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History of Lehman College

Lehman College was established as an independent unit of The City University of New York on July 1, 1968, following a decision by the University’s Board of Trustees to create a comprehensive senior college in the Bronx with its own faculty, curriculum, and administration.

The College took over the campus that, since 1931, had served as the Bronx branch of Hunter College, known as Hunter-in-the-Bronx. Adjacent to the historic Jerome Park Reservoir, the first four buildings in the plan—Gillet and Davis halls, the Music Building, and the Gymnasium—were completed in 1931 by the New York State Works Progress Administration. The original campus plan called for nine buildings, but the Great Depression delayed construction, and the ambitious plan was later abandoned by Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia.

For a decade before the entry of the United States in the Second World War, only women students attended, taking their first two years of study at the Bronx campus and then transferring to Hunter’s Manhattan campus to complete their undergraduate work.

Shortly after U.S. entry into the war, the students and faculty vacated the campus and turned over the facilities to the U.S. Navy, which used them as a training station for the newly organized WAVES (Women Accepted for Volunteer Emergency Service).

To commemorate this period, the Navy later installed a ship’s bell from the U.S.S. Columbia on the campus. In 1946 the campus won a niche in world history when it was made available to the United Nations at the urging of New York City officials. From March to August 1946, the first American meetings of the Security Council were held in the Gymnasium Building where intercollegiate basketball, archery, swimming, and other sports have been played. During festivities marking the 40th anniversary of the United Nations in 1986, the Southern New York State Division of the United Nations Association presented the College with a commemorative plaque, now displayed outside the Gymnasium Building. The College participated in the United Nations’ 50th anniversary activities in 1995-96.

Normal collegiate activity resumed at the campus in 1947, but, in addition to women, the Bronx branch began accepting former servicemen, who studied in separate classes. In 1951 the campus became fully coeducational, and a four-year curriculum was introduced. The process of separating the Bronx campus from Hunter College into a separate unit began in 1967. Dr. Leonard Lief, chairman of the English Department, was named provost and made responsible for overseeing the transition. On July 1, 1968, Lehman College began an independent existence, with Dr. Lief as president.

The Board of Higher Education named the new college after Herbert H. Lehman, in recognition of the commitment to public service exemplified by the four-time governor of New York State who later became a U.S. Senator and was the first director-general of UNRRA (the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration). The College was formally dedicated on March 28, 1969, the 91st anniversary of Governor Lehman’s birth. Each year, on or about March 28, the College commemorates the double anniversary by inviting a distinguished speaker to deliver the Herbert H. Lehman Memorial Lecture.

Much has occurred at the colleges of City University since 1968. As the only CUNY senior college in the borough, Lehman College has adapted to meet changing conditions and is poised to respond to new needs and challenges.

Dr. Ricardo R. Fernández succeeded Leonard Lief, the founding president of Lehman College, on September 1, 1990. Dr. Fernández had been assistant vice chancellor for academic affairs and professor of educational policy and community studies at the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee. Throughout his tenure, Dr. Fernández has affirmed both the College’s commitment to access to higher education for the economically disadvantaged and its strong commitment to educational excellence.

On the undergraduate level, Lehman’s General Education Curriculum is designed to provide a broad knowledge of the achievements and methods of the liberal arts and sciences and to develop student abilities to participate responsibly in informed inquiry into subjects of both public and personal concern. It requires a series of courses in writing, mathematics, foreign language, and natural sciences. Students must also complete at least one course from a list of courses in seven areas: Individuals and Society; Socio-Political Structures; Literature; The Arts; Comparative Culture; Historical Studies; Knowledge, Self, and Values. In addition, students must complete two upper-division interdisciplinary courses: one in Topics in the Humanities and the Sciences and one in the American Experience. To develop writing skills, students must complete four courses designated as writing-intensive. Major and minor fields of study are also required.

On the graduate level, the College has developed professional programs in nursing, teacher and counselor preparation, accounting, business, computer science, health sciences, public health, social work, and speech-language pathology. The College also offers strong traditional liberal arts graduate programs in art, biology, English, history, Spanish, and mathematics.
For more than two decades, Lehman has deepened its involvement with the surrounding community. The opening of the Lehman Center for the Performing Arts in 1980 and the Lehman College Art Gallery in 1984 has made the College a cultural center for the region. Together with the City and the Humanities Program, the Department of Music, and the Theatre program, they present dozens of concerts, plays, dance performances, and exhibitions that are free or nominally priced.

The Art Gallery is housed in the Fine Arts Building, which was designed by the renowned architect Marcel Breuer—as was Shuster Hall, which houses the College’s administrative offices. The Concert Hall, the adjacent Lehman College Library, and the two Breuer buildings offer a striking contrast to the Tudor-Gothic architecture of the original College buildings, providing an environment of considerable architectural interest. Anchoring the campus on its northern end is the APEX, designed by the internationally acclaimed architect Rafael Viñoly. Rising immediately to the south of the APEX is Science Hall, a new science facility, designed by the firm of Perkins + Will.

The Multimedia Center, which officially opened in 2010, features an all-digital newsroom, custom-built broadcasting studio, eight-room editing suite, production control facilities, computerized music studio, graphic workstations, and other resources for both student and faculty use.

Lehman College also provides a variety of community services. The Institute for Literacy Studies sponsors classes to teach adults fundamentals of reading and writing, while the Speech and Hearing Center offers comprehensive evaluations of hearing and speech-language disorders.

There is close collaboration between the College’s teacher and counselor education programs and Bronx school districts:

- The New York City Writing Project supports workshops for teachers of writing as well as research at all educational levels.
- The Center for School/College Collaboratives receives external funding for projects that focus on increasing educational success for Bronx students and their families and preparing the students to enter and complete higher education. The Center works with the entire school community—administrators, teachers, students, and parents—and collaborates with the Bronx Regional Offices of the New York City Department of Education.
- The Bronx Institute, funded with private and government grants, is helping more than 8,000 Bronx schoolchildren become academically successful.

Lehman also has joined with the New York City Department of Education to help develop a number of small high schools in the Bronx. The schools—housed within larger, traditional high schools—are formed around the themes of the visual arts, teaching and the professions, music, health sciences, nursing, musical theatre, and international studies.

In addition, in Fall 2003, the High School of American Studies at Lehman College opened on the Lehman campus. One of New York City’s new specialized high schools and the only one to focus on American history, the school represents a collaboration among Lehman College, the New York City Department of Education, and the Gilder-Lehrman Foundation. It has been listed for three consecutive years by U.S. News and World Report as one of the nation’s top 100 public high schools.

Mission, Vision, and Values Statements

Mission Statement

Lehman College serves the Bronx and surrounding region as an institution of higher education. Already known for its outstanding faculty, dedicated staff, superb library, art gallery, theaters, speech and hearing clinic, and athletic facilities, the College is now building a new state-of-the-art, environmentally “green” science facility that will invigorate faculty and student research as well as prepare Lehman students for science-based careers.

Supported by the University’s expanding technological resources, the College will promote creative teaching strategies, greater access to courses through online learning, off-campus access to library resources and enhanced student services. The new Multimedia Center will stimulate technological innovation in all areas of communications and the arts for both the College and the region.

Lehman has always been a commuter campus that prides itself on its diversity and commitment to multicultural understanding. Now, the College looks forward to providing a residential experience to attract a wider range of students and lead to the development of new learning communities to enhance student success.

Lehman College will prepare students to live and work in the global community through new interdisciplinary programs, such as environmental studies and international business, along with study abroad and experiential learning opportunities. The College’s geographic information systems and numerous partnerships with schools, hospitals, social service and governmental agencies, small businesses, major corporations, and cultural and scientific institutions will contribute to the economic development of the region. Service learning and internship opportunities will be further developed to foster the engaged citizenship and commitment to public service embodied in its namesake, Herbert H. Lehman.

Recognized for small classes, close interaction between students and faculty, a successful Teacher Academy and Honors College, and a caring and supportive environment, Lehman College will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary in 2018 as the college of choice in the region, committed to preparing students for graduate studies, professional careers, and lifelong learning.
Values Statement
Lehman College is committed to providing the highest quality education in a caring and supportive environment where respect, integrity, inquiry, creativity, and diversity contribute to individual achievement and the transformation of lives and communities.

The City University of New York
The City University of New York is a twenty college university, with branches located throughout the five boroughs of the city. The University’s governing body, the Board of Trustees of the City University of New York, formulates bylaws and policies providing direction for the operation of the University and of its constituent colleges. In addition, the Board passes on the policy recommendations submitted by each of the autonomous colleges. Funds for the City University are provided by the State of New York, City of New York, tuition, fees, and gifts. Federal and State government agencies provide grant funds for research, special programs, and student financial aid.

Although the City University was formally established in 1961, the first college of the University dates from 1847, when New York City established by referendum the Free Academy, now City College. The University today consists of ten senior (four-year) colleges, six community colleges, a four-year technical college, a doctoral-granting graduate school, a law school, a graduate school of journalism, an accelerated medical program, and a medical school. The Mount Sinai School of Medicine is affiliated with the University.

The Graduate School and University Center in mid-Manhattan offers a wide range of doctoral programs, including the Ph.D. program in plant sciences based at Lehman College. The Center also conducts urban research and administers the CUNY Baccalaureate Program, open to students at all CUNY colleges.

College Governance
In 1970 the student body and the faculty approved a new system of campus governance with the establishment of the Lehman College Senate. This body, with specified responsibilities in regard to academic policy and campus life, is made up of approximately 120 representatives of the students, faculty, and administration.

College Accreditation and Affiliations
Lehman College is accredited by the Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Degree programs are registered by the New York State Education Department. Some degree programs are also accredited by professional associations.

Nursing programs are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, and the social work program is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. The College also offers nutrition programs approved by the American Dietetic Association and a health services administration program approved by the Association of University Programs in Health Administration. Lehman’s B.S. degrees in chemistry are certified by the American Chemical Society. The graduate program in speech-language pathology is accredited by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association. All educator preparation programs offered by the College’s School of Education are accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). In addition, the School of Education’s counselor education program in school counseling offered by the Department of Counseling, Leadership, Literacy, and Special Education is nationally accredited by the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs (CACREP).

Lehman’s B.S. and M.S. programs in accounting provide the educational preparation required for licensure as a Certified Public Accountant in New York State. The College offers State-approved teacher education programs that can lead to New York State provisional or permanent certification. Graduates of the undergraduate nursing program are eligible to take the Registered Nurse licensure examination.

Lehman College has chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, and Golden Key National Honor Society. Individual disciplines have their own honor societies with national affiliations. The College is a member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association and the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference.

Degree Programs
Undergraduate Curriculum
Lehman College offers undergraduates a wide choice of major programs in both the liberal arts and sciences and in the professions. The College offers the degrees of Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.), Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.), and Bachelor of Arts-Master of Arts (B.A.-M.A.). Majors are either departmental or interdepartmental.

Graduate Curriculum
The College offers a choice of more than thirty master’s degree programs in arts and sciences, health fields, and teacher education. Advanced certificates are offered in some areas. The degrees offered are the Master of Arts (M.A.), Master of Science (M.S.), Master of Science in Education (M.S. Ed.), Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.) in Music, Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.) in Art, Master of Public Health (M.P.H.), and Master of Social Work (M.S.W.). In addition, more than seventy-five Lehman College faculty members participate in City University doctoral programs.

Schedule of Courses
Academic Year
During the regular academic year, which runs from late August through the end of May, Lehman offers a full range of undergraduate and graduate courses on a day, evening, and weekend schedule.
Summer Sessions
Lehman offers two sequential summer sessions, one beginning in June and the second in July. Students may shorten the time to their college degree by registering for courses in Session I and/or Session II. Undergraduate and graduate summer programs accept matriculants, as well as visiting and non-degree students, in both day and evening classes.

Academic Organization
The College's academic departments and programs are divided into four schools:

School of Arts and Humanities
- African and African American Studies
- American Studies
- Art
- Business and Liberal Arts
- City and Humanities
- Comparative Literature
- Disability Studies
- English
- History
- Institute for Irish American Studies
- Journalism, Communication, and Theatre
- Languages and Literatures
- Latin American, Latino, and Puerto Rican Studies
- Linguistics
- Middle Eastern Studies
- Music
- Philosophy
- Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences
- Urban Studies
- Women's Studies

School of Education
- Bronx Institute
- Center for School/College Collaboratives
- Counseling, Leadership, Literacy, and Special Education
- Early Childhood and Childhood Education
- Institute for Literacy Studies
- Middle and High School Education

School of Natural and Social Sciences
- Anthropology
- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry

Economics and Business
- Earth, Environmental, and Geospatial Sciences
- Health Sciences
- Mathematics and Computer Science
- Nursing
- Physics and Astronomy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Social Work

School of Adult and Professional Studies
- Adult Degree Program
- Continuing Education
- CUNY on the Concourse

Research Institutes and Community Resources

Bronx Data Center
The Bronx Data Center collects and analyzes demographic material related to the Bronx and adjacent areas, in order to provide service to the Lehman community, as well as to cultural, social service, civic, media, and other organizations. The Center focuses on data for very small geographic units (down to the city block), as well as the Bronx as a whole. Historical data going back several decades complement the latest census information. The Center specializes in the graphic presentation of data through computer-generated maps. See: www.lehman.edu/deannss/bronxdatactr/discover/bxtext.htm

The Bronx Institute
The mission of the Bronx Institute at Lehman College is to foster faculty research relevant to the improvement of education and the quality of life in the Bronx; and to provide a forum to discuss, analyze, and identify potential solutions to contemporary educational, social, political, cultural, and economic challenges facing the Bronx community, in particular, and other urban areas at large. As a community resource, the Bronx Institute is committed to act in cooperation with other academic institutions, community groups, and organizations to develop joint projects, especially those that enrich the educational needs of all Bronx students. The vision of the Institute is to foster and promote equity and excellence in the education and learning of Bronx students in grades K-16 by involving administrators, teachers, parents, and the students themselves in high-quality programs that support and enhance the educational opportunities of the students.

The Center for School/College Collaboratives
The Center for School/College Collaboratives designs and
implements programs, in partnership with Bronx schools, to enrich student learning and ensure student readiness and motivation to graduate high school and enter college. Programs offered by the Center primarily emphasize student outcomes and achievement. These programs encompass: student and teacher enrichment in mathematics, science, and technology; recruitment of middle and high school students for careers in teaching; intensive work with at-risk students to prepare them for educational transitions from middle to high school and from high school to college; pre-service teacher preparation for bilingual students and paraprofessionals; in-service professional development in technology and interdisciplinary teaching; and close working relationships with over twenty Bronx schools.

Programs focus on working intensively with students and teachers from particular schools and on building pipelines for students since these efforts have been shown to have greater potential for success than programs that draw students from a wide range of schools.

The Center subscribes to several Principles of Collaboration: all partners are equal; planning and implementation involve school administrators/teachers/staff/students/parents; broadening student/teacher contact in informal, hands-on, project-based settings; activating parent and family involvement; focusing on integration of student learning experiences; developing a plan of action; establishing linkages among projects; and encouraging high school students to qualify for, and take, college credit courses while still in high school.

The Center also houses Lehman's well-regarded, CUNY-sponsored College Now Program. The goal of the program is to insure that all students meet and exceed the performance standards required for high school graduation and that all those who wish to pursue postsecondary study are prepared to do so. Lehman has had a version of College Now or Bridge to College since 1985, when qualified students involved in the College's various funded programs were invited to enroll in college-credit courses. The College Now eleventh- and twelfth-grade program offers a variety of college-credit courses depending on student interest and ability. These include courses in psychology, studio art and art history, calculus and pre-calculus, education, biology, English, history, computer science, economics, geology, philosophy, speech, and sociology.

Funding for Center programs has been provided by the New York City Department of Education, U.S. Department of Education, National Aeronautics and Space Agency, New York State Education Department, the City University of New York, Fund for Improvement of Post-Secondary Education, Aaron Diamond Foundation, and others.

**Center for Human Rights and Peace Studies**

The Center for Human Rights and Peace Studies advances social justice and human dignity in an interdisciplinary fashion through active involvement of faculty, students, and community in research and teaching. The Center builds on the College's unique history: the drafting of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights began at Lehman College when the United Nations met at the College. Lehman College students, often immigrants and the first in their families to access higher education, engender a broad understanding of human rights. The Center unites student and faculty engagement on local and global rights issues in New York and the greater world community.

**CUNY Institute for Health Equity**

The CUNY Institute for Health Equity (CIHE) was established to narrow the current gaps in the health status of New York City's underserved ethnic/racial populations. CIHE will work to identify and respond to the social determinants of health that contribute to the high rates of morbidity and mortality among these populations, and provide technical support to its community partners so that they may better serve their respective communities and educate public health students in the importance of addressing health equity. The knowledge obtained through CHIE work will be analyzed, translated, and disseminated to the public so that these issues may be more effectively addressed.

**The Institute for Literacy Studies**

The Institute for Literacy Studies, founded in 1984, is a research unit of The City University of New York. The Institute's mission—reforming and improving urban education—has deep significance in its home borough of the Bronx as well as throughout New York City and the nation. The Institute defines urban education in its broadest, most inclusive meaning to comprise the complex web of systems, settings, and relationships that foster learning. It works to advance research, articulate theory, and implement effective practice in literacy and mathematics education through initiatives in a variety of educational settings K-16, including schools, community-based after-school programs, adult literacy programs, and CUNY campuses. Through its Adult Learning Center, the Institute offers basic education, English language instruction, and GED preparation to members of the community who are not enrolled in school or college. See [www.lehman.edu/literacy-studies](http://www.lehman.edu/literacy-studies).

**The Institute for Irish American Studies**

The CUNY Institute for Irish American Studies was established by the CUNY Board of Trustees to focus on the Irish-American Diaspora and its impact on American culture and society. The Institute, first and foremost, serves as a clearinghouse for research opportunities in Irish-American studies for students, staff, and faculty on all of the campuses of the City University of New York. Current projects being undertaken by the Institute include Publishing in Irish America 1820-1922, Great Irish Famine Curricula In-Service Training, Documenting Return Emigration, Curriculum Design: Teaching the Irish Language in America, the "New Irish" and Film, Mapping Irish America, and the Irish in the Americas.

In line with the current research projects of the Institute, an extensive program of public lectures and events is sponsored each semester. The Institute invites researchers and leaders in the
community to present at its Wednesday evening lecture series. The Institute also sponsors day-long symposia on specific topics, Irish language conversation circles, and celebrations of the arts. The Institute additionally makes a number of distance education courses arising from its research areas available to students at CUNY campuses and throughout the country. These courses make use of online software as well as tours and lectures in the U.S. and abroad.
Graduate Programs and Policies

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Graduate Programs
Through its graduate programs, Lehman College offers qualified
students the opportunity to pursue the advanced study of
academic disciplines in breadth as well as in depth. Emphasis is
placed on scholarship, original work, and training in research.
The College offers over forty master’s degree programs in arts and
sciences and in professional studies. Graduate enrollment is
approximately 2,300 students of a total Lehman student body of
almost 12,000. Most graduate students attend part-time,
combining graduate study with a regular job or career. Graduate
courses are generally scheduled late in the day to facilitate
attendance.
The degrees offered are the Master of Arts (M.A.), Master of
Science (M.S.), Master of Science in Education (M.S. Ed.), Master
of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.), Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.),
Master of Public Health (M.P.H.), and Master of Social Work
(M.S.W.). Lehman also offers advanced certificates. Lehman
faculty participate in most City University doctoral programs. In
association with the New York Botanical Garden, a plant sciences
concentration in the University doctoral program in biology is
based at Lehman College.

