

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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The mission of the Department of Educational Leadership is to prepare visionary scholars and leaders who promote equity, inclusiveness and justice across a variety of spheres.

The department achieves this mission through an interdisciplinary integration of theory, research and practice. Students engage in course work, activities and projects that promote a deeper understanding for providing equitable educational opportunities for inclusive communities.

Intensive study of general, PreK-12 and higher education leadership policy and practice offers students opportunities to examine complex issues across a variety of contexts. Students work alongside dedicated, diverse and internationally recognized faculty that foster learning environments centered on intellectual integrity and advocacy.

For more information consult the department's website. (<https://soe.vcu.edu/academics/leadership/>)

Students who complete the requirements for the below will receive a Bachelor of Arts in Human and Organizational Development.

- **Human and Organizational Development, Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)** (<https://bulletin.vcu.edu/undergraduate/education/educational-leadership/human-organizational-development/>)
- **Instructional design and technology, minor in** (<https://bulletin.vcu.edu/undergraduate/education/educational-leadership/instructional-design-technology-minor/>)