

University of Miami School of Education & Human Development
Master of Science in Education M.S.Ed.
Institutional Research & Policy Analysis Track Courses (33 credits)

REQUIREMENTS

HIGHER EDUCATION – CORE *or as otherwise approved from electives below (12 credits)*

EPS 737	Organization & Administration of Higher Education	3
* EPS 744	Student Diversity in American Higher Education	3
EPS 748	Enrollment Management: Theory & Practice.....	3
EPS 766	Workshop in Education: Institutional Research & Higher Education Policy Analysis...	3

RESEARCH, MEASUREMENT & EVALUATION – CORE *(choose from this section or as approved from electives below (12 credits))*

EPS 624	Essentials of Research in Social & Behavioral Sciences.....	3
EPS 700	Quantitative Methods I.....	3
EPS 702	Quantitative Methods II.....	3
EPS 703	Applied Multivariate Statistics.....	3
EPS 704	Computer Applications in Educational & Behavioral Science Research.....	3

ELECTIVES (6 credits from Higher Education and/or Research, Measurement & Evaluation)

EPS 625	Program Evaluation	3
EPS 705	Measurement & Psychometric Theory	3
EPS 706	Categorical Data Analysis	3
EPS 707	Item Response Theory	3
EPS 708	Introduction to Structural Equation Modeling.....	3
EPS 709	Introduction to Multilevel Modeling	3
EPS 710	Meta-Analytic Methods for Research Synthesis	3
* EPS 741	Basic Skills in Counseling & Interviewing	3
* EPS 742	Higher Education in the U.S.: From Harvard to Present.....	3
EPS 745	Organization & Administration of Higher Ed II: Governance, Leadership & Finance....	3
** EPS 746	College Student Development: Theory, Research & Practice	3
EPS 747	Critical Issues in Student Affairs: The Law & Higher Education.....	3
** EPS 749	Advanced Seminar in Enrollment Management	3
EPS 751	Seminar in Higher Education Administration: Contemporary Issues.....	3
** EPS754	Practicum: Administration of Higher Ed/ Student Life & Development.....	3
EPS 765	Workshop in Education: Financing Higher Education.....	3

FIELD EXPERIENCE or PRACTICUM – REQUIRED (3 credits from below; advisor approval required) 3

EPS 712	Field Experience in Educational Research
EPS 754	Practicum: Administration of Higher Education

A comprehensive exam is administered at the end of the program’s required 33 credits **once a year**.

*EPS 744 (Fall 2026) & *EPS 742 (Fall 2027) are offered every other fall semester (*curriculum subject to modification*). *EPS 741 (Spring 2028) & EPS 749 (Spring 2027) are offered every other spring semester

To receive a post-graduate **Certificate in Student Life & Development, add these two courses:
 EPS 746 College Student Development and EPS 754 Practicum: Administration of Higher Education/ Student Life & Development.

To receive a post-graduate **Certificate in Enrollment Management, add this course: EPS 749
 Advanced Seminar in Enrollment Management and one other from the electives list.

Tuition for Graduate Studies

In 2025-2026, tuition was \$2,644 per credit (FT 9 credits Fall/Spr - HT 3 credits Summer).