Office of Graduate Studies
The Office of Graduate Studies (Shuster Hall, Room 279, 718-960-8972) coordinates all graduate programs, policies, and procedures. The Graduate Office is available to answer questions regarding graduate study and College-wide policies pertaining to graduate study at Lehman. Questions about specific academic programs or program requirements should be directed to the appropriate Graduate Program Adviser.

Departments Offering Graduate Programs
Graduate programs leading to a master’s degree or advanced
certificate are offered by the following departments: Art;
Biological Sciences; Counselor, Leadership, Literacy, and Special
Education; Early Childhood and Childhood Education;
Economics and Business; English; Health Sciences; History;
Languages and Literatures; Mathematics and Computer Science;
Middle and High School Education; Music; Nursing; Social Work;
and Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences. A detailed inventory of
degrees, programs, and specializations is contained in this chapter
of the bulletin.

Doctoral Programs With CUNY
Lehman College, in conjunction with the Graduate School and
University Center, contributes faculty, and in some cases facilities,
for the following doctoral programs of The City University of New
York:
Anthropology
Art History
Biochemistry
Biology (Plant Science doctoral program at Lehman College)
Chemistry
Classics
Comparative Literature
Computer Science
Earth and Environmental Sciences
English
French
Hispanic and Luso-Brazilian Literatures
History
Linguistics
Mathematics
Music
Philosophy
Physics
Political Science
Psychology
Sociology
Speech and Hearing Sciences
Theatre
Urban Education
Inventory of Graduate Programs as Registered with The New York State Education Department

The following list gives the titles of Lehman College graduate programs that have been registered with the New York State Education Department. The list may include programs not currently offered by the College; it is the responsibility of each student to determine which programs are currently being offered. Students are cautioned that enrollment in other than registered or otherwise approved programs may jeopardize eligibility for certain student financial aid awards.

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NOTE: Changes in program requirements designated by the New York State Education Department for Teacher, Counselor and/or Administrator certifications occur from time to time. As such, students are advised to consult the office of the Division of Education, Room B-33 of Carman Hall, to determine the most current program requirements for certification. Students not seeking an institutional recommendation but who intend to apply independently for certification should consult with a departmental adviser prior to registration so that a course of study fulfilling state requirements may be planned. New York State may at some point end the independent transcript review route to certification. Students should consult the New York State Education Department website for updates or may check with the Division of Education’s Certification Office to determine if a change in this policy has been adopted.

Education Programs

Designed primarily for students who have completed an undergraduate teacher-preparation program—including general education, academic specialization, and professional foundations—Lehman College’s graduate programs in education extend the competence of the classroom teacher, school counselor, and school leader; provide training for specialized school professionals; and promote research for all school professionals. The programs focus on the mastery of academic disciplines, the development of education theory and practice, clinically rich experiences in schools, and research on issues of particular relevance to teachers, counselors, and leaders in urban schools.

The educator preparation programs allow the prospective professional to specialize in such fields as Early Childhood and Childhood Education, Middle and High School Education (English, social studies, mathematics education, science education, and Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages—TESOL), counselor education, educational leadership, literacy studies (reading education), and special education.

In addition, there are four graduate programs designed for applicants who seek certification as teacher of music, visual arts*, foreign language education, or health in schools. These programs are offered through the Music Department, Art Department,* Department of Languages and Literatures, and Department of Health Sciences in partnership with the School of Education.
The academic and education programs described in this Bulletin are designed to fulfill the requirements for New York State initial or professional certification. Students who graduate from an educator preparation program may apply for New York State initial or professional certification, contingent upon their credentials.

**Note:** The graduate Art Education Program currently leads to professional certification only.

### Student Teaching/Internship/Practicum Requirements and Policies

In addition to the successful completion of a degree in an educator preparation program, supervised field experience or clinical practice (e.g., student teaching, an internship, or a practicum) is required for all candidates in graduate programs applying for certification in New York State as a teacher, counselor, or school building/school district leader. Student teaching, internship, or practicum cannot be waived based on prior experience or other factors. For specific program requirements, see the program adviser.

Acceptance into either student teaching or teaching internship is based on student completion of program prerequisites, and applications are subject to review and recommendation by program faculty.

Any candidate found to be in violation of any of the conduct guidelines detailed in the Lehman College Student Handbook and/or the candidate’s discipline-specific code of ethics may not be recommended for student teaching/teaching internship. In certain situations, the candidate will be advised to meet with the adviser and program coordinator to plan for degree completion. The Lehman College Student Handbook can be found on the College website at [http://www.lehman.cuny.edu/campus-life/](http://www.lehman.cuny.edu/campus-life/).

All prospective student teachers are urged to plan their course of study so they can devote a semester exclusively to their student teaching. Student teaching is a full-time, semester-long commitment. Candidates must follow the attendance policy of each program. Unexcused absences from supervised field experience may be grounds for removal from the placement. Candidates may repeat student teaching, internship, or practicum only once.

Applications for student teaching/teaching internship must be filed the semester prior to student teaching and requires permission of the program coordinator. Application due dates are April 1 for the fall semester and November 1 for the spring semester. The November 1 deadline also applies for candidates in special education programs who will student teach in the summer. Information about student teaching is posted on the School of Education’s website at [www.lehman.edu/academics/education/](http://www.lehman.edu/academics/education).

### Teacher Certification Requirements For Education Matriculants

#### Initial Teacher Certification

Matriculants who successfully complete graduate educator preparation programs at Lehman are eligible to apply for New York State initial certification. Matriculants must file an application for initial teacher or school building leader certification at the start of their final semester of graduate study. Filing instructions and related information may be obtained from the Certification Officer, Room B33 of Carman Hall.

The certification process is as follows:

- The Certification Officer reviews the transcript to ensure that the candidate has met the New York State liberal arts and science requirements.
- The candidate may need to take additional courses if there is deficiency in the coursework.
- The candidate completes the graduate education program and obtains the degree.
- The candidate files for certification using his or her NYSED Teach account with a program code provided by the Certification Officer.
- The candidate contacts the Certification Officer when his or her status of graduation is completed on his or her CUNYfirst account.
- The Certification Officer enters an institutional recommendation for NYS certification.
- The State Education Department issues electronic certificates on TEACH online services at [http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert](http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert).

Candidates for initial teacher certification must meet the State requirements for certification as follows:

- A bachelor’s degree in liberal arts or science;
- Completion of NYS registered educator preparation program (master’s degree) in the field that a certificate is sought;
- Successful completion of internship, student teaching, or practicum;
- Passing the New York State Certification Examinations: (a) the Academic Literacy Skills Test (ALST), (b) Teacher Performance Assessments (edTPA), (c) Educating All Students test (EAS), and (d) Revised Content Specialty Test (CST); and
- Completion of the workshops on school violence prevention, child abuse identification, and the Dignity for All Students Act (DASA).

**Note:** Candidates who complete their degrees and apply for an initial certificate on or before April 30, 2014 may choose to take the current teacher certification examinations: (a) the Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST), (b) the Assessment of Teaching Skills—Written (ATS-W), and (c) the Content Specialty Test (CST).

Candidates for initial school building leader certification must meet the State requirements for certification as follows:

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• A bachelor’s degree in liberal arts or science;
• Completion of NYS registered educator preparation program (master’s degree) in the field that a certificate is sought;
• Successful completion of internship, student teaching, or practicum;
• Passing the New York State Certification Examinations: (a) the Revised School Building Leader Assessment (SBL) and (b) Educating All Students Test (EAS); and
• Completion of the workshops on school violence prevention, child abuse identification, and the Dignity for All Students Act (DASA).

Professional Teacher Certification for Initial Certificate Holders Who Have Had Three Years of Teaching Experience.

Completion of a graduate program in education at Lehman College may lead to New York State professional certification. Students who wish to obtain professional certification in Special Education, Educational Leadership, Literacy Studies, Middle and High School Education (e.g., English, mathematics, social studies, TESOL, science, foreign language, and health), or Early Childhood and Childhood Education must have earned an initial teacher certification. Information on requirements for professional certification is available from the Office of Teacher Certification and at www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert. Lehman College recommends a student for professional certification only in the area of his/her master’s degree. For example, a student who holds initial (provisional) certification in Childhood Education (Grades 1–6) may apply for professional certification in Special Education if his or her master’s degree is in Special Education. Students, however, may apply on their own for professional certification in an area outside their master’s degree specialization.

Academic Policies and Procedures

Degree Requirements and Policies

To earn a Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Science in Education, Master of Social Work, Master of Public Health, Master of Arts in Teaching, or Master of Fine Arts degree, a student must:
• Be formally admitted to a master’s degree program. Students cannot be matriculated simultaneously in more than one master’s degree program at Lehman College. See Dual Graduate Program Matriculation.
• Complete no fewer than 30 credits of graduate courses that are acceptable to the department of specialization.
• Maintain a minimum Grade Point Average of 3.0.
• In most programs, write a thesis based on independent research, complete an appropriate special project, and/or pass a comprehensive examination. Departmental requirements are outlined elsewhere in this bulletin.
• Complete all requirements for the degree within five years following matriculation.
• Complete all departmental requirements for the degree.

DUAL GRADUATE PROGRAM MATRICULATION

Graduate students cannot be simultaneously matriculated in the following: Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Science in Education, Master of Social Work, Master of Public Health, Master of Arts in Teaching, or Master of Fine Arts degree programs. After completion of a first master’s degree at Lehman, students must contact the Office of Graduate Admissions if they wish to begin a second master’s degree program.

Graduate students may pursue a certificate or extension program while completing a master’s degree program if the student adheres to the admissions requirements for that certificate or extension program. If a student is already matriculated in a master’s degree and would like to add a certificate program during their course of study, they must fill out a Change in Graduate Curriculum form, located in the Office of Graduate Studies.

Comprehensive Examination

Graduate students planning to take a required comprehensive examination must be matriculated and currently registered each semester as they prepare for and take their comprehensives. If registered for no other courses, graduate students must register for maintenance of matriculation or for an examination preparation course offered by their academic department.

Master’s degree candidates who are required to pass a comprehensive examination as part of their degree requirements should consult the Graduate Program Adviser in the program in which they are enrolled to determine the precise requirements for the degree in that program.

Students not successful on the first attempt at the comprehensives are urged to discuss their examination with their Program Adviser before taking the examination a second time. Students who are unsuccessful after two attempts will be dropped from the College. In order to take the examination a third time, students must appeal to the Graduate Studies Committee no later than the third week of the semester immediately following their second unsuccessful attempt. If their appeal is successful, students then should apply for readmission through the Office of Graduate Admissions (Shuster Hall, Room 150). Filing an appeal does not in itself guarantee that any student will be granted a third attempt at the comprehensive examination. No further appeals are possible after a third unsuccessful attempt to pass the comprehensives.

Thesis or Capstone Report

Graduate students researching and writing theses or capstone projects must be matriculated and currently registered each semester. Students must register for either maintenance of matriculation or for a thesis writing course offered by their department.

In curricula requiring a thesis or capstone project, the completed thesis or project must be presented to the department chair or adviser in sufficient time to enable the work to be evaluated, corrected, amended, and the grade to be recorded before the date on which the classes for that semester end. A candidate permitted...
to offer a thesis or other final project must consult the adviser for departmental requirements for preparation and final submission. The student must file with the thesis or project adviser the number of approved copies required by the program in which he/she is matriculated.

Students must submit an electronic copy of their thesis to the Leonard Lief Library. Electronic copies must be submitted on a CD formatted in a PDF file, or the format required by their thesis adviser. The CD must be accompanied by completed copies of the Digital Repository License Agreement and Checklist, which are accessible on the Library website. Prior to graduation, students must provide a copy of the Acknowledgement of Receipt to their graduate or thesis adviser. The Acknowledgement of Receipt is issued by the Library to the student after receiving all required submission materials.

Time Limit for Earning a Lehman College Master's Degree

Master’s degree candidates must complete their programs within five years from the time they become matriculated students. Absence from the College for one or more semesters does not alter or affect the five-year limit (see Interruption of Studies) for earning a degree. Currently enrolled graduate students who, due to unusual circumstances, are unable to complete their degrees within the five-year period may apply for an extension in the Office of Graduate Studies, Shuster 275. Extension requests will be forwarded to the Academic Department offering the degree program for review and final decisions. Students who are not currently enrolled must adhere to the interruption of studies policy.

Interruption of Studies

Although students are encouraged to make steady progress toward their master's degrees, absence for one or more semesters may be unavoidable. In order to resume their studies following an absence of any length, matriculated graduate students must contact the Office of Graduate Admissions (Shuster Hall, Room 150) to complete the appropriate application and pay the application fee.

Matriculated graduate students returning after a leave of absence are subject to any changes made to their master’s degree program in their absence and must satisfy all degree requirements. In addition, returning graduate students must consult with their program adviser to determine if any of their previous coursework is out of date and to discuss their future course of study.

Students seeking readmission after the absence of one or more semesters, up to three years, must file a Graduate Application for Readmission. Following an absence of three or more years, matriculated graduate students must reapply to the College by submitting a new application. Nonmatriculated graduate students must reapply to the College by submitting the Graduate Application for Non-Degree Admission and pay the application fee following an absence from the College of any length.

Graduation Procedure

A student who expects to graduate at the end of a semester must file a formal application for graduation in the Office of the Registrar, Shuster Hall, Room 105, by the deadline published each semester in the Schedule of Classes. If the student does not graduate, he/she must refile for graduation in any subsequent semester in which graduation is anticipated.

Any incomplete grades (INC) on the graduate student’s transcript must be resolved prior to the date of graduation. To resolve incomplete grades, students must either complete and hand in the missing work or, if the courses in question are not required for the degree, indicate to the Office of the Registrar that they do not intend to complete the work. Students who choose not to make up the missing work are required to sign a statement in the Registrar’s Office indicating their awareness that INC grades remaining on the transcript can never be changed to letter grades.

This policy applies even if the course in question is not applicable toward the degree being awarded, and even if the one-year time limit for finishing incomplete grades has not expired. The transcripts of graduated students are sealed at the time of graduation, and no changes can be made after the graduation date.

Students cannot graduate if the indication "Z" appears in place of a grade on their transcript. The "Z" indicates that the faculty member teaching that particular course did not submit a grade. The student is responsible for contacting either the faculty member or the department chair to ensure that a grade is submitted.

Maintenance of Matriculation Fee

Students not enrolled in courses in any semester, who need to maintain matriculation, are required to register for maintenance of matriculation in the Office of the Registrar (Shuster Hall, Room 114) and pay the appropriate fee in the Bursar’s Office (Shuster Hall, Room 031). Students should register and pay this fee during the semester of absence. In the semester in which the degree is to be awarded, students must be either registered in courses or maintaining matriculation. Maintenance of matriculation is paid in summer sessions only when the student expects to receive the master’s degree the following September. Students who have paid maintenance of matriculation do not have to pay the student activity fee or the consolidated service fee. The maintenance of matriculation fee cannot be waived.

Registration Policies and Procedures

Academic Advising

For graduate students, academic advising occurs at two levels:

- Each graduate program at Lehman College has at least one academic adviser to help in planning students’ programs. Graduate students should consult frequently with their Program Adviser for information regarding their specific master's degree program, and they MUST see their Program Adviser before registering each semester. Frequent advisement
is critical for acquiring up-to-date information and for monitoring progress toward the master’s degree.

- The Office of Graduate Studies (Shuster Hall, Room 279), provides information and advisement regarding College-wide academic policies and procedures. Matters addressed by this office also include appeals (except grade appeals), changes of grade, academic retention and probation, academic standards, and transfer credit policies.

Registration Materials

Information for Web registration is mailed by the Office of the Registrar prior to the end of the current semester to all continuing graduate students who were registered at Lehman that semester. New graduate students or returning students who did not receive materials should obtain them from the Office of Admissions (Shuster Hall, Room 150) before the registration period.

Registration for Graduate Courses

Electronic course permission of the Graduate Program Adviser is required to register for any graduate course. Consult the department for registration advising hours.

Bursar's Receipt

The bursar’s receipt is the only valid proof of registration in courses. Students are responsible for checking registration materials for any errors before submitting them to the Registrar for processing. For students registering by telephone, the system will repeat their course requests for verification. Report any error on the bursar’s receipt to the Business Office immediately, accompanied by a request for a corrected receipt. Keep all bursar’s receipts in case questions regarding registration arise at a later date.

Registration in Undergraduate Courses

Graduate students who are advised by their Program Advisor to register for undergraduate courses must also get permission from the Office of Graduate Studies. Upon receiving the required approval, they may register for such courses at the time of graduate registration. Graduate students may not register on the Web for undergraduate courses.

Credits earned in undergraduate courses that are not part of the graduate degree requirements do not count toward the graduate degree, and graduate students pay undergraduate non-degree tuition. A graduate student may not register in a given semester solely for undergraduate courses unless he/she obtains permission from both the Graduate Program Advisor and the Office of Graduate Studies.

Registration in Out-Of-Program Courses

A student who has been admitted to a specific graduate program, or has been given permission to take certain specific graduate courses, may not automatically register for other courses in other programs. Students may do so only if they obtain written permission from the graduate adviser in the second program and receive permission from the Office of Graduate Studies.

Registration in Courses at Other CUNY Colleges

Matriculated graduate students may take courses at other CUNY colleges with the permission of the Graduate Program Adviser or department chair and from the Office of Graduate Studies. (See Courses Taken on Permit.) Permits and details regarding their use may be obtained from the Office of the Registrar, Shuster Hall, Room 106. Students must also contact the host college with regard to registration requirements. Graduate students from other CUNY colleges who wish to register at Lehman must file a nonmatriculant application with the Office of Graduate Admissions (Shuster Hall, Room 150) and submit a permit from the registrar of the home college.

The admission fee is waived for students attending Lehman College on permit.

Credit Policies

Residency Requirement

Graduate students in master’s degree programs must complete as matriculated students at least one-half of the total graduate credits required to complete their Lehman College master’s degree program, OR 18 graduate-level credits, whichever is greater.

Graduate students in certificate programs must complete at least one-half of the graduate-level credits required to complete their certificate program as matriculated students at Lehman College. This minimum number of credits to be taken after matriculation is known as the Residency Requirement. Due to the varied credit requirements of Lehman’s graduate programs, students will generally have to complete somewhat more than the minimum residency requirement in order to graduate. No interpretation of this policy shall supersede the policy regarding Transfer of Credit outlined elsewhere in this graduate bulletin. Six (6) credits of the Residency Requirement may be taken as permit classes at other CUNY colleges offering appropriate master’s-level courses (see Permit Courses). Courses taken at non-CUNY institutions will not be counted toward the Residency Requirement. No part of the Residency Requirement may be satisfied using courses taken prior to matriculation at Lehman College or courses taken as part of a previously awarded master’s degree program.

Exception:

Master’s degree candidates from the Graduate School and University Center of The City University of New York (CUNY Graduate Center) may transfer to a senior college and complete the requirements for a master’s degree, receiving credit for all graduate work satisfactorily completed at the Center.
Transfer of Credit

Students who wish to have graduate credits transferred should apply during their first semester in attendance as a matriculated graduate student at Lehman. The Application for Transfer of Graduate Credit form is available in the Office of Graduate Studies (Shuster Hall, Room 279). All credits to be applied toward a Lehman College master’s degree are subject to the approval of the academic graduate advisor (or department chair) from the student’s academic program and the Office of Graduate Studies. Transfer credits must conform to the regulations for the program and the curriculum in which the student is matriculated. The following courses are eligible for transfer:

- Courses applied within the last five years toward a previously awarded and accredited graduate degree. (6 credits maximum)
- Graduate courses taken within the last five years at Lehman College as a non-degree student. (12 credits maximum)
- Graduate courses taken within the last five years at other accredited colleges where no degree has been awarded. (12 credits maximum)

The following transfer credit regulations apply to all matriculated Lehman College graduate students:

- With appropriate permission, a maximum of 12 credits in total may be transferred toward a Lehman master’s degree.
- Grades of B or better in courses taken outside of Lehman College are required for eligibility.
- Theses and other culminating master’s degree projects taken at Lehman College or at institutions outside of Lehman are not considered for transfer to Lehman College master’s degree programs.
- Students matriculated in Social Work may request transfer credits only toward the special topics/elective requirement.

When students have taken more than 12 credits prior to matriculation, Lehman College courses will be given priority, provided they meet the College’s requirements.

TRANSFER OF CREDIT INTO A LEHMAN ADVANCED CERTIFICATE OR EXTENSION PROGRAM

Transferring credits into an advanced certificate or extension program are subject to: the approval of the academic graduate advisor and Office of Graduate Studies, the regulations of the Lehman program in which the student is matriculated, and the guidelines of the College’s Residency Requirement.

Restrictions on approval of credit, including restrictions on the maximum number of credits allowed from non-matriculated to matriculated status, vary from one graduate certificate program to another. Therefore, consultation from the appropriate department is required to clarify the specific program requirements.

The following additional limitations apply:

- Courses must be graduate-level and must be taken at accredited institutions offering master’s degree programs.
- Grades of B or better in courses taken outside of Lehman College are required for eligibility.

- Courses taken five years or more prior to matriculation at Lehman are not considered for transfer unless special circumstances are approved after consultation with both the Office of Graduate Studies and the academic department offering the advanced certificate or extension.

NOTE: Students who have completed nine (9) or more credits prior to matriculation at Lehman, as well as students seeking a second master’s, are advised to fill out the application for matriculation at the earliest possible date.

Courses Taken on Permit at Other CUNY Institutions

With appropriate permission, matriculated graduate students may take master’s-level courses on permit at other colleges of The City University of New York and apply the credit toward the Lehman master’s degree. Grades earned in these courses are treated the same as grades earned at Lehman College and are subject to the same restrictions. Grades in courses taken on permit will be recorded on the Lehman College transcript and will count in the computation of the Grade Point Average. No more than six (6) credits taken as permit classes may be counted toward the Residency Requirement.

Permits and details regarding their use are available from the Office of the Registrar, Shuster Hall, Room 106. All courses taken on permit must be approved by the Graduate Program Adviser or the department chair and the Office of Graduate Studies.

Credit Loads

A full-time program of coursework for graduate students requires a minimum of 12 academic credits or a combination of academic and equivalent credits for a total of 12 credits in any semester. Students may take no more than 17 credits of graduate work in any Fall or Spring semester. In Summer semesters, comprising two sessions of approximately five weeks each, graduate students may take no more than two courses in each session. Exceptions to these limits must be approved by the Office of Graduate Studies. The Graduate Studies office will not approve credit loads of more than 17 credits in the first semester of graduate study.

International students admitted to the United States on student visas are required to complete at least nine (9) academic or equivalent credits each Fall and Spring semester.

Certification of Full-Time Status

A matriculated graduate student may be certified as in full-time attendance in any semester when taking at least 12 academic credits or a combination of academic and equivalent credits for a total of 12 credits. Students may receive 1–6 equivalent credits for such activities as teaching assistantships, research assistantships, thesis research and writing, preparation of the comprehensive examination, and fieldwork. Departments are responsible for documenting credit equivalencies.

Academic credits are prescribed in the departmental degree requirements in the Graduate Bulletin and contribute to the total credits required for the master’s degree. Equivalent credits are
never accepted toward the total credits required for the master’s degree.

**Grading Policies**

Grades as submitted, to and recorded, in the Office of the Registrar are the sole judgment of the instructor. Grade changes resulting from personal appeals to the instructor and hardship claims are never honored. Students may not raise their grades by completing extra work after the final grade has been recorded. Occasional grading errors do occur, and these are always corrected promptly when properly certified to the Office of Graduate Studies. Students who believe a grade is unfair may file a departmental grade appeal (see "Appeals" in this chapter of the Bulletin).

**Attendance Policy**

Students are expected to attend classes regularly. Instructors, as well as departments or degree programs, may establish specific attendance requirements. It is the student’s responsibility to ascertain the effect attendance may have on the grade in a course. Students receiving financial aid must be certified as attending classes regularly to maintain their eligibility.

**Continuation**

Students, once accepted to an academic program, are subject to any continuation requirements as determined by their academic department. Such requirements are outlined in the pages in this bulletin that relate to the academic departments. Continuation requirements may include, but are not limited to, minimum overall Grade Point Average, minimum semester Grade Point Average, minimum grades to be achieved in specific courses, completion of all prerequisite and corequisite courses, attendance and performance at fieldwork sites, purchase of liability insurance, and submission of required test scores. Failure to meet continuation requirements may result in additional required coursework over and above that outlined in the program requirements, repetition of designated classes for no academic credits, stopping out for one or more semesters, or termination of enrollment in the master’s degree program.

**Grading System**

The following academic grades are given in Lehman graduate programs: A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, and F.

AUD: Indicates that a student registered and paid for a course and attended classes, but was not required to do coursework and will receive no credit for the course.

W: The grade in any course from which a student officially withdraws prior to the published deadline, indicating that the withdrawal was without prejudice. Official withdrawal is accomplished by filing a withdrawal application in the Office of the Registrar.

WU: Any unofficial withdrawal from a course and any official withdrawal after the published deadline. A WU counts as an F in computing the Grade Point Average.

INC: Incomplete coursework. The grade is given by the instructor to indicate a student has made satisfactory progress but, for good and sufficient reason, is unable to complete the course. INC grades must be removed by completion of course requirements within one year of assignment of the grade.

FIN: Failure to complete coursework by not resolving INC grade within one year. A FIN counts as an F in computing the Grade Point Average.

SP: Satisfactory Progress restricted to certain fieldwork, thesis or research courses requiring more than one semester for completion.

WA: Administrative withdrawal (e.g., failure to comply with the State law on immunization).

Z: Grade not submitted by the instructor. Z grades must be resolved prior to graduation.

**Grade Point Average (GPA) Computation Formula**

Quality points (QP) are calculated by multiplying the credit value of each course by the numerical value of the grade received, 4.0 to 1.7 for grades A through C-, and 0 for F or WU. (See the following table.)

- Add the number of credits taken, including those with F or WU grades.
- Divide the total number of quality points by the total number of credits attempted. This final figure is the GPA.

Both matriculated and nonmatriculated graduate students must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 to remain in good standing at Lehman College. Matriculants require a minimum GPA of 3.0 for graduation. Undergraduate-level courses and courses transferred from other institutions are not included in computing the GPA.

**SAMPLE G.P.A. COMPUTATION**

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Grades earned in courses given by other institutions for which transfer credit has been allowed.

- Grades earned in undergraduate courses taken for undergraduate credit.

- Grades earned in graduate-level courses can be excluded from the GPA only through a successful appeal supported by Office of Graduate Studies and submitted to the Graduate Studies Committee (see "General Appeals" in this chapter of the bulletin). Graduate courses taken five (5) or more years prior to the current matriculation, or grades earned in courses unrelated to the current master’s degree program, are excluded only upon appeal.

SP Grade Option for Satisfactory Progress

The Satisfactory Progress (SP) Grade Option is part of Lehman’s grading system. This new grade option will be restricted to certain graduate-level fieldwork, thesis, or research courses requiring more than one semester for completion.

The SP grade only will be valid for one year. Within the one-year period, a student is expected to continue making sufficient progress. When the work is completed the instructor will submit a Change of Grade form indicating the letter grade earned. If a student fails to complete the coursework within the year, the SP grade will change to a grade of INC. From that point a student must comply with incomplete coursework (INC grade policy).

Academic Probation

Good Academic Standing and Probation

All graduate students, regardless of matriculation status, are expected to make appropriate academic progress and maintain a 3.0 (B) cumulative average or better in their courses. Grades of B-, C+, and C, while considered meeting course completion requirements, are considered marginal progress outcomes.

Graduate students earning a marginal progress grade in selected courses may be required to repeat and achieve a satisfactory progress grade in these select courses to continue in the program of study. (See specific program course descriptions for requirement details.) Students may also be asked by their academic adviser to take fewer courses until the GPA is improved.

Matriculated and non-matriculated students in special funded programs need to contact the program coordinators for details regarding their eligibility and continuation requirements.

Graduate students enrolled in a degree program will be placed on academic probation when the overall GPA falls below 3.0. Students, with 9 or more graduate credits completed, whose G.P.A. falls to or below a 2.50 (2.70 or lower in some programs) will not get granted a probation period. Continuation in the program is granted only upon successful appeal to the Office of Graduate Studies. A letter of support from the academic department must accompany such appeals.

When a student is on academic probation, a probation indicator is placed by the Office of Graduate Studies. The probation indicator

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prevents the student from registration until appropriate academic advisement takes place. Once an appropriate plan is in place, the Office of Graduate Studies will lift the probation indicator temporarily so that the student may register for the current term. The probationary indicator will be replaced for future registration(s) until the cumulative GPA is raised to 3.0 or above.

A student may be on probation only once during their course of study. A probationary period consists of up to three registered academic terms; the semester in which low grades were earned and the following two semesters of enrollment. A graduate student placed on probation must raise their GPA to 3.0 or above during the next two semesters of enrollment and must take courses that satisfy the degree curriculum.

Students on academic probation may not take the comprehensive examination, or submit a thesis unless specific approval is granted by the academic department. Students may not improve their GPA by taking courses outside of the program, unless these courses are approved by the academic department in writing and count toward the degree curriculum. Graduate students on academic probation are not issued a graduate degree or advanced certificate.

CONTINUATION AND DISMISSAL
If the cumulative GPA remains below 3.0 at the end of the probation period, the student will be dismissed from the College. The decision to dismiss is not taken lightly and involves discussion between the academic department and the Office of Graduate Studies. Once a decision to dismiss is made, notification of dismissal is sent by the Office of Graduate Studies. Graduate students who have been dismissed at the end of the probationary period will be allowed to continue in their program only upon successful appeal to the Office of Graduate Studies. The appeal must contain a written letter of support from the program advisor or Chair in the academic department.

Admission with Conditions
Students matriculated with conditions may be subject to more stringent academic requirements, including (but not limited to) the denial of the probationary period and the need to maintain a Grade Point Average higher than 3.0. Applicable conditions are set forth in the student’s acceptance letter.

Unsatisfactory Academic Progress
A graduate student is deemed not to be making satisfactory academic progress if he or she has accumulated more than two open grades (INC). Students identified for unsatisfactory progress because of incomplete coursework will be given a strict deadline for completing the open grades on their transcript. They also may be limited as to the number of credits for which they can register or may be prevented entirely from registering in any semester until letter grades are entered on their transcripts for the courses involved. See INC GRADES policy.

Note: In order to receive Title IV Federal Financial Aid, a graduate student must at least meet the GPA required for good academic standing at the institution (3.0 at Lehman) and with the Office of Financial Aid, and:

- Not have attempted more than 150% of the credits normally required for completion of the degree.
- Accumulate credits toward the degree equal to or greater than two-thirds of the cumulative credits attempted at the institution.

Students whose financial aid is denied for reasons of insufficient academic progress may file a written appeal with the Office of Financial Aid.

General Appeals
For a waiver of any of the College’s regulations pertaining to graduate study, a student may petition the Graduate Studies Committee. Appeals are granted only for compelling reasons. To launch an appeal, students must submit a completed appeal form, available from the Office of Graduate Studies (Shuster Hall, Room 279), including a complete explanation of the issues involved and any relevant supporting documents. Supporting documents may include birth certificates, death certificates, letters from physicians, letters of support from faculty, and any documents that bear upon the case in question.

Withdrawal from Courses
The grade of W (withdrawal without penalty) is assigned only when a graduate student officially withdraws from a course. Students must complete the withdrawal process themselves, since the procedure requires a signature. No faculty member or program adviser can withdraw a student from a course. Graduate students can officially withdraw by reporting with their bursar’s receipt to the Office of the Registrar (Shuster Hall, Room 114) before the deadline published each semester in the Schedule of Classes. If in-person withdrawal is impossible, students can mail a signed letter to the registrar, including their name, Social Security number, the department that teaches the course(s) from which they wish to withdraw, the course number(s), and the section number(s). This letter must be accompanied by a photocopy of their bursar’s receipt. Withdrawals by mail received after the withdrawal deadline will not be processed. This procedure applies to courses taught on- and off-campus.

After the published deadline, students wishing to withdraw from a course without penalty can do so only by appealing successfully to the Office of Graduate Studies, Shuster Hall, Room 279 (see “Appeals” in this chapter of the bulletin). When students withdraw unofficially, i.e., the student simply stops attending class without completing the withdrawal procedure, the grade of WU is assigned for the course. This grade counts as a failure in computing the cumulative Grade Point Average.

Grade Appeals
A graduate student dissatisfied with his/her course grade should first discuss the situation with the instructor who assigned the grade. If the student is still not satisfied that the grade is fair,
he/she should then consult the Graduate Program Adviser for the
department in which the course was offered. The Graduate
Program Adviser will then attempt to resolve the disagreement.
If the student is still dissatisfied, or if the program adviser was the
instructor who assigned the grade originally, the student should
appeal in writing to the department chair. If the chair is the
instructor of the course in question, the senior member of the
department Personnel and Budget Committee will act for the
chair.
The chair will appoint a Graduate Grade Appeal Committee
consisting of three faculty members from the department, all of
whom have taught graduate courses. The Graduate Program
Adviser may not serve on this committee.
The committee will examine all materials relevant to the appeal,
submitted by both the instructor and the student, and will prepare
a written report of its findings, either sustaining the original grade
or recommending a change.
The chair will notify the student, the instructor, and the Office of
Graduate Studies of the Committee’s decision. If the Committee
recommends a grade change, the chair will forward that
recommendation (A-1) with the decision.
Grade appeals must be initiated in the semester following the
entry of a permanent grade, and no grades can be changed after
the date of graduation. The decision of the Graduate Grade
Appeal Committee is binding on all parties.

Academic Integrity

The most common but not the only forms of academic dishonesty
are cheating on examinations and plagiarism, which is the
appropriation of the words or ideas of another person, whether
taken from print or electronic media, which are then passed off as
one’s own.

When academic dishonesty is suspected, the instructor will inform
the student of his suspicions and the student’s rights to:

• Receive any charges in writing;
• Remain silent without assumption of guilt;
• Receive from the instructor a copy of the Academic Integrity
Statement; and
• Be advised of the instructor’s intended sanction. The instructor
and student may resolve the situation, either by agreeing that
the suspicions are unfounded or agreeing upon a sanction. Any
sanction agreed upon at this point must be reported, together
with the charges, to the department chair and to the Office of
Graduate Studies. The instructor must report these facts in
writing. If no agreement is reached between the student and the
instructor, the instructor must report in writing his intended
sanction to the department chair and to the student as soon as
possible. Then:

• The student may appeal in writing to the department chair
within three weeks of receiving notice of the intended sanction.
If the chair is the instructor in question, the senior member of
the department’s Personnel and Budget Committee will act for
the chair.

• The chair will appoint a committee of three Lehman faculty
members from his/her department to adjudicate the matter
within three weeks by majority vote.

• The Committee will send a written notification of its decision
to the department chair, the student, the instructor, and the
Office of Graduate Studies.

• Either the instructor or the student has the right, within three
weeks of receipt of notification, to appeal the department
decision in writing to the Senate Committee on Graduate
Studies. The decision of this committee is final. No further
appeals are permitted. The committee will notify the
department chair, the student, the instructor, and the Office of
Graduate Studies of its decision. If any part of the three-week
period falls outside the regular semester, the first three weeks of
the next regular semester shall apply.

• The Office of Graduate Studies will keep all records of such
proceedings on file until the student’s graduation, at which
time the records will be destroyed.

If the charge of academic dishonesty is upheld, disciplinary
penalties may be recommended by the Vice President of Student
Affairs to the hearing panel composed of members of the Faculty-
Student Disciplinary Committee, pursuant to the due process
provisions of the Board of Trustees’ Bylaws (Article 15.3). Such
penalties, which may be imposed only through the Bylaws process,
include but are not limited to: 1) suspension from the College or
2) expulsion from the College.
Admission, Tuition and Fees, and Financial Aid

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Tuition and Fees are subject to change. Please refer to the Lehman College website (www.lehman.edu) for the latest information.

Admission to Graduate Degree Programs
The Lehman College graduate programs accept applicants who meet the College and departmental standards for admission to matriculated (degree) and non-matriculated (non-degree) status.

Matriculants
A matriculant (degree student) is one who has received formal written acceptance by the College and department for work toward a specific graduate degree. Candidates for a Lehman graduate degree will be admitted unconditionally if they have no deficiencies in prerequisite undergraduate coursework and meet all other College and departmental entrance requirements. Conditional admission to matriculated status may be offered to applicants who have deficiencies in prerequisite undergraduate coursework, or who lack the minimum Grade Point Average. "Conditions" are defined, at the time of admission, as a limited number of specific undergraduate courses (normally, either a maximum of 6 credits that must be completed within one year or a maximum of 12 credits that must be completed in three semesters), or a Grade Point Average that must be maintained during either the first or the first two semesters of matriculation.

General Admission Requirements for Matriculants
To be admitted, an applicant must:
1. Possess a bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university. Submit an official transcript. Official transcripts and other documents in languages other than English must be accompanied by a notarized English translation. Students in their final undergraduate semester should submit the official transcript of coursework completed to date. Upon graduation, students must present additional transcript showing the degree awarded. Lehman graduates who have attended other colleges are required to submit official transcripts from those colleges.
2. Have demonstrated the potential to successfully pursue graduate study, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in the field selected for the graduate major and a minimum grade average of B- in the undergraduate record as a whole (higher in some programs). For more specific information, see the Graduate Program Adviser.
3. In all but education programs, have taken a minimum of 18 credits of previous work acceptable to the appropriate department in the proposed graduate major. For education programs, consult the departmental Graduate Program Adviser.
4. Submit a 500-word essay outlining your career goals.
5. If applying to the program in Accounting, submit an acceptable score on the Graduate Management Aptitude Test (GMAT).
6. If applying to the Master of Public Health program or Counselor Education/School Counseling program, submit a score on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).
7. Submit letters of recommendation as required by the individual program.
8. If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within the specified time period.
9. Meet additional departmental admission requirements, as specified.
10. If submitting academic records from a non-English speaking country, demonstrate competency in English through TOEFL scores of at least 500 (higher for some programs).

Nonmatriculants
A nonmatriculant (nondegree student) is one who may take courses for credit but has not been formally admitted to a degree program. Under this status, students are not eligible for any degree at Lehman College, nor does coursework taken as a nonmatriculant guarantee admission to a degree program. If subsequently admitted to a degree program, the student can, with the approval of the Graduate Program Adviser(s), count a maximum of 12 credits earned as a nonmatriculated student toward the degree.

Admission Requirements for Nonmatriculants
To register for courses as a nonmatriculant, an applicant must:
1. Possess a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. Submit a transcript showing the award of an undergraduate degree.
2. Have a minimum undergraduate average of B-.
3. To take graduate courses in Accounting, submit an acceptable score on the Graduate Management Aptitude Test (GMAT).
4. Obtain the approval of the department's graduate adviser.
5. If submitting academic records from a non-English speaking country, demonstrate competency in English through TOEFL scores of at least 500 (higher for most programs).

**Students Without Bachelor's Degrees and Special Students**

Professionals of exceptional ability may be admitted to graduate courses in the arts even though they have not earned a bachelor's degree. The admission of a special student requires approval of the appropriate department chair and the College's Office of Graduate Studies. Special students are not eligible for any degree.

**Lehman Undergraduates**

Undergraduate seniors at Lehman College who are highly qualified academically may earn credit in graduate courses. This credit may be applied to the student's undergraduate degree, or the student may enroll for graduate credit, in which case graduate fees must be paid for the course(s). The option chosen must be specified in writing, and the student must obtain the written approval of the appropriate department chair or Graduate Program Adviser and the College's Office of Graduate Studies before enrolling in a graduate course.

**Applying for Admission**

An application form for admission may be obtained from: Office of Graduate Admissions, Shuster Hall, Room 150, 718-960-8702. Students can also download the matriculant and nonmatriculant graduate applications by logging on to the Lehman College homepage at www.lehman.edu. Once on the Lehman College homepage, do the following:

- Click on the "Admissions" link.
- Click on "Graduate," from the drop down menu and select "Apply Now." Adobe Acrobat Reader is needed in order to download the application.

**Matriculants**

A completed application for matriculation consists of the application form, official college transcripts of all past undergraduate and graduate work, letters of recommendation as required by the individual department, and, in some instances, test scores, i.e., the GRE, GMAT, TOEFL, and, in some programs, an interview or audition. The number of recommendations required, the topic(s) and format of the application essay, the particular test required, and whether or not a personal interview or audition is required can be determined by referring to the portions of this bulletin that describe the individual graduate programs.

Completed applications must be on file in the Admissions Office by April 1 (Speech-Language Pathology and Master of Public Health, March; Social Work, March 15) for the fall semester; November 1 for the spring semester. The Speech-Language Pathology, Social Work, Public Health, Educational Leadership, and Counselor Education Programs accept applications only for fall admissions. Spring admission for Speech-Language Pathology depends on availability of seats. For more information, call the department at 718-960-8138, or the Graduate Admissions Office at 718-960-8702.

Admission to matriculated status requires review by the particular department the applicant wishes to enter. Only completed applications are put forward for faculty review.

**Nonmatriculants**

For applicants wishing to enter the College as nonmatriculants, a completed application consists of the application form and college transcript(s) that show completion of an undergraduate degree and test scores (GMAT/TOEFL) if required. Applications from prospective nonmatriculants may be accepted through the registration period only, subject to available space in the desired program.

**Departmental Approval for Registration in Courses**

All applicants for graduate work at Lehman College, whether degree candidates or not, must meet with the Graduate Program Adviser before registering for any courses in order to plan an academic program. Registration is not possible without department approval. Telephone numbers of individual departments and Program Advisers can be obtained from the Office of Graduate Admissions (718-960-8702).

**International Students**

Lehman College is authorized under federal law to admit nonimmigrant-alien students. At Lehman, an "international student" is defined as any person studying in the United States on a nonimmigrant visa. The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is required for admission of international students, except for nationals of English-speaking countries. The required minimum TOEFL score is 500 for admission to Lehman and is higher in most fields. Information may be obtained from TOEFL/Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08541-6151. Residents of English-speaking countries are exempt from taking the test.

All students on F-I or J-I visas must be full-time students every semester, carrying a course load of at least 9 credits, to qualify for and maintain this visa status. Form I-20 or IAP-66 will be issued to full-time students who have provided the required financial documentation to the Office of Admissions and have been admitted to the College. Qualified nonimmigrant aliens holding B (visitor) visas who wish to attend or have started attending Lehman College must apply through the International Student Adviser for a change of status to F (student) visa two months before their current B visa expires. The International Student Certification Officer can provide necessary documentation of the student's status at Lehman.

The College will not be responsible for any interruption and/or termination of studies and will not refund tuition or fees should the student be unable to obtain the required student visa or transfer and be required to leave the country before the end of a term. Students concerned about their status may consult with the International Student Certification officer as soon as possible.
All prospective or new International Students with student visas must consult the International Student Certification Officer before registration. The officer will inform students about immigration regulations and procedures, currency exchange, off-campus housing, and related matters of special concern to international students.

Health

Students accepted for Lehman degree programs must have the physical and mental health that enables them to conform to all the College’s academic requirements, including completion of the degree within a reasonable period.

Physical examinations are required by the College for programs and activities that may require certification of physical health.

Immunization Registration Requirement

Students who do not submit proof of measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) immunization or who fail to return the meningococcal meningitis response form within a statutory grace period shall be prohibited from attending the institution. For additional information, contact the Health Services Center located in Room 188 of the T-3 Building at 718-960-8900.

Public Health Law 2165 requires that postsecondary students be immunized against measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR).

All registered full-time students and part-time students born on or after January 1, 1957 who are enrolled for at least six, but fewer than twelve semester hours (or equivalent) per semester in an approved degree program or registered certificate program must submit proof of MMR immunization. Students may be exempt from the required MMR immunizations for religious or medical reasons. To qualify for a religious exception, students must submit a signed statement from their parent or guardian, that they hold sincere and genuine religious beliefs that prohibit immunization. To qualify for a medical exception, students must submit a written statement from a licensed physician or nurse practitioner indicating that such immunization may be detrimental to their health.

Public Health Law 2167 requires that postsecondary institutions provide written information about meningococcal meningitis to its students and that students complete, sign, and return a meningococcal meningitis response form. Public Health Law 2167 does not require that students be immunized against meningitis.

Public Health Law 2167 requires colleges to distribute written information about meningococcal meningitis disease and vaccination and students to complete, sign, and return to the college, a meningococcal meningitis response form that: (a) confirms that the college has provided the information about meningococcal meningitis; and (b) indicates that either: (1) the student has received immunization against meningococcal meningitis within the ten years preceding the date of the response form; or (2) the student has decided against receiving the vaccination. This law applies to students who are enrolled in at least six semester hours (or the equivalent) per semester. No student may be exempt from receiving information or returning the response form.

Prohibition on Submission of Fraudulent Admission Documents

The submission of documents in support of applications for admission, such as transcripts, diplomas, test scores, references, or the applications themselves, that are forged, fraudulent, altered from the original, obtained under false pretenses, or otherwise deceptive is prohibited and is punishable by a five-year ban on applying for admission or five-year suspension from CUNY. A second violation is punishable by a lifetime ban on applying for admission or expulsion from CUNY.

Admission of Students Who May Pose a Risk to the College

The College reserves the right to deny admission to any student if in its judgment, the presence of that student on campus poses an undue risk to the safety or security of the College or the college community. That judgment will be based on an individualized determination taking into account any information the College has about a student’s criminal record and the particular circumstances of the college, including the presence of a child care center, a public school or public school students on the campus. In addition, the College may consider factors such as the amount of time since the crime was committed; the amount of jail time served by the student; the number of years the student was on probation or parole; whether the student has satisfied probation or parole requirements at the time of the student’s application; whether the student has completed drug, alcohol, sex offender or other treatment; and what work or educational experience the student has had after the conviction. Finally, if the student is known to have been assisted by a CUNY-sponsored or other re-entry program or initiative, the college will consult with a counselor or representative from said program.

Tuition and Fees

Graduate Tuition

Tuition and fee charges are set by the Board of Trustees of The City University of New York. To find out the current tuition and fee rates, visit the Lehman College Website at www.lehman.edu or call the Bursar’s Office (718-960-8573).

Board of Trustees Guidelines

All fees and tuition charges listed in this bulletin and in any registration material issued by the College are subject to change by action of the Trustees of The City University of New York without prior notice.

In the event of any increase in the fees or tuition charges, payments already made to the College will be treated as a partial payment, and notification will be given of the additional amount due and the time and method of payment.
A resident student is a U.S citizen who has had his or her principal place of abode in the State of New York for a period of at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the semester for which the residency determination is made and who states his or her intention to permanently live and maintain his or her principal place of abode in New York State.

A full-time graduate student is one who is enrolled for at least 12 credits or equivalent. A part-time graduate student is one who is enrolled for fewer than 12 credits or the equivalent.

For each student, the tuition and fees due depend on whether he/she will attend full- or part-time, whether or not he/she resides in New York State, and whether he/she is or is not matriculated.

All fees, tuition charges, credits, and course hours listed are subject to correction in the event of error. All fees, calculations, and repeat billings are subject to correction in the event of error. Students will be obligated to pay the correct amount.

The schedule of tuition fees shall apply to all scheduled semesters, regardless of duration, subject to such special tuition fee rates as may be established by the Board of Trustees of The City University of New York. The same policy applies to summer session, except that there is no maximum tuition. Summer session students must pay for all credits or credit equivalents taken.

A child of a member of the permanent staff of The City University of New York, or a child of a deceased or retired member of such staff who had served for more than five years on an annual salary, or a child of an employee of the City of New York or of a city agency who is required to live outside the State of New York in the performance of his or her official duties shall be charged resident rates. The resident rate shall be applicable to a student of another college or university which grants, in exchange, resident rates to a student is of another college within The City University of New York. Evidence of satisfactory educational qualifications must be presented, and the approval of the president of such college within the City University is required.

All recipients of financial aid should be aware that this aid is based upon the personal and financial information that the student provides to Lehman College. In the event that a student is determined not to be eligible, in whole or in part, for any expected financial aid for which he or she has applied, he or she will be held fully responsible for payment of any monies that are due the College for registration. If students withdraw, either officially (by filling out a withdrawal form in the Registrar’s Office) or unofficially (by not attending classes), from any course or courses for which they have registered and a reduction in aid occurs, the student will be held personally responsible for payment of any monies due to the College.

All students who register for a course or courses must sign the statement of student liability and will be held responsible for all tuition and fees associated with their registration. All graduate students are required to pay a Student Activity Fee, Technology Fee, and Consolidated Fee for each semester that they are registered.

Definition of Residency
A resident student is one who has had her/his principal place of abode in the State of New York for a period of at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the semester for which the residency determination is made and who states his or her intention permanently to live and maintain his or her principal place of abode in New York State.

A person who is not a U.S. citizen but meets the residency requirements stated above must provide proof of his/her current immigration status.

Payment Procedures and Refund Policies
Students may pay their tuition and fees with:

- Cash, MasterCard, Visa, money order, bank check, traveler’s check, and personal check, or submitted via the Web (using eSIMS). Students paying by check should make the check payable to Lehman College. The College will not accept second-party checks. The College will not accept a personal check from any student who has previously tendered a check that was returned by his/her bank.

- Financial Aid. Matriculated students who are recipients of aid from the Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) must present proof of their award at the time of registration. They will be required to pay any difference. All recipients of TAP should be aware that a student whose enrollment falls below full-time because of his/her withdrawal from, or the College’s cancellation of, a course or courses will not be entitled to his/her financial aid. Students should consult with the Financial Aid Office as to what impact their action may have on their current semester’s entitlement and future semesters’ awards.

- Employer Voucher. Students who anticipate using an employer voucher for payment of their registration should verify with the Bursar’s Office the acceptability of the voucher prior to registration. Vouchers must provide for immediate payment when billed and cannot be dependent on grades received for the term in question.

CREDIT CARDS: The College now accepts credit cards as defined above.

Graduate Tuition*
New York State Residents

| Matriculated | full-time students | $4,105.00 per semester
| | plus | $74.00 (Student Activity Fee) per semester
| | and | $15.00 (Consolidated Fee) per semester
| | and | $100.00 (Technology Fee) per semester
| Matriculated part-time students: | $345.00 per credit
| | plus | $54.00 (Student Activity Fee) per semester
| | and | $15.00 (Consolidated Fee) per semester
| | and | $50.00 (Technology Fee) per semester

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Residents:
- Full-Time: $5,425.00 per semester
- Part-Time: $460.00 per credit
- Excess Hours: $65.00 per credit
- Maintenance of Matriculation: $170.00 per semester

Nonresidents:
- Full-Time: $8,760.00 per semester
- Part-Time: $730.00 per credit
- Excess Hours: $85.00 per credit
- Maintenance of Matriculation: $280.00 per semester

Additional fees payable by students (applicable only to part-time students):
- Excess Contact Hours:
  - New York State Residents: $65.00 per contact hour
  - Non-New York State Residents: $85.00 per contact hour

Non-New York State Residents, Including Foreign Students:
- Full-time students: $640.00 per credit
  - plus $74.00 (Student Activity Fee) per semester
  - and $15.00 (Consolidated Fee) per semester
  - and $100.00 (Technology Fee) per semester
- Part-time students: $640.00 per credit
  - plus $54.00 (Student Activity Fee) per semester
  - and $15.00 (Consolidated Fee) per semester
  - and $50.00 (Technology Fee) per semester

*Tuition and fees are subject to change by action of the Board of Trustees of the City University of New York.

Non-instructional Fees

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<th>Fee</th>
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<tr>
<td>Graduate Application Fee</td>
<td>$125 (Effective Fall 2005)</td>
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<td>Student Activity Fee</td>
<td>$74 Full-time (Fall and Spring)</td>
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<td>$37 Part-time (Fall and Spring)</td>
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<td>$54 (Summer Session)</td>
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<td>Technology Fee</td>
<td>$100 Full-time (Fall and Spring)</td>
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<td>$50.00 Part-time (Fall and Spring)</td>
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<td>Consolidated Service Fee</td>
<td>$15 (all students without exception)</td>
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<td>Maintenance-of-Matriculation Fee (required to maintain academic status):</td>
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<tr>
<td>New York State residents</td>
<td>$170</td>
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<td>Out-of-state residents</td>
<td>$280</td>
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<td>Special Examination Fee: When make-up final exam for one course is taken after scheduled final class exam</td>
<td>$25</td>
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<td>Each additional makeup exam taken during that semester</td>
<td>$5</td>
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<td>Transcript-of-Record Fee</td>
<td>$7</td>
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<td>(NOTE: No fee is charged for transcripts sent between City University units.)</td>
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<td>Duplicate Bursar Receipt</td>
<td>$5</td>
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<td>Duplicate CUNY Card</td>
<td>$10</td>
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<td>Duplicate diploma or certificate in lieu of a duplicate diploma</td>
<td>$15</td>
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<td>Qualifying Examination Fee (for granting credit for courses taken outside CUNY or for pre- or corequisites waived for required courses, per exam)</td>
<td>$15</td>
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<td>Cooperating Teachers Fee</td>
<td>$25</td>
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<td>Change-of-Program Fee (for students who change their schedule of classes after it has been approved and recorded)</td>
<td>$18</td>
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<td>Late-Registration Fee</td>
<td>$25</td>
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<td>Nonpayment Service Fee (for students who are delinquent in making payment of any amount due after the scheduled due date)</td>
<td>$15</td>
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<td>Readmission Fee</td>
<td>$10</td>
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<td>(NOTE: Students who apply to return to the College after an absence of one semester or more (exclusive of summer session) are required to pay this fee to be readmitted to the same unit. The charge is applicable whether or not a student has taken a formal leave of absence. Not applicable to students who have paid graduate Maintenance-of-Matriculation fees for semesters during which they did not take courses. Readmission is only for Matriculated students.)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Payment Reprocessing Fee</td>
<td>$15</td>
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<td>(Charge for those students who have previously submitted checks payable to the College that were not honored by their banks: students who do not make a check good by a given date will be required to satisfy their obligations and pay the applicable reprocessing fee plus a nonpayment service fee.)</td>
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<td>Cooperating teachers may be granted tuition waivers of up to 6 credits (two valid certificates) per semester, limited to a maximum of 18 credits. For courses for which tuition is waived, charges for excess contact hours are also waived. Tuition waivers may be granted to residents and nonresidents and are applicable to graduate courses and undergraduate courses. (They are exempt from payment of the Student Activity Fee, but must pay the Consolidated Service Fee and Technology Fee.)</td>
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<td>Cooperating teachers who take credits in excess of those waived are required to pay tuition at applicable regular rates for the additional credits.</td>
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Miscellaneous Fees

Parking Fees

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<th>Cars/Motorcycles:</th>
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<td>Day or Evening Session: $55 per semester</td>
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<td>Purchase permit in Shuster Hall, Room 078.</td>
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Breakage: As per damage

Loss of Key: $1.75 (Shuster Hall, Room 031)

Loss of Equipment/Supplies: List Price

Library Fines

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<td>Overdue Books:*</td>
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<td>*General Circulation:</td>
<td>10¢ per day</td>
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<td>*Reserve:</td>
<td>17¢ per minute with a maximum fine of $5.00</td>
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<td>*Study Rooms:</td>
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<td>After initial two-hour period, fines accrue at 5¢ per</td>
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Refunds of Fees

The Student Activity Fee, Consolidated Fee, and Technology Fee, or any part thereof, is not refundable at any time except when the student's registration is canceled because of withdrawal of a course or courses by the College or the student totally withdraws prior to the start of classes and is granted a 100 percent refund of tuition. No portion of any special fee, parking fee, and any fine or penalty fee is refundable.

Refunds of Tuition

Withdrawal and refund requests should be made in the Office of the Registrar (Shuster Hall, Room 114). The date on which this form is completed and filed, not the student's LAST day in class, is the official date of withdrawal that serves as the basis for computing a refund.

Non-attendance in classes does not waive the tuition liability a student incurs at registration. Any student who is unable to file for withdrawal from a course in person may do so by mail. The official date of withdrawal will be the date the letter is postmarked.

The interval between a properly executed application for a refund and receipt of a refund check is usually five weeks. Students dropping courses will be refunded according to the dates within this schedule. Students may receive a 100% of tuition refund for voluntarily withdrawing from a class up to, and not including, the first day of classes. The first day of classes is not the first day of THE STUDENT'S class but, rather, the College's opening day of classes for the semester or session.

As a result of the Higher Education Reauthorization Act, students who are recipients of Federal financial aid are subject to one of the following Federal Refund Policies (subject to change):

Title IV Refunds

Federal Title IV Funds Information: Prorata Refund (subject to change): Effective Fall 2000, CUNY is following the new Federal regulations on the return of Title IV funds.

Federal Prorata refunds will no longer be applicable for first-time and continuing students. The College will calculate how much Title IV aid has been earned by the student based on the period of attendance. The unearned portion of the Title IV funds must be returned to the Department of Education by the College and the student.

All other students are subject to the following tuition refund schedule approved by the Board of Trustees:

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<th>Withdrawal (Fall/Spring)</th>
<th>Refund</th>
<th>Summer</th>
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<td>Before the first day of classes</td>
<td>100%</td>
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<td>Withdrawal to register at another CUNY college</td>
<td>100%</td>
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<td>Through first week of classes</td>
<td>75%</td>
<td>50%</td>
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<td>Through second week of classes</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>25%</td>
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<td>Through third week of classes</td>
<td>25%</td>
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<td>After the end of the third week of classes</td>
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Special Provisions for Students in the Military

The following policies apply to students who leave CUNY to fulfill military obligations.
I) Students called up to the reserves or drafted before the end of the semester:
   a. Grades. In order to obtain a grade, a student must attend 13 weeks (five weeks for summer session).
   b. Refunds. A student called up to the reserves or drafted who does not attend for a sufficient time to qualify for a grade is entitled to a 100% refund of tuition and all other fees except application fees.

II) Students who volunteer (enlist) for the military:
   a. Grades. Same provision as for students called up to the reserves. In order to obtain a grade, a student must attend 13 weeks (five weeks for summer session).
   b. Refunds. The amount of the refund depends upon whether the withdrawal is before the 5th week of classes.
      1. Withdrawal before the beginning of the 5th calendar week (3rd calendar week for summer session): 100% refund of tuition and all other fees except application fees.
      2. Withdrawal thereafter: 50% refund.

III) Other provisions for Military Service:
   a. Resident Tuition Rates. These lower rates are applicable to all members of the armed services, their spouses, and their dependent children, on full-time active duty and stationed in the State of New York.
   b. Re-enrollment of Veterans. Veterans who are returning students are given preferred treatment in the following ways:
      1. Veterans who were former students with unsatisfactory scholastic records, may be readmitted with a probationary program.
      2. Veterans, upon their return, may register even after normal registration periods, without late fees.
      3. Granting of college credit for military service and armed forces instructional courses.
      4. Veterans returning too late to register may audit classes without charge.
   c. Late Admissions. Veterans with no previous college experience are permitted to file applications up to the date of registration, and are allowed to begin classes pending completion of their application and provision of supporting documents.
   d. Readmission Fee. Upon return from military service, a student will not be charged a Readmission Fee to register at the same college.
   e. Veterans Tuition Deferrals. Veterans are entitled to defer the payment of tuition pending receipt of veterans’ benefits.
   f. New York National Guard Tuition Waivers. Active members of the New York National Guard, who are legal residents of New York State and who do not have a baccalaureate degree, are eligible for a tuition waiver for undergraduate study.

Refund of Tuition and Fees to TAP and other Financial Aid Recipients

Students who withdraw during the refund period and have been awarded a full New York State Tuition Assistance Program (TAP) entitlement may elect to use their entitlement as credit toward their current financial liability and, consequently, will forfeit one semester of TAP eligibility; or they may elect to return their TAP award to the Corporation (advantageous only if a small liability is incurred), retain the semester’s TAP eligibility, and reimburse the College for any money due.

- Students who withdraw during the refund period with partial TAP entitlements that are not large enough to cover their tuition liability will be required to pay the difference.
- Students awarded financial aid who change their status from full-time to part-time and vice versa must visit the Financial Aid Office, which will adjust their award.
- Students who withdraw after the refund period may relinquish their TAP entitlement and remaining financial aid award for the withdrawn semester.

Courses with Credit Equivalent Hours

Lehman College courses generally carry a credit value equal to the number of weekly contact hours. In certain courses—generally developmental or compensatory in nature—the number of weekly contact hours may exceed the credit value. These additional contact hours are designated “credit equivalents” or “equated credits.” For courses with credit equivalents, tuition is charged on the basis of contact hours and not of credits. Even if a course offers no credit, it is nevertheless billed according to contact hours. The maximum semester rate applies to these courses alone or in combination with credit-bearing courses.

Financial Aid Programs and Requirements

Information on financial aid is available at www.lehman.edu/financialaid or in the Financial Aid Office (Shuster Hall, Room 136). Both full-time and part-time matriculated graduate students are eligible for a limited number of financial aid programs. Full-time graduate students are those registered for at least 12 credits (or the equivalent) per semester. Part-time students are those registered for at least 6 graduate credits per semester.

All financial assistance awards are subject to student compliance with Federal, State, and/or College regulations concerning satisfactory academic progress and academic standing. For more information, visit www.lehman.edu/financialaid.

Financial Aid is available, in various forms, to full- and part-time undergraduate degree students. Information on application procedures and eligibility requirements may be obtained in the Financial Aid Office, located in Room 136 of Shuster Hall. Call 718-960-8545 or e-mail financialaid@lehman.cuny.edu.

New York State Programs

Tuition Assistance Program (TAP). Only full-time (12 or more credits) graduate matriculants are eligible for this program. To apply for TAP, students should complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the HESC/TAP. Form. Applications are required annually. Application is made by filing a
Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) via the Internet at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Lehman College's Federal Title IV code is 007022. Additional information may be obtained in the Financial Aid Office, Shuster Hall, Room 136, or at www.lehman.edu/financialaid.

The Federal Direct Loan Program provides loans for graduate students who are enrolled for courses totaling at least 6 credits per semester. The maximum amount granted per year is $8,500. Students must first file a FAFSA. Form. An application and additional information may be obtained in the Financial Aid Office, or at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Graduate Assistantships are awarded on the basis of academic ability and achievement. The duties of graduate assistants may include teaching, research, laboratory work, and similar assignments as specified by the student's academic department. Students who are interested in an assistantship should consult the appropriate department chair.

Federal Programs

Federal Perkins Loan Program: Application is made through the Financial Aid Office by filing a FAFSA Application. Loans are available to students enrolled with at least 6 or more graduate degree credits. Repayment is at 5% interest and begins six months after graduation or departure from school, and may extend over a period of ten years.

*NOTE: Students whose Perkins loans have been discharged in bankruptcy are not eligible to receive any further Perkins loans. For more information please go www.lehman.edu/vpstud/finaid/*.

Federal Work-Study Program (FWSP): Application is made through the Financial Aid Office by filing a paper Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or at www.fafsa.gov.ed. The applicant must be enrolled in courses totaling at least 6 graduate degree credits. Students may work up to 20 hours per week when classes are in session.

Veterans Administration (VA) Educational Benefits:
Application Procedures. Application forms are available at all VA offices, active duty stations, and American embassies. Completed forms are submitted to the nearest VA office. In New York City, the Department of Veteran Affairs is located at 245 W. Houston Street, New York, NY 10001.

Educational Programs: The most important categories of Department of Veterans Affairs educational assistance programs are as follows: (a) Montgomery G.I. Bill-Active Duty (Chapter 30), (b) Montgomery G.I. Bill-Selected Reserve (Chapter 106), (c) Veterans' Educational Assistance Program (Chapter 32), (d) Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance Program (Chapter 35), and (e) Rehabilitation (Chapter 31).

Eligibility requirements, entitlements, time limits, and programs of education vary somewhat among the programs identified above. Veterans with questions may consult the Office of the Registrar, Shuster Hall, Room 114.

Supplemental Education Benefits: Tutorial assistance, work-study benefits, VA educational loans, and emergency loans are available to eligible veterans. Applications should be secured from the VA. The Veterans Affairs Office is located in the Office of Student Affairs, Shuster Hall, Room 238.
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Academic Facilities

The Leonard Lief Library

The Leonard Lief Library is housed in a modern, four-story building, with an online catalog and circulation system (CUNY+) and access to over 65 networked electronic periodical indexes and full-text databases. More than 150 state-of-the-art computer workstations are available for student use, most with full Internet access. The Library’s home page (www.lehman.edu/provost/library/index.htm) provides links to CUNY+, licensed electronic resources, and websites of interest to researchers. These electronic resources are available to the Lehman community from off-campus as well as on-campus locations.

The open-stacks book collection of 572,000 volumes is supplemented by 713,500 microforms and a growing collection of 5,391 films and videotapes. The Library subscribes to 1,535 print periodicals and over 13,000 electronic journals. It is a designated depository for State and Federal government documents. The Library collection supports course work on undergraduate and graduate levels. Interlibrary loan and electronic document delivery are available to support research by graduate students and faculty.

In addition to general and specialized non-circulating reference collections, the Library has a well-used reserve collection that includes current textbooks. Specialized service areas include a periodicals room, laboratory classrooms equipped with audiovisual and computer equipment, and the Bronx History Archives. The Library’s state-of-the-art computer labs are used both as classrooms for research training and as open labs providing students with access to the Internet, word processing, and spreadsheets. The Fine Arts Collection contains an extensive collection of records, music, and multimedia CDs, as well as audiotapes and videotapes that can be studied and enjoyed at individual carrels equipped with headphones and video monitors. The Education Library contains K-12 curriculum materials, the ERIC microfiche collection, a special teaching collection of children’s books, and computer workstations. The Assistive Technology Center, located on the second floor, provides a variety of specialized computer services available to all.

Reference librarians and student tutors are available to assist students during Library hours. Librarians offer, by appointment and on a drop-in basis, class orientations and bibliographic instruction covering the most important research tools in all areas of the curriculum. Students may register for free workshops in a variety of computer applications.

The Library can seat 1,200 people; attractive lounge areas are scattered throughout the building. A limited number of private study rooms are available for small groups of students who wish to study together. Admission to the Library requires a currently validated Lehman College ID Library hours may be obtained by calling 718-960-7766.

Computer and Instructional Technology Facilities

The College has recently established a new Division for Information Technology, which oversees the development of IT infrastructure and the coordination of IT operations and services across the campus. IT support for students, staff, and faculty is coordinated through the Technology Coordinators in different schools and a College-wide IT support group in the Department of Information Technology Resources (ITR), and provided by a team of computer and network specialists in specialized department labs, school offices, and the centralized ITR facilities.

The Department of Information Technology Resources provides access to centralized computing and related technologies in support of the College’s instructional, research, and administrative activities. Lehman’s Information Technology Center (ITC) is located on the plaza level of Carman Hall. The facility houses nine PC and Macintosh computer labs for course instructions, an open lab with over 100 computers for student use, shared printing facilities, multimedia meeting or conference rooms, and a help desk. A dedicated faculty development lab, also managed by ITR, is located in the Library.

The entire ITC facility is networked on a high-speed backbone providing access to the Internet and campus network services, including electronic mail, the World Wide Web, and web-based applications, such as the CUNY Portal and its related resources and services; the Blackboard online teaching and learning environment; online course registration; and remote library and specialized departmental resources. Wireless access to the network is also available throughout the campus. The facility supports two-way interactive video distribution. Access from off-campus is available for many of these resources through an Internet service provider.

Facilities for video conferencing and distance learning include a distance learning satellite broadcast and reception studio/classroom under the auspices of HETS (the Hispanic Educational Telecommunications System, of which Lehman College is a founding member); a high-speed video distance learning classroom connected to EdNet (part of New York City’s institutional network and the three public high schools adjacent to Lehman, and a distance-learning classroom with smart whiteboard presentation and video conferencing capabilities (created under the University’s Media Distribution System).

Lehman’s role as the central hub of the Bronx Information Network also affords Lehman students an opportunity to take
advantage of the resources of other educational, medical, and
dependable institutions in the Bronx. A systematic effort is also under
way to convert many of lecture halls and classrooms into
technology-enhanced or smart classrooms.

ITR makes available specialized equipment for disabled students.
All rooms are accessible for persons with disabilities, and
specialized hardware and software for visually or hearing-
impaired persons are provided. Students and staff may also use the
facilities of the Assistive Technology Center, located in the
Library.

Other specialized services and facilities include graphic and
scanning services and a media conversion lab to assist faculty in
developing electronic-based course materials. ITR staff members
provide consulting, documentation, technical assistance, and
educational services to the Lehman community.

The Media Technology Group of ITR, also housed in Carman
Hall, provides equipment and technical aids for the production of
media presentations using photography, graphics, films, and
slides. A multimedia technology center offers video and
multimedia facilities designed to augment traditional audiovisual
services.

In addition to the centralized facilities, individual academic
divisions or departments operate computer labs to support
discipline-specific applications, such as a graphics-based
computer lab and a 3-D printing facility in the Department of
Anthropology; three Computer Graphics and Imaging Labs in the
Department of Art; a cutting-edge Laboratory of Geographic
Information Technologies in the Department of Earth,
Environmental, and Geospatial Sciences; a multimedia language
laboratory in the Department of Languages and Literatures;
multiple facilities for radio, television, and film productions in the
Department of Journalism, Communication, and Theatre; and
specialized computer labs in the School of Education, the School
of Continuing and Professional Studies, and the Departments of
Biological Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science, Nursing,
Sociology, and Social Work. The Library, the Academic Support
Center, the Science Learning Center, the CUNY Macaulay Honors
College at Lehman, and the Student Leader Computer Center also
have significant computer resources available.

Students may request information about IT resources and
services, including ITC hours of operation and technical
assistance, by phoning 718-960-7333, sending an e-mail to
helpdesk@lehman.cuny.edu, or visiting the ITR Open Center
(Carman Hall, Room 111) or the ITR website at
www.lehman.edu/itr.

The Language Laboratory
The Department of Languages and Literatures has one multimedia
language laboratory. The laboratory, which is located in Carman
Hall, Room B-37, has twenty-eight networked computers and
software programs that correspond to the texts used to study the
languages taught at Lehman. The computers in this laboratory
have high-speed connection to the Internet, sound cards, headsets,
CD/DVD players, and microphones. In addition, a set of special
software programs from Tandberg is installed: Imperata, Divace
Solo, and Library Pilot.

- Imperata is used for classroom management. It can be used to
  monitor student activities, provide mouse/keyboard
  control/collaboration between a pair of student computers, and
  share individual computer screens. Additional features include
  the creation of special files called electronic portfolios. An
  electronic portfolio contains all of the elements an instructor
  requires to conduct class sessions in a computer lab: a view of
  the classroom; lesson plan objectives; relevant links to the
  Internet or other shared directories; the ability to upload
  files/folders; and the operations used for managing a classroom
  in a computer environment.

- Divace, which stands for Digital Interactive Audio Video
  Recorder, allows students/instructors to play audio/video and
  also to record and author their own audio material.

- Library Pilot currently functions as a database for online links
to language-related websites.

These computers are also linked to a digital video server; students
can study from the language software stored on the server and
digitally record their voices for oral and audio practice.

Accommodation is provided for visually impaired and disabled
students. Zoomtext, used to magnify text, is installed on one
computer. The software Jaws, used by blind individuals, is
installed on one computer. One computer station is designed to
accommodate an individual using a wheelchair.

Advanced Imaging Labs
The Art Department, in conjunction with Lehman’s Department
of Mathematics and Computer Science, has established three
advanced imaging labs in the Fine Arts building. One lab (in Fine
Arts, Room 047) contains twenty up-to-date Mac work stations
with new Epson Flatbed Scanners, a Nikon Supercool Film/Slide
Scanner, and a Xerox 7700 color printer. A second lab (in Fine
Arts, Room 006) contains fifteen Mac work stations with Epson
flatbed scanners. These teaching labs give students the
opportunity to learn digital imaging, desktop publishing, webpage
design, computer animation, advanced 3-D modeling, and
multimedia interactive programming. In addition, a third lab (in
Fine Arts, Room 006), dedicated to advanced student and faculty
digital imaging, contains several Macintosh G5 computers and
printers and additional high-end digital imaging and large-format
printing equipment.

Science Laboratories
Significant research and training facilities are available in the
Lehman science departments.

In the Department of Biological Sciences, the Phytochemistry
Laboratory is a newly renovated facility in Davis Hall (Room 119).
It is fully equipped with instruments used for the identification
and purification of natural products, including a gas
chromatograph, high-performance liquid chromatographs
(HPLC), and a liquid chromatograph–mass spectrometer (LC-
MS). The Molecular Biology Research Facility contains
sophisticated instrumentation for molecular biology, cellular
biology, and biochemical research. The equipment includes a
D.N.A. synthesizer, HPLCs, ultracentrifuges, high-speed centrifuges, phosphorimager, scanning spectrophotometers, electrophoresis systems for a protein and nucleic acid analysis and DNA sequencing, and computers for integration with the instrumentation. Bioimaging facilities include a confocal microscope, fluorescence microscopes, and scanning and transmission microscopes. There is a recently built research greenhouse, as well as an older greenhouse.

A Biological Sciences Computer Center is integrated into the research instruments in the Biological Sciences Department and enables students to learn how to operate state-of-the-art scientific instruments. The Center has real-time videoconferencing capabilities to allow faculty to incorporate research results and access the Internet while teaching courses.

Noteworthy research equipment and facilities in the Department of Chemistry include nuclear, magnetic, and electron paramagnetic resonance spectrometers, uv-visible and Fourier transform infrared spectrophotometers, gas, and high-pressure liquid mass-spectrometer-interfaced chromatographs, teaching and research labs, and a student computing facility.

The Department of Physics and Astronomy is conducting cutting-edge research in nanoscience, quantum optics, and string theory. Undergraduate and graduate students are involved in research that is supported by grants from the National Science Foundation, the U.S. Department of Energy, and the U.S. Department of Defense.

The Department of Anthropology houses extensive human and primate osteologic and fossil cast collections. A computer graphics-based student laboratory, established with a National Science Foundation grant, lets students access these collections for virtual study and research. The Department also houses the Metropolitan Forensic Anthropology Team, which advises regional Medical Examiners' offices on cases involving unidentified human remains.

All these departments and researchers have easy access to the academic computing facilities at the College as well as the mainframe computer at the City University Computer Center.

Instructional Support Services Program

The Instructional Support Services Program (ISSP) is dedicated to facilitating the academic development of Lehman students at the graduate level. The program provides tutoring, workshops, and additional resources to support classroom learning. The ISSP provides instructional support through the Academic Center for Excellence (ACE), located in the Old Gym Building, Room 205, and the Science Learning Center (SLC), located in Room 133 of Gillet Hall. See www.lehman.edu/issp.

New York Botanical Garden

Under an agreement with CUNY, a number of staff members of the New York Botanical Garden offer courses in Lehman’s Department of Biological Sciences. This arrangement makes specialized material, equipment, and collections available to Lehman students and provides facilities for research under exceptionally favorable conditions. The Museum of the Botanical Garden contains a library of about 65,000 volumes; a herbarium with some three million specimens, which provides excellent opportunities for research in taxonomy, ecology, and phytogeography; and special rooms for the cryptogamic collections. The collection of living plants on the grounds and in the greenhouses provides a wealth of material, with approximately 12,000 species represented.

The Bookstore

The Bookstore, located on campus between Davis and Carman Halls, provides the required faculty-chosen textbooks and related course materials. It also carries a large line of academic software, a comprehensive trade section of general interest books, and school supplies. The College community may shop for compact discs, select remainder books on sale at up to seventy percent off list price, and purchase Lehman apparel and other products, including snacks, candies, sundries, and soda. Items in the Bookstore are also available for purchase online at www.lehmanbookstore.com.

Fine and Performing Arts Facilities

Lehman Center for the Performing Arts

Lehman Center for the Performing Arts' 2,310-seat Concert Hall is the borough’s premier performance space. Critics have called it “acoustically perfect.” With a modern 2,400-square foot stage and a hydraulic orchestra pit, the Center presents outstanding classical, popular, and folk/ethnic dance, music, and theatre companies from around the world. Special, culturally diverse community celebrations enhance the Center’s offerings. The Center has also served as the site of numerous public programs and debates of national interest. Lehman students are offered discounted tickets for most events, as well as opportunities to work as ushers and apprentice stagehands. Examples of artists who have recently performed at the Center include El Gran Combo, Virsky Ukrainian National Dance Company, Smokey Robinson, Jimmy Cliff, Trinity Irish Dance Company, Nickelodeon’s Blues Clues Live, and the gospel musical "Your Arms Too Short to Box With God."

Lehman Stages

Lehman Stages is a performance and rehearsal facility at Lehman College, comprised of the Lovinger Theatre, the Studio Theatre, the Student Experimental Theatre (or "SET"), and the Dance Lab @ Lehman.

Part of the Bronx for over two decades, the facilities that comprise Lehman Stages have served as an invaluable cultural resource for the Bronx and the larger New York City community. Lehman Stages is dedicated to the creation and presentation of performing arts programming of all disciplines, with a special focus on education and cultural diversity. Lehman Stages aspires to be an artistic touchstone for emerging artists of all backgrounds and a training facility for the College's theatre and dance program. The facilities also provide low-cost rehearsal, performance, and
conference space for arts, civic, and government organizations throughout the metropolitan area.

**Recital Hall**

The Music Building houses the 150-seat Recital Hall, which is used by music students and music faculty members throughout the academic year. There are also individual practice rooms for music students, as well as larger rehearsal halls for groups such as the Community Band and Lehman College and Community Chorus. Many recitals are given at noontime in the Recital Hall and attended by the public during the lunch hour. The Lehman College Chamber Players, the Lehman College Jazz Ensemble, and the Lehman College Brass Ensemble are among the groups performing noon-time concerts.

**Lehman College Art Gallery**

The Lehman College Art Gallery is located in the Fine Arts Building designed by renowned architect Marcel Breuer. The Gallery presents innovative contemporary art in two striking exhibition spaces. Education is an integral component of exhibition programming and provides the basis for the Gallery's outreach—from young students to senior citizens. New technologies offer a means of reaching audiences internationally as well as locally and provide creative new venues for artists. The Gallery's website, featuring Bronx Public Art, highlights an extraordinary collection of public art from the WPA to contemporary projects.

**Student Life Facilities and Programs / Services**

**Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs**

The Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs (Shuster Hall, Room 206) is concerned with all aspects of student life and provides numerous services for Lehman undergraduates, from orientation for incoming students to arranging the College's annual commencement.

The Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs is available to assist students with academic and personal issues, as well as to advise student organizations and extracurricular groups. Specialized counselors advise students on questions regarding financial aid (Shuster Hall, Room 136, phone 718-960-8545); personal issues (Old Gym Building, Room 114, 718-960-8761); and job placement, part-time work opportunities, and other career-related matters (Shuster Hall, Room 254, phone 718-960-8366). Other services are also provided through the Registrar's Office, the International Students Office, the Center for Special Student Services, the Student Health Center, and the Child Care Center.

**The APEX**

The APEX is a $57 million recreation and sports facility that provides 165,000 square feet of multidimensional, multipurpose space. It houses the College's intercollegiate and intramural athletics program, as well as classrooms and dance studios for the academic program in dance theatre. The chief attraction of the APEX—a 50-meter, eight-lane swimming pool—has provided a new level of opportunity for the sport of competitive swimming in the metropolitan area. It is used for both national and international athletic competitions, while also supporting Lehman's many academic, recreation, intramural, and community outreach activities.

The APEX has two gymnasiums, one for intercollegiate athletics with a seating capacity of 1,350, and the other for recreational and intramural use. Other key features of the building include: four racquetball courts, free weight room, cardiovascular fitness center, a training room, an equipment room with laundry facilities, saunas, locker rooms, dance and ballet studios, and an indoor running track.

The College also has five outdoor tennis courts and soccer, softball, and baseball fields. Alumni, College staff, and community members as well as Lehman students may use athletic facilities in accordance with College rules and regulations.

**Intercollegiate Athletics**

Lehman College is a member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III, the City University of New York Athletic Conference, the Northeast Collegiate Volleyball Association, the Metropolitan Collegiate Swimming Association, and the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference. Students are encouraged to join athletic teams, many of which participate in local league competition. Standards for participation and rules governing the sports are those of the National Collegiate Athletic Association and various local and district conferences. The eligibility requirements for Lehman College are as follows:

- Athletes must be full-time matriculated students, i.e., carrying twelve (12) credits.
- Athletes must have and maintain a 2.0 index.

Competition is held in the following: baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, softball, swimming, tennis, indoor and outdoor track and field, and volleyball. In addition there are conference, regional, and national championship competition in all intercollegiate programs. City University championship tournaments are conducted in baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross country, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, indoor and outdoor track and field, and volleyball.

**Intramural Athletics**

The intramural program provides a wide variety of activities of a competitive and recreational nature in which students, staff, and faculty may participate. Organized activities are scheduled throughout the year in men's, women's, and coeducational teams. These are conducted during free hours on Wednesdays from 3 to 5 p.m. and on Fridays from noon to 1 p.m. Supervised recreational facilities are made available as often as possible for informal use by the Lehman College community. The following intramural activities are available: basketball, soccer, softball, swimming.
tennis, and volleyball. The Intramural-Recreation Office is located in Room 253 of the APEX.

Recreation Opportunities
Supervised hours for recreation in the APEX pool, fitness center, auxiliary gym, aerobics room, and racquetball courts are provided as often as possible for informal use by faculty, staff, and students. The schedule for these facilities varies somewhat from semester to semester and may be obtained in Room 251, APEX. The APEX is open Mondays through Fridays during the academic year from 7 a.m. until 10 p.m. On Saturday, the building is open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., and on Sunday from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. Students may use the APEX free of charge; for others, a yearly membership fee is required. Additional information and use schedules are available in Room 251 or by calling 718-960-1117.

The Office of Campus Life
The Office of Campus Life, located in the Student Life Building, implements a comprehensive student development program that complements the academic experience. Programs include an annual Leadership Development Retreat for student officers, a Community Service Fair, and biannual blood drives, as well as special interest seminars and receptions.

The Office of Campus Life also serves as a resource for all student clubs funded through the student activity fee. In association with CASA (Campus Association for Student Activities) and the Programming Board, the office promotes thematic programs such as Black History Month, Women’s History Month, and Latino Heritage Month. Activities within these programs range from concerts to poetry readings. Staff of the office are available to all matriculated students who might be interested in existing or new student clubs.

The Student Life Building is a two-story facility that contains thirty-two student club offices, the campus radio station WHLC, and other facilities. Adjacent to the south baseball field, the building is open from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Monday through Thursdays and from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Fridays. Matriculating students are welcome to use the game room, TV room, student lounge, or conference rooms. On the upper level, a copying/fax service is available to all members of the Lehman community. Student club members are also free to use the computer resources for creating club posters and announcements. A wireless network and laptop rental program are available to registered students.

The Cafeteria
The Student Cafeteria’s contract operator offers food and catering services to the Lehman College community. Hot and cold dishes are available at moderate prices from 7:30 a.m. to 8:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday. Schedules vary when class is not in session. Current schedules may be obtained by calling 718-960-1175.

The main student cafeteria, in the lower level of the Music Building, has a seating capacity of 800. A café is located in Carman Hall and serves fast food and casual meal items. The hours of operation for the café are the same as those of the student cafeteria. For the convenience of students, a varied selection of vending machines is also available both in the Carman Hall Café and the Student Cafeteria.

The Office of Career Services
The Career Services Center (Room 254, Shuster Hall, 718-960-8366) assists students in preparing for the realities of the workplace and acquiring employment after graduation. Through its computerized online listings and postings, students have access to full-time positions in private, public, and non-profit organizations. The Center also provides students with expanded services through its state-of-the-art computer lab, which includes interactive career assessment programs and online information systems.

The Career Services Center offers individual career counseling, job readiness workshops (résumé writing, interviewing, job search strategies), job referrals, internship opportunities, and on-campus recruitment activities with various employers.

The Financial Aid Office
Located in Room 136 of Shuster Hall, the Office of Financial Aid assists students with all aspects of financing their education, including planning and meeting the expenses associated with attending the College. Information is available on financial assistance programs and on how to maintain eligibility for Federal, State, and City award programs. Financial Aid professionals will work closely with students and their families to put the cost of a Lehman education within reach.

The Office also provides students with expanding services through a computer lab, located in Shuster Hall, Room 131. Students may use the lab to access and complete various online financial aid-related applications. For more detailed information, visit www.lehman.cuny.edu/financialaid.

The Speech and Hearing Center
The Speech and Hearing Center provides diagnostic and therapeutic services to members of the Lehman community and the surrounding region who have hearing or speech-language problems. Services are delivered by graduate-student clinicians under the close supervision of speech language pathologists and audiologists who are certified by ASHA (the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association) and licensed by New York State.

Located in the Speech and Theatre Building, the Center is well equipped to deliver a wide range of diagnostic and therapeutic services. The clinic operates during the academic year. Students test hypotheses on the patient population, as well as develop diagnostic and therapeutic skills. The clinic has units for individual and group therapy, and facilities for student research. Devices for assisting the hearing impaired are available for evaluative purposes.

The Student Health Center
The Student Health Center is located in the T-3 Building, Room 118. The Center offers a wide range of services, including primary
and acute care and treatment, urgent care, women’s health services, required and elective immunizations, and annual athletic and job physicals. Basic laboratory services and pharmaceuticals are also available. Health awareness outreach is a key focus.

The Student Health Center is supported by the Student Activity Fee and, therefore, most services are free or are offered at a significantly reduced cost.

Office hours during the academic year are 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. Monday, Thursday, and Friday and 9 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday. A mid-level practitioner is available at all times. Students with valid IDs may use the services of the Center on an appointment basis. Sick walk-in patients are accommodated. For additional information and appointments, call 718-960-8900.

The Counseling Center

Individual counseling services and group workshops are available to all undergraduate and graduate students. Trained professionals and peer counselors offer confidential assistance with personal obstacles to growth, including difficulties with academic performance, anxiety, time and stress management, depression, family and relationship problems, disordered eating, substance abuse and alcoholism, and other issues of everyday life. Day or evening appointments may be arranged by contacting the Counseling Center at 718-960-8761 or by visiting the Center (Old Gym Building, Room 114).

The Child Care Center

The Lehman College Child Care Center has relocated to its new home on Goulden Avenue between Davis Hall and Shuster Hall. Designed by Brooklyn-based Garrison Architects, the $6.3 million structure includes 12,000 sq. ft of space. It now accommodates up to 140 children in its various all-day and after-school programs, double the capacity of the previous center. The new center features six classrooms; a multipurpose room that can function as a playroom, after-school space or additional classroom; and a natural playground incorporating greenery, boulders and garden space, along with traditional playground equipment. A lobby atrium provides an open stairway to the second floor and skylights that offer a natural ventilation system, as air heated by incoming sunlight is exhausted through the atrium ceiling.

Lush, green vertical gardens, visible from the classrooms, line the east and west facades of the structure and offer both shade and greenery during summer months, while large glass sliding doors bring in daylight for classroom spaces. Materials throughout the center have been chosen for durability and recycled content, continuing a College and CUNY commitment to sustainability.

The center is wheelchair-accessible, with a path of travel from Goulden Avenue to Davis Hall constructed in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and enabling easy access to Davis Hall, the Child Care Center and the rest of the campus.

The center is licensed by the New York City Department of Health, Bureau of Day Care, and accredited for over ten years by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. Childcare services during the day are provided for two-to-five-year-olds. Evening programs for children aged five to nine are available to parents attending evening classes at Lehman. Students enrolled in Saturday classes may enroll their four- to nine-year-old children in the Center’s Saturday program. Enrollment is based on available spaces and dated applications from a waiting list. The Center has also begun a Sunday program for parents taking classes or involved in other campus activities, such as tutoring or study groups.

Students interested in additional information about the Center, including current rates for full-time and part-time childcare, as well as for the after-school and weekend programs, may call 718-960-8746 for more information.

Student Disability Services

The Office of Student Disability Services provides accommodations to Lehman students who provide documentation of a disability. The services include, but are not limited to: advocacy and advisement, assistance during registration, individual test administration, library assistance, tutoring and note-taking, provision of technical equipment, and referrals to outside agencies. In providing these services, the Office arranges for the hiring of trained specialists, such as sign language interpreters, note-takers, tutors, scribes, readers, proctors, and a learning disability specialist.

In addition, specialized technical equipment is available for a wide range of special needs. This equipment includes the following assistive technology: computers, special software such as ZOOM TEXT (enhances print on the computer monitor), JAWS (vocalizes typed material), tape recorders, talking calculators, and reading machines. The Office of Special Student Services is located in Shuster Hall, Room 238, 718-960-8441, TTY 718-960-8931. For more information, visit www.lehman.edu/vpstud/spstudentserv.

International Student Services

The International Student Adviser’s office is located in Shuster Hall, Room 210. The International Student Adviser provides assistance with immigration matters as they apply to students in F and J visa status. The Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services’ Certificate of Eligibility will be provided to international students upon completion of all admission requirements and receipt of the required financial documents. The Certificate of Eligibility (I-20) is issued only after an international student has been admitted into a full-time degree program and has documented sufficient financial resources to study and live in the United States. For additional information, telephone 718-960-7274 or e-mail ann.o.sullivan@lehman.cuny.edu.
Curricula and Course Offerings
Lehman College courses are identified by a three-letter abbreviation (known as an "Alpha Code"), followed by a three-digit number. The letters designate the subject area. Courses in the Biological Sciences may have decimals after the three-digit number. Doctoral courses in the Biological Sciences carry the four-letter designation "BIO U."

Cross-Listed Courses
A cross-listed course is one that is administered and offered jointly by two (or more) departments. There is only one syllabus for the course.

An example of how these courses are listed by the two (or more) departments is the following:

- **HEA 625 (FCS 674): Seminar in Human Sexuality**
- **FCS 674 (HEA 625): Seminar in Human Sexuality**

The department in which the course is to be credited for each particular student is decided at the time of registration for the course and is so indicated on the student's record. This designation may not be changed subsequently.

Course Levels
- **500 level**: Courses on this level are graduate courses for students with undergraduate majors in a different discipline.
- **600, 700, and 800 levels**: Courses on these three levels are graduate courses for students who have completed at least 18 credits of undergraduate work in the area of graduate specialization.
  - The levels are distinguished as follows:
  - **600 level**: Graduate courses open to qualified undergraduates.
  - **700 level**: Graduate courses intended primarily for master's degree candidates.
  - **800 level**: Courses intended primarily for doctoral candidates.

The letter "U" preceding an 800-level course indicates that the course has been approved as part of City University's doctoral curriculum.

NOTE: Selective courses listed in each department or program may not be given in academic years 2013-2014 and 2014-2015. For more information, contact the department or check the Schedule of Classes distributed prior to each semester.

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Anthropology

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The Department of Anthropology offers courses of interest to people with bachelor's degrees, pursuing a variety of careers, including teaching, the health professions, museum work, and business.

Courses in Anthropology

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

3 hours, 3 credits. (For students who have had no previous course work in cultural anthropology.) General introduction to the various fields of anthropology. Discussion of basic anthropological concepts. Comparative study of cultural and societal components, such as the economy, kinship, social groupings, political organization, religion, and ideology.

*ANT (SOC) 510: Culture and Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Education and child training in selected societies. The bearing of the principles of social anthropology on contemporary problems of education.

*ANT (SOC) 520: Interculture Relations.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of diverse cultural patterns; nature of culture change, directed and nondirected; critical examination of case studies.

ANT 525, 530, 535, 540, 545, and 555: Ethnology of Selected Areas.
Each 3 hours, 3 credits. The comparative study of cultures and societies. Analysis of ecological, economic, sociopolitical, and ideological systems.

North America
Latin America
Africa

Middle East
India
Southeast Asia

ANT (PRS) 550: Comparative Study of Puerto Rican Cultures.
3 hours, 3 credits. Ethnographic analysis of modern communities in Puerto Rico; effects of urbanization, industrialization, and tourism. Comparative analysis of Puerto Rican culture in New York, and evaluation of the educational process in each culture.

ANT 560: Introduction to Museology.
3 hours, 3 credits, plus museum work to be arranged. Study of the museum field, including the concept and functions of the neighborhood museum; restoring and preserving material; assembling, planning, installing, and labeling exhibits; and training in gallery talks and lectures.

ANT 570: Human Evolution.
3 hours, 3 credits. Origin and development of the order Primates, with special emphasis on hominid evolution.

ANT 580: Ethnographic Field Methods.
3 hours, 3 credits. Training in the techniques of ethnography, including observation and interviewing, through classroom and individual projects. PREREQ: *ANT 501 or undergraduate course in introductory anthropology.

*ANT 630: Culture Change.
3 hours, 3 credits. Anthropological analysis of rapidly changing sociocultural conditions in selected societies.

ANT 650: Language, Culture, and Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. The anthropological study of language. Study of the situational, social, and cultural meanings of messages and message forms. The ethnography of communication. PREREQ: *ANT 501 or permission of instructor.

ANT 651: The Anthropology of Literacy.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination from an anthropological perspective of the origins and development of writing systems and of literacy practices in Western and non-Western societies. Topics include: oral vs. literate societies; debate over the social, cultural, and cognitive consequences of literacy; ethnographic approaches to literacy acquisition and development. PREREQ: *ANT 501 or permission of instructor.
The Department of Art offers three graduate degree programs: Master of Arts in Art, Master of Fine Arts in Art, and Master of Arts in Art Education (N-12).

**M.A. Program in Art**

**Admission Requirements**
- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to pursue graduate study successfully, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B- in Art courses and a minimum grade average of B- in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Have earned a minimum of 33 undergraduate credits in Art. This total must include one 3-credit survey course in Art History and 6 additional credits in Art History.
- Complete an interview with the Department and submit a portfolio and/or photographs or slides of recent student work.
- Submit two letters of recommendation from college instructors.
- If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year.
- **Personal Interview.** An appointment for a personal interview with the graduate coordinator and adviser can be made through the Art Department Office after the application for admission has been filed and approved.
- Applicants must then present examples of their work—either originals, photographs, or color transparencies—for final approval.

**Degree Requirements**

Students are required to select an area of specialization from either painting, graphics, sculpture, ceramics, or digital media. They must earn 12 credits in their area of specialization, 6 credits in elective courses, and 9 credits in Art History. In addition, master’s project ART 746 must be taken in the student’s area of specialization for 3 credits during the final semester in the program. The electives will be selected (in consultation with the Graduate Adviser) from among ART 702, 710, 738, 740, 742, and from courses in painting, graphics, and sculpture (in those areas outside the student’s own specialization).

Students are required to elect the following areas as part of the first 18 credits toward the M.A. degree: 6 credits in Art History (any of the offerings), 6 credits in electives, and 6 credits in their area of specialization. After a student has completed the first 18 credits in the program, the Art Department will conduct a review of the work and determine the student’s ability to continue in the M.A. program.

**M.F.A. Program in Art**

A Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.) in Art degree is offered in ceramics, digital media, graphics, painting, and sculpture. This program is intended for students who have demonstrated ability for independent work of high quality in one of the four fields.

**Admission Requirements**
- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to pursue graduate study successfully, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in Art courses and a minimum grade average of B- in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Have earned a minimum of 33 undergraduate credits in Art. This total must include one 3-credit survey course in Art History and 6 additional credits in Art History.
- Complete an interview with the Department and submit a portfolio and/or photographs or slides of recent work.
- Submit two letters of recommendation from college instructors.
- If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year.
- **Personal Interview.** An appointment for a personal interview with the graduate coordinator and adviser can be arranged through the Art Department Office after the application for admission has been filed and approved.
- Applicants will then need to present examples of their work—either originals, photographs, or color transparencies—for final approval.
- Applicants will be reviewed by the department’s M.F.A. Committee.
- Upon acceptance, the student and his/her work will be reviewed each semester by the M.F.A. Committee, which is authorized to approve or refuse continued study in the program or to place a student on probation. Each case of probation will be subsequently reviewed at mid-semester.

**Degree Requirements**

Students must select an area of specialization from among ceramics, digital media, graphics, painting, and sculpture. They must earn 12 credits in their area of specialization and 12 credits in electives, plus 9 credits in Art History. In addition, Master’s Project ART 748 and 750 must be taken in the student’s area of specialization for a total of 12 credits in the final two semesters of the program. Electives will be selected (in consultation with the Graduate Adviser) from among ART 702, 704, 710, 738, 740, and 742, and from courses in digital media, graphics, painting, and sculpture (in those areas outside the student’s own specialization).

Students must elect the following areas as part of the first 18 credits toward the M.F.A. degree: 6 credits in Art History (any of the offerings), 6 credits in electives, and 6 credits in their area of specialization.
specialization. Once a student has completed the first 18 credits in the program, the Department will conduct a review of the work and determine the student’s eligibility to continue in the M.F.A. program.

**M.A. Program in Art Education (Pre-K-12)**

This program is designed for students who seek a Master’s degree leading to initial New York State certification in teaching Art, Pre-K-12. (Previously certified students interested in professional certification should seek the M.A. in Studio Art.) Candidates have two advisers: the Graduate Adviser in the Art Department and the Art Education adviser in the School of Education. Candidates are required to enroll in the Education sequence of courses immediately upon entry into the program.

**Admission Requirements**

- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having attained a minimum grade average of B in the undergraduate record as a whole and an average of B in courses most relevant to the graduate discipline.
- Have earned at least 33 undergraduate credits in Art. This total must include one 3-credit survey course in Art History and 6 additional credits in Art History.
- Each applicant must submit a graduate-level portfolio of recent work consisting of 15-20 digital images in JPEG format that is accompanied by an image script, which details the Title, Size, Medium and Date of each image. The portfolio should demonstrate an area of focus.
- Submit two letters of recommendation from college instructors.
- If conditionally admitted, students must make up not more than 12 credits of specified undergraduate coursework, starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
- Submit scores on the appropriate New York State teacher certification examinations.

**Degree Requirements**

Students are required to finish 45 credits (18 credits in Art / Art History and 27 credits Education / Art Education) as follows:

**Required Studio Art and Art History Courses from the Art Department (18):**

Three ART courses in Studio Art at the 700-level chosen in conjunction with the Graduate Art Adviser (9 credits)

ART 746: Master’s Project (3 credits)

Two ARH courses in Art History chosen in conjunction with the Graduate Art Adviser (6 credits)

**Required Education Courses from the Department of Middle and High School Education and the Department of Early Childhood and Childhood Education (27):**

ESC 506 (or equivalent): Special Needs Education in TESOL and Secondary Settings (3 credits)
ESC 509: Language and Literacies Acquisition in Secondary Education (3 credits)
EDE 716: Learning and Teaching Art in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6* (3 credits)
ESC 714: Teaching Art in Middle and High School (3 credits)
ESC 735: Curriculum, Research, and Current Issues in Art Education (3 credits)
ESC 596: Student Teaching in the Middle and High School Grades (3 credits)
ESC 612: Seminar in Secondary and TESOL Student Teaching (3 credits)

*Prereqs/coreqs waived.

**Courses in Studio Art**

**ART 607: Fundamentals of Ceramic Hand Building.**

4 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of basic hand building techniques; nature of clay and its unique properties explored in both functional and nonfunctional ways; and historical and cultural uses of clay. PREREQ: None.

**ART 612: Introduction to Digital Imaging.**

4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Introduction to the creation of art and imagery using computers and digital media. Production of a portfolio of images for presentation. (No previous computer experience required.)

**ART 613: Two-Dimensional Design for Digital Media.**

4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Digital tools for the design and production of two-dimensional graphics and type for the printed page and electronic media. Emphasis on the principles of typography and the history of graphic design and reproduction. PREREQ: ART 612.

**ART 617: Fundamentals of Wheel Thrown Ceramics.**

4 hours, 3 credits. Wheel throwing skills to create ceramic forms using a potter’s wheel.

**ART 621: Computer Modeling and Design.**

4 hours (2, lab; 2, lecture), 3 credits. An introduction to the theory and practice of two- and three-dimensional modeling and rendering. Design and mathematical concepts will be explored in the lecture room, on the computer, and in the studio. Topics include primitive objects, transformations, curve creation and manipulation, symmetries, surface creation and modification, and basic rendering. PREREQ: One of the following: ART 612, ART 312, ART (CGI) 221, or permission of the instructor.

**ART 622: Computer Modeling and Design II.**

4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Advanced surface modeling with consideration of continuity of surfaces and their tangents and curvature. Evaluation techniques, construction planes, and modeling workflow. Creation of computer models from two-dimensional views and three-dimensional models. PREREQ: ART 621 or ART (CGI) 321.
ART 702: Advanced Problems in Design I.
4 hours, 3 credits. A studio for design, with emphasis on
contemporary concepts. Students will be given the opportunity to
carry out problems in a specialized field of design.

ART 703: Advanced Digital Media I (Interface Design).
4 hours, 3 credits. An advanced studio devoted to the exploration
and critical discussion of digital media. Topics may include, but
will not be limited to: physical computing; digital imaging; the
Internet and the World Wide Web; 3D modeling and animation;
multimedia; digital audio; digital video; creativity and technology;
information design; interface design; identity design; interaction
design; networks; scripting; visualization; and professional
development.

ART 704: Advanced Problems in Design II.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 702 for description.

ART 707: Advanced Ceramics I.
4 hours, 3 credits. Technical, structural, and scientific
understanding of the use of clays and glazes. Variety of hand-
building and wheel-throwing techniques to produce functional
and sculptural forms. PREREQ: ART 107 and ART 307, or ART
607 and ART 617, or equivalent.

ART 710: Advanced Drawing.
4 hours, 3 credits. Study of various drawing techniques and their
application to problems in the area of specialization.

ART 712: Advanced Painting I.
4 hours, 3 credits. A studio for painting, with individual criticism.
Special attention is given to the creative disciplines of
contemporary painting. The studio work is accompanied by
discussions of theories and influences of the modern movements
in art.

ART 713: Advanced Digital Media II (Interaction Design).
4 hours, 3 credits. This course is an advanced studio devoted to
both the exploration and critical discussion of a broad range of
digital media and their multiple interactions. PREREQ: ART 703:
Advanced Digital Media I (Interface Design).

ART 714: Advanced Painting II.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 712 for description.

ART 716: Advanced Painting III.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 712 for description.

ART 717: Advanced Ceramics II.
4 hours, 3 credits. Advanced hand-building and wheel-throwing
techniques, emphasizing design and conceptual ideas.
Development of glazes, underglazes, and color palates through
scientific experiments and firing techniques. Study of historical
and contemporary ceramic work. PREREQ: ART 707.

ART 718: Advanced Painting IV.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 712 for description.

ART 722: Advanced Sculpture I.
4 hours, 3 credits. Development of creative expression in sculpture,
including research projects in various sculptural media.

ART 723: Advanced Digital Media III (Identity Design).
4 hours, 3 credits. This course is an advanced studio devoted to the
design of identity. From simple business logos to entire public
relations campaigns, identity design is an area of intense debate
and discourse. Exploration and critical discussion of digital
media's role in advertising, politics, art, and personal identity are
all areas of discussion. PREREQ: ART 703: Advanced Digital
Media I (Interface Design).

ART 724: Advanced Sculpture II.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 722 for description.

ART 726: Advanced Sculpture III.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 722 for description.

ART 727: Ceramic Sculpture.
4 hours, 3 credits. Design and construction of fired ceramic
sculpture. PREREQ: ART 707 or ART 107 and ART 307 or
equivalent.

ART 728: Advanced Sculpture IV.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 722 for description.

ART 730: Advanced Printmaking.
4 hours, 3 credits. Development of an individual body of work and
studio practice through printmaking techniques, including
silkscreen, relief, intaglio and lithography. Technical
demonstrations may include traditional, experimental, and digital
printmaking methods; professional formats; and critical
discussions of prints.

ART 731: Applied Imaging and Applications to the World
Wide Web I.
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Concepts and techniques
underlying the World Wide Web, including image processing,
two-dimensional graphics, and computer science. PREREQ or
COREQ: ART 738.

ART 732: Advanced Printmaking II.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 730 for description. Students enrolled
in this course may choose to focus on different techniques than
were demonstrated in ART 730.

ART 733: Advanced Digital Media IV (Information Design).
4 hours, 3 credits. This course is an advanced studio devoted to the
conceptual process of information design. It will involve the
exploration and critical discussion of a wide variety of digital
media. PREREQ: ART 703.

ART 734: Advanced Printmaking III.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 730 for description. Students enrolled
in this course may choose to focus on different techniques than
were demonstrated in ART 730 and 732.

ART 736: Advanced Printmaking IV.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 730 for description. Students enrolled
in this course may choose to focus on different techniques than
were demonstrated in ART 730, 732, and 734.

ART 737: Advanced Ceramics III.
4 hours, 3 credits. Advanced individual projects using
architectural, sculptural, and design concepts in clay. Emphasis on
contemporary trends and developments in the ceramic field.
PREREQ: ART 717.
ART 738: Advanced Photography I.
4 hours, 3 credits. Creative and technical aspects of photography: independent projects in camera techniques; darkroom processing and printing.

ART 740: Advanced Photography II.
4 hours, 3 credits. See ART 738 for description.

ART 741: Applied Imaging and Applications to the World Wide Web II.
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Advanced methods of motion graphics, action Scripts (programming), QuickTime, imagery, sound, interactivity, animation techniques, and design. PREREQ: Permission of instructor.

ART 742: Independent Research.
4 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated for credit up to a maximum of 9 credits, with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Studio work under guidance of a faculty member. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

ART 746: Master’s Project.
3 credits (required of all M.A. candidates). Individual project in the student’s area of specialization.

ART 748: Master’s Project.
6 credits (required of all M.F.A. candidates). Individual project in the student’s area of specialization. Credit for ART 748 will not be granted unless ART 750 has been completed.

ART 750: Master’s Project.
6 credits (required of all M.F.A. candidates). Continuation of individual project in the student’s area of specialization. PREREQ: ART 748.

ART 752: Advanced Two-Dimensional Design for Digital Media.
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. (May be repeated for a maximum of 6 credits). Emphasis on two-dimensional design projects for production. Completion of a professional portfolio of projects suitable for presentation. PREREQ: ART 613.

4 hours, 3 credits. Issues in contemporary art and the primary components of today’s art practice through a series of off-campus visits to galleries, museums, artists' studios, and talks with working artists, critics curators, and other arts professionals.

ART 757: Special Topics in Studio Art.
4 hours, 3 credits. A course on topics such as botanical illustration, animal sculpture, architectural rendering, etc. that are not covered by existing courses. PREREQ: Any 700-level course in a related skills area (e.g., painting, sculpture, computer imaging). (May be repeated for a maximum of 9 credits with Graduate Adviser’s permission.)

Courses in Art History

ARH 751: Primitive Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. The art of prehistoric and preliterate peoples, with emphasis on African, Oceanic, and pre-Columbian art.

ARH 753: Modern Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. Twentieth-century painting and sculpture in Europe and America.

ARH 757: Renaissance Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. The art of the High Renaissance and the evolution of Mannerism.

ARH 775: Seminar — The Art of Africa.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. Selected topics in African art, with emphasis on the form, cultural context, and history of art among various tribal groups south of the Sahara.

ARH 777: Seminar — The Art of the South Pacific.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. Selected topics in the art of the South Pacific, with emphasis on the form, cultural context, and history of art among the tribal peoples of Australia, Indonesia, Melanesia, Micronesia, and Polynesia.

ARH 779: Impressionism and Post-Impressionism.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. Seminar in a selected topic of Impressionism or Post-Impressionism. Topic will vary in different semesters.

ARH 781: Seminar in Contemporary Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. Research topics related to recent developments in painting and sculpture.

ARH 783: Independent Research.
15-45 hours, 1-3 credits. Research in art history under the guidance of a faculty member.

ARH 791: Theory and Criticism of Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. A study of the methods of judging works of art qualitatively in different periods and cultures.

ARH 797: Special Problems in the History of Art.
30 hours, plus confs., 3 credits. (May be repeated for credit with Departmental permission.) Seminars in special topics will be announced at the start of each semester in which the course is given.

Course in Art Education

ESC 735: Curriculum, Research, and Current Issues in Art Education.
3 credits, 3 hours. Contemporary issues and approaches to art education. Research project relates student’s art production, curriculum development, and philosophical approach to art education and children’s artwork.
Biological Sciences

Chair: Liesl B. Jones (Davis Hall, Room 215)
Adviser: Joseph W. Rachlin (Davis Hall, Room 233)
Department Faculty and Staff:
Professors: Edward Jarroll, Edward J. Kennelly, Dwight T. Kincaid, Martin Muntzel, Joseph W. Rachlin, Eleanore T. Wurtzel; Associate Professors: Hai-Ping Cheng, Liesl B. Jones, Zhi-Liang Zheng; Assistant Professors: Gabriel O. Aisenberg, Maryam Bamshad-Alavi, Stephen Redenti, Renuka Sankaran, Moira Sauane; Lecturers: Ayanna Alexander-Street, Judith FitzGerlad; Chief College Laboratory Technician: Michael Baxter; Senior College Laboratory Technician: James Lee, Katherine Lieberman, Christina West

- Master of Arts in Biology.
- Master of Arts for Secondary School Teachers of Biology and General Science.
- The City University of New York’s Graduate School and University Center offers courses and research training leading to the Ph.D. degree in biology. Students may specialize in zoology or in the plant sciences. The specializations in plant sciences for the University are offered primarily at Lehman College, in affiliation with the New York Botanical Garden. Students in this program may obtain the M.A. as a degree “en route” to the Ph.D. Requirements for admission and further information may be found in the Bulletin of the Graduate School of The City University of New York.

Program in Biology

Admission Requirements
- A bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to pursue graduate study successfully — that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in the field selected for the graduate major and a minimum grade average of B- in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Have completed a major in biology, chemistry, physics, or an allied field.

With Undergraduate Specialization in Biology:
Candidates whose undergraduate major was in biology must have completed: (1) one year of organic chemistry, with laboratory; (2) one year of college physics; and (3) either one year of calculus or one semester of calculus and a semester of statistics.

With Undergraduate Specialization in Chemistry, Physics, or Allied Field:
Candidates whose undergraduate major was in either chemistry, physics, or an allied field must have completed: (1) the equivalent of an undergraduate minor in biology; (2) one year of organic chemistry, with laboratory; (3) one year of college physics; and (4) either one year of calculus or one semester of calculus and a semester of statistics. In addition, they must submit up to three letters of recommendation and, if conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year.

Degree Requirements

All students (matriculated or nonmatriculated) should consult with the Departmental Graduate Adviser regarding their programs. The following three tracks toward the Master of Arts degree are available:

- Independent Laboratory Research (Track A). (30 credits)
A student may elect to substitute 3 to 6 credits in original laboratory research (BIO 799.1, 799.2, and 799.3) for 3 to 6 credits of coursework. When a student is ready to select a research problem, a research advisory committee of faculty members will be established in consultation with his or her thesis adviser, to guide the investigation. A thesis based on this research must be defended satisfactorily in an oral presentation prior to its submission in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Master of Arts. Approved copies of the thesis must be deposited in the Lehman College Library and the Department of Biology.

- Comprehensive Examination (Track B). (30 credits)
Students who select this track must complete 30 credits and then must pass a comprehensive examination (which is the CUNY Doctoral Program in Biology’s First Examination). Passing this examination will not only meet the requirements for the Master of Arts degree but also qualify the student to proceed into the CUNY Doctoral Program in Biology. A grade of 65 is deemed a passing grade to meet the requirements for the Master of Arts degree, while a grade of 70 is the minimal passing grade that will allow the student to proceed into the CUNY Doctoral Program in Biology (subject to satisfactory meeting of other admission requirements).

- Tutorial (Track C). 34 credits.
A student must include 4 credits of tutorial (BIO 792.2) as part of 34 credits required in this track. This tutorial is performed under the supervision of a member of the graduate faculty in Biological Sciences. It is intended to involve the student in the performance of a carefully supervised project. The project may involve research in the laboratory, a library review of relevant topics, or a combination of the two. The results of this project will be written and submitted to the Department of Biological Sciences in partial fulfillment of the requirements of the master’s degree. This document will become part of the departmental library.

Academic Probation and Continuation

All graduate students whose GPA falls between 2.7 and 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. See the College’s graduate policies and procedures regarding probation and continuation.

Graduate students in Biological Sciences degree programs whose GPA falls below 2.7 will not be eligible for probation and may only continue in their program upon successful appeal to the Graduate Studies Committee.
Students who received a failing grade in a course and have a cumulative GPA between 2.7 and 3.0 will only be granted one semester to make sufficient progress towards degree completion and bring the GPA back up to 3.0 or above. Students may not continue in any course for which the failed course is a prerequisite. If the GPA is not raised to a 3.0 or above by the end of the next registered semester the student will be asked to discontinue their program of study.

Students, who receive two failing grades in any of the courses satisfying the degree curriculum, will not be eligible for probation and will be asked to discontinue their program of study.

Program for Secondary School Teachers of Biology and General Science

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the ability to pursue graduate study successfully. (Above-average academic achievement in general and in the teaching specialization is required.)

- Students in the program for Secondary School Teachers of Biology and General Science must have completed a major in the life sciences. The preparation must include at least 24 credit hours in the biological sciences (appropriately distributed), including an introduction to genetics. Additional required preparation on the college level consists of one year each of chemistry, physics, and mathematics. Advisable college-level preparation includes one year of earth sciences, one course in probability and statistics, and one course in organic chemistry. The candidate must also have completed 12 credits in secondary education courses and one semester of student teaching (or its equivalent).
- If conditionally admitted, students must make up not more than 12 credits of specified undergraduate coursework, starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
- Up to three letters of recommendation.

Degree Requirements

- Students in the graduate curriculum will be required to complete the following minimum work: (1) four courses in the biological sciences; (2) one course in chemistry; (3) one course in physics; and (4) courses totaling 9 credits in secondary education, possibly to be chosen from ESC 700, 701, 702, 703, and/or 772.
- Students who have not completed one year of undergraduate earth sciences will take either geology, astronomy, or both.
- Additional courses are listed under the Departments of Chemistry, Earth, Environmental, and Geological Sciences, and Physics and Astronomy. A minimum total of 30 credits must be completed to earn the degree.

Dual Degree: B.A./M.S. in Biology

Students enrolled in the B.A./M.S. degree program have the opportunity to earn both a Bachelor of Arts degree and a Master of Science in Biology degree in as little as five years. The curriculum is composed of two tracks that allow students to choose between Track One: Tutorial Option and Track Two: Thesis Option.

5-Year Combined B.A./M.S. Biology

TRACK 1: TUTORIAL OPTION

(Year 1-4) 120 credit B.A. in Biological Sciences. Winter and Summer Sessions must be used. In the first and second year, students must take the math, chemistry, and physics prerequisites.

(Year 4) Three, 4 credit (12 credits) M.S. courses taken for dual credit in both degrees. Student graduates in June.

(Year 5) Enrolled in M.S. program in tutorial track (34 credits, 12 of which are satisfied in year four, which includes 4 credits of BIO 792.2). Students may graduate by September 1.

34 M.S. Credits in Track 1

(12 credits) Three M.S. courses in year 4 (For example: BIO 634: Cell Biology and Electron Microscopy, BIO 618: Problems in Ecology, BIO 644: Biological Chemistry)

(16 credits) Six M.S. courses in year 5 (For example: BIO 646: Statistics for Biological Research, BIO 642: Molecular Biology, BIO 710: Microbial Physiology, BIO 630: Seminar in Biology, BIO 660: Seminar in Biology)

(6 credits) Two tutorial courses in year 5 (BIO 792.1 and BIO 792.2)

TRACK 2: THESIS OPTION

(Year 1 - 4) 120 credit B.A. in Biological Sciences. Winter and Summer Sessions must be used. BIO 489 (taken twice). BIO 490 in senior year. In years 1-2 student must take the math, chemistry & physics prerequisites.

(Year 3) Research adviser chosen in Spring term.

(Year 4) 12 credits three M.S. courses taken for credit in both degrees. Must take BIO 489 in Fall and BIO 489 & BIO 490 in Spring. Graduation in June with Honors, having completed a research project under faculty sponsor.

(Year 5) Enrolled in M.S. program in thesis track (30 course credits, 12 of which are satisfied in year 4). BIO 799.1 (1 credit) and 799.2 (2 credits) with possibility of BIO 799.3 (3 credits). Defense of thesis and graduation by September 1.

30-32 M.S. Credits in Track 2

(12 credits) Students must take three M.S. courses in year four (For example, BIO 634, BIO 618, BIO 644)

(12-14 credits) Students must take three- four M.S. courses in year 5 (For example, BIO 646, BIO 642, BIO 710, BIO 660)

(6 credits) Students must take three thesis research courses (BIO 799.1, 799.2, & 799.3)
Note 1: This program will allow the students to finish 1-2 years earlier than they would if they did a separate B.A. followed by a M.S. Additionally, this program provides students with extensive research experience, which will make them more competitive for jobs and graduate doctoral programs and medical programs.

Note 2: To be eligible for the 5-year program, all students must demonstrate an interest in, demonstrated achievement in, or affinity for biology. This will be determined by having a minimum of 48 semester hours of mathematics and sciences study, including MAT 175 with a GPA of 3.0. Candidates must apply to the program no later than the first semester of their junior year and may apply as early as the second semester of their sophomore year.

The accelerated pace is made possible by offering qualified students the opportunity to take masters level courses during their final year of undergraduate work. Students qualify by demonstrated attainment of a GPA of 3.0 in mathematics and science coursework as well as a GPA of 3.25 in the major through the first three years of study, and by completing all of the necessary prerequisites for those courses, which will ensure that they are prepared for graduate-level work.

M.A. Level Courses in Biology

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

**BIO 501: Special Topics in Biology.**
2-4 hours, 2-4 credits (variable). (For students whose undergraduate major was not biology). Basic biological principles and their application to living organisms. This course may be repeated twice with the approval of the Graduate Adviser.
PREREQ: One year of college biology.

**BIO 599: Studies in Biology.**
4 hours, 4 credits. Advanced, in-depth study and research of a specialized topic in Biology that is not covered by existing courses. (May be elected for a maximum of 8 credits.) PREREQ: Approval of the Departmental Graduate Adviser.

**BIO 610: Mammalian Physiology.**
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Principles of integration and maintenance of homeostasis in mammals, including the activity of the nervous, endocrine, cardiovascular, renal, and digestive systems. Related laboratory experiments.

**BIO 611: Problems in Microbiology.**
3 hours, 3 credits with lab. (For students who are teaching or plan to teach science or biology in secondary schools.) Reading and projects based on recent developments in microbial cytology, growth, metabolism, variation and dissociation, host/parasite relations, antibiotic, and other associations, e.g., with studies taken from bacteria, fungi, and viruses. PREREQ: One course in bacteriology or microbiology, one year of college chemistry, and one year of college physics.

**BIO 612: Plant Growth and Development.**
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. A molecular approach to physiological processes in autotrophic organisms, with emphasis on photosynthesis, phytochrome-mediated developmental responses, and hormonal regulation of cell and tissue differentiation.

**BIO 618: Problems in Ecology.**
6 hours (2 lecture, 4 lab), 4 credits. Recent advances in ecology; population and community interactions; the nature of the niche; endangered species; threats to the biosphere; and possible modes of recovery. Laboratory and greenhouse experiments involving intraspecific and interspecific competition in conspecifics. Fieldwork pertaining to soils and community analyses and to forest dynamics.

*BIO 621: Special Topics in Physiology.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Recent advances in integrative, cellular, and molecular physiology. Areas include information transfer in the cell, enzyme activity, muscle and nerve function, and mechanisms of hormone action. Laboratory work is designed to enable students to acquire skill in relevant biological techniques. PREREQ: One year of college biology (physiology recommended), a half-year of college physics, and one year of college chemistry (organic chemistry recommended).

*BIO 626: Protozoology.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Biology of the protozoa, including morphology, physiology, and systematics of both free-living and parasitic forms. Consideration of phylogeny and ecology, life history, and epidemiology of selected protozoa. Laboratory includes identification, collection, culturing, and staining; emphasis on current techniques and their applications for basic research.

**BIO 630: Seminar in Biology.**
1 hour, 1 credit. (May be taken twice, to a maximum of 2 credits.) Reports on and discussion of selected topics.

**BIO 634: Cell Biology and Electron Microscopy.**
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Structure and ultrastructure of plant and animal cells and cell organelles as revealed by microscopic, electronmicroscopic, cytochemical, and enzyme-cytotoxic methods.

**BIO 635: Neurophysiology.**
3 hours, 3 credits. A general consideration of nervous systems, excitable membrane physiology, synapses, sensory receptors, trophic function, regeneration of nervous tissue, and behavior. PREREQ: One undergraduate course in animal physiology; one year of organic chemistry.

**BIO 636: Neurophysiology Laboratory.**
4 hours, 2 credits. The laboratory will introduce the students to instrumentation and neurophysiological techniques. The experiments will examine bioelectricity, receptor processes, central processes, behavior, and regeneration. PRE- or COREQ: BIO 635.
BIO 642: Molecular Biology.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Structure and function of biological macromolecules. The synthesis of DNA in vitro and in vivo, the transfer of information from DNA to RNA, and the translation of informational RNA into protein. The genetic code and basic principles of molecular genetics will also be included. The laboratory will introduce students to basic techniques in molecular biology, including sterile technique, bacterial growth, gel electrophoresis, restriction enzyme digestion, bacterial transformation, and cloning techniques.

BIO 644: Biological Chemistry.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Introduction to the chemistry and metabolism of compounds of biological importance. Studies of carbohydrates, lipids, amino acids, proteins, nucleic acids, vitamins, coenzymes, enzymes, and hormones; their interrelationship with each other; and their metabolism, biosynthesis, and significance in biological systems. PREREQ: One undergraduate course in organic chemistry.

BIO 646: Statistics for Biological Research.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Biostatistical principles and methods for experimental biologists. Statistical planning of experiments, collection of data, randomization, elementary factorial analyses, analysis of variation, and regression.

BIO 701: Biological Systematics.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. A study of the theoretical basis and methodologies of each of the current schools of systematics, and the arguments used by each school in uncovering the phylogenetic relationships between organisms. Topics will include Aristotelian essentialism, evolutionary systematics, phenetics, cladistics (phylogenetic systematics), transformed (pattern) cladistics, monophyly, paraphyly, polyphlyy, parsimony, homology, homoplasy, character state analysis, and polarity. The role of paleontological data in phylogenetic reconstruction will be explored. Students will use the methods learned to construct cladograms and phylogenetic relationships from a variety of data sets, and learn how to use data in resolving phylogenetic and biogeographic relationships.

BIO 710: Microbial Physiology.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Organization of physiological processes in microorganisms, including structure, energy-yielding mechanisms, macromolecular biosynthesis, growth, and regulation.

*BIO 719: Physiology and Taxonomy of Fungi.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. A survey of the major groups of fungi; special problems in fungal physiology; fungi in general physiology; and morphological, ultrastructural, and biochemical approaches to fungal taxonomy and phylogeny. Fungi and human affairs.

BIO 722: Vertebrate Endocrinology.
3 hours, 3 credits. A comparative study of endocrine systems in the vertebrates with special emphasis on neuroendocrinology, and the endocrine control of cellular activities, metabolism, and homeostasis. PREREQ: An undergraduate course in mammalian physiology or in comparative animal physiology.

BIO 724: Cell Physiology.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Regulatory and integrative aspects of biochemical processes at the cellular level that contribute to the general and specialized functions of living cells. Representative areas include the cell and its organelles, energy metabolism, and cellular redox potentials; bioelectric phenomena; protein structure and specificity and its relation to cellular differentiations; and membrane structure and transport processes. Lab will include work with intact and cell-free systems to demonstrate physiological and biochemical properties of living cells as well as model systems to demonstrate principles.

*BIO 726: Physiology and Biochemistry of Differentiation.
3 hours, 3 credits. The factual and hypothetical aspects of protein synthesis. Its relation to cytodifferentiation and the regulation of gene activity is considered from the viewpoint of cellular control mechanisms. Evidence will be considered that selected vitamins, minerals, and cofactors may have critical roles in the regulation of protein synthesis at the level of transcription and translation.

*BIO 740: Virology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Quantitation, molecular architecture, and chemistry of bacterial, plant, and animal viruses. The physiology of virus-host interactions, with emphasis on viral nucleic acid replication, and the control of viral genetic expression. PREREQ: BIO 642 (or equivalent).

*BIO 744: Special Topics in Biological Chemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced and in-depth studies of specialized topics of current interest in biological chemistry. PREREQ: One graduate course in biological chemistry.

*BIO 746: Biology of Aquatic Organisms.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Biological relationships of aquatic organisms with their freshwater and marine environments, stressing community, population, life histories, and behavior in natural and altered aquatic environments.

BIO 750: Comparative Physiology and Biochemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. A systematic comparison of the physiological and biochemical phenomena of life throughout the phylogenetic scale.

BIO 792.1: Tutorial.
2 hours, 2 credits. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

BIO 792.2: Tutorial.
4 hours, 4 credits. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

BIO 799.1: Thesis Research.
1 credit. Independent laboratory investigation. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission. (This course may be repeated with special permission of the Graduate Adviser.)

2 credits. Independent laboratory investigation. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission. (This course may be repeated with special permission of the Graduate Adviser.)

BIO 799.3: Thesis Research.
3 credits. Independent laboratory investigation. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission. (This course may be repeated with special permission of the Graduate Adviser.)
PH.D. Level Courses in Biology

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

BIO U706.01: Plant Systematics: Lecture.
2 hours, 2 credits. The philosophical basis of the classification of organisms and the relationships of phylogeny to taxonomy. The nature of species, genera, and higher taxa. The significance of data from various biological disciplines in the establishment of taxonomic systems. The historical development of plant classification.

BIO U706.02: Plant Systematics: Laboratory.
4 hours, 2 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Plant Systematics: Lecture.

BIO U706.05: Taxonomy of Vascular Plants: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. Consideration of current and historical systems of classification of extant tracheophytes at the level of families and higher taxa.

BIO U706.06: Taxonomy of Vascular Plants: Laboratory.
4 hours, 2 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Taxonomy of Vascular Plants: Lecture.

BIO U706.10: Biological Systematics.
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. While the theoretical basis and methodologies of each of the current schools of systematics will be discussed, the course will stress the basis and use of phylogenetic principles (cladistics) for developing topologies of terminal taxa from appropriate data matrices. There will be discussions of the concepts of species, monophyly, paraphyly, polyphyly, parsimony analysis, homology and homoplasy, as well as character selection, character state analysis, and polarity. Students will read classic and current papers from both the botanical and zoological literature to show the modern use of both morphological and molecular data in resolving phylogenetic and biogeographic relationships. Students will learn how to calculate the Wagner Algorithm and to use appropriate computer programs, i.e., WinClada and PAUP, for data analysis.

BIO U710.15: Plant Molecular Biology: Lecture.
2 hours, 2 credits. DNA and protein structure transcription, translation, nuclear and cytoplasmic gene regulation, chromatin structure, transposable elements, plant genetic engineering, plant viruses.

BIO U710.16: Plant Molecular Biology: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. Students will use plant tissues while learning many basic molecular techniques, such as DNA and RNA hybridization, gene cloning, and chloroplast isolation.

BIO U714.03: Cell Biology.
2 hours, 2 credits. Structure and ultrastructure of plant and animal cells and cell organelles as revealed by microscopic, electron-microscopic, cytochemical, and enzyme-cytochemical methods.

BIO U722.01: Endocrine Physiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Influence of the endocrine system on membrane transport and cellular processes; endocrine regulation of reproduction, growth, metabolism, and homeostasis.

BIO U722.02: Laboratory in Endocrinology.
6 hours, 3 credits. Modern laboratory techniques used in endocrine research involving surgery on small mammals, radioisotopes, and biochemical methods to follow the action of hormones at a molecular or cellular level. PRE- or COREQ: BIO U722.01.

BIO U730.01: Plant Physiology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. Physiological phenomena of plants, with emphasis on growth and development. PREREQ: Plant physiology and biochemistry or instructor's permission.

BIO U730.02: Plant Physiology: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Problems in Plant Physiology: Lecture.

BIO U745.01: Phytochemistry: Lecture.
2 hours, 2 credits. Study of the organic constituents of plants. Biosynthetic mechanisms characteristic of plants, with emphasis on those peculiar to plants. Survey of secondary products with emphasis on medicinally important plant compounds.

BIO U745.02: Phytochemistry: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Phytochemistry: Lecture.

BIO U752: Plant Morphogenesis: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theories of plant development based on interpretations of physiological processes, biochemical reactions, and morphogenetic behavior of cells, tissues, and organs undergoing growth and differentiation. The interaction of internal and external factors affecting the development and patterns of growth in plants. PREREQ: Plant physiology and cytogenetics. Recommended: Comparative Morphology of Vascular Plants and Phytochemistry.

BIO U752.01: Plant Morphogenesis: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Plant Morphogenesis: Lecture.

BIO U754.01: Comparative Morphology of Vascular Plants: Lecture.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Comparative Morphology of Vascular Plants: Lecture.

BIO U754.02: Comparative Morphology of Vascular Plants: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Problems in Plant Physiology: Lecture.

BIO U761.05: Fishes and Fisheries Biology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. A study of the statistical methods for the investigation of forms and structures as related to phylogeny among the tracheophytes, with special emphasis on the comparative morphology and evolution of reproductive structures.

BIO U765.02: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of Vascular Plants: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Comparative Morphology of Vascular Plants: Lecture.

BIO U765.02: Fishes and Fisheries Biology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. Modern laboratory techniques used in endocrine research involving surgery on small mammals, radioisotopes, and biochemical methods to follow the action of hormones at a molecular or cellular level. PRE- or COREQ: BIO U722.01.
BIO U761.06: Fishes and Fisheries Biology: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits. Students will field collect in both freshwater and marine environments. Collections will be worked up using standard fisheries science techniques to evaluate diet, growth parameters, and population dynamics. Analysis of data will be turned in as a final term project. PRE- or COREQ: Fishes and Fisheries Biology: Lecture.

2 hours, 2 credits. Examination of ecological processes as they operate in the marine environment. Broad topics will be explored, such as factors affecting primary and secondary production, population dynamics, intra- and specific interactions, resource partitioning in time and space, community structure, and interactions at the community level.

BIO U761.14: Marine Ecology: Laboratory.
4 hours, 2 credits. PRE- or COREQ. Marine Ecology: Lecture.

BIO U762: Physiological Ecology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits.

BIO U762.01: Physiological Ecology: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits.

*BIO U763: Experimental Parasitology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits. An ecological and physiological approach to the study of host-parasite relationships. Discussion will concentrate on recent advances in the field.

*BIO U763.01: Experimental Parasitology: Laboratory.
4 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis will be placed on the applications of modern procedure to the study of parasitic organisms. PRE- or COREQ: Experimental Parasitology: Lecture.

BIO U764.03: Plant Ecology: Lecture.
3 hours, 3 credits.

BIO U764.04: Plant Ecology: Laboratory.
6 hours, 3 credits.

*BIO U765.01: Paleobotany: Lecture.
2 hours, 2 credits. Paleobotanical principles based on geologic evidence and phylogenetic interpretation of paleobotanical materials. The origin of land plants. Morphological and floristic aspects of fossil floras from the Paleozoic on, with emphasis on the Devonian to the Tertiary. Functional and practical problems in paleobotany.

*BIO U765.02: Paleobotany: Laboratory.
4 hours, 2 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Paleobotany: Lecture.

BIO U770.03: Cytology: Lecture.
2 hours, 2 credits. Micro- and ultrastructure; function; and behavior of organelles of plant and animal cells as revealed by microscopic, electron-microscopic, and cytochemical analysis.

BIO U772.00: Electron Microscopy Cytology: Laboratory.
8 hours, 4 credits. PRE- or COREQ: Cell Biology: Lecture.

BIO U780.01: Mathematical Biology: Lecture.
4 hours, 3 credits. Biometry data analysis and graphics.

BIO U780.02: Mathematical Biology: Laboratory.
4 or 6 hours, 2 or 3 credits. Biometry data analysis and graphics.

BIO U791: Colloquium.
1 hour, 1 credit. Students attend weekly seminars and have discussions with speakers.

BIO U792: Tutorial.
4 hours, 4 credits.

BIO U792.01: Advanced Study.
Each semester 2 or 4 hours, 2 or 4 credits.

BIO U793.01, 793.02, and 793.03: Seminar in Special Topics.
Each semester. 2 hours, 2 credits.

BIO U899: Independent Doctoral Research.
1 credit.
Chemistry

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The Department of Chemistry participates in the Biochemistry, Biology, and Chemistry doctoral programs of the Graduate School and University Center of The City University of New York. A description of these programs, including admission requirements, may be found in the Bulletin of The Graduate School of The City University of New York. Non-laboratory courses are usually given at the Graduate Center. Research leading toward the doctoral degree may be pursued at either Lehman College or any of the other senior colleges of the City University.

Courses in Chemistry

CHE 542: Advanced Inorganic Chemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. A course in modern inorganic chemistry emphasizing the theoretical aspects that should prove useful to high school science teachers. Topics will include atomic theory, ionic and covalent bonding, transition metal chemistry, solvent systems, and acid-base behavior. Concepts will be illustrated with examples from descriptive inorganic chemistry. PREREQ: One year of general chemistry.

CHE 544: Biochemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the principles of biochemistry. Topics will include the relationship between the three-dimensional structure of proteins and their biological activities; the basic concepts and design of metabolism; biological membranes and compartmentation; nucleic acids and the storage, transmission, