

Ph.D. in Educational Leadership

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TRACK



Enrich. Lead. Transform.

Mercer University's Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Educational Leadership with a concentration in Independent School Leadership prepares candidates to become leaders in P-12 independent schools by helping them grow in their ability to make decisions that propel both their students and their institutions forward. Candidates in the program integrate research and service to solve real-world challenges, both in the classroom and beyond.

Coursework includes a focus on the following areas:

- Maximizing learning and student success in independent schools
- Navigating leadership challenges in private, charter, and faith-based schools
- Planning strategically for enrollment and revenue growth

PROGRAM DETAILS

Format: Blended combination of online and in-person classes that meet three Saturdays per semester in Atlanta

Start Term: May

Course Length:
8 weeks in summer
16 weeks in fall and spring

Completion Time: 3.5 years across
11 semesters in summer, fall,
and spring

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