working on your thesis as early as summer of year 1. You will end up registering in your thesis in numerous terms. If you are working on your thesis in any term, then you should be registered in it.

³Students whose thesis does not rely heavily on statistical analysis are encouraged to replace **ED-D 560** Statistical Methods in Education with a different methods course (from any department) that is more relevant to their thesis. To take a replacement course you will submit a **Graduate course registration form**, with signatures from the course instructor and your supervisor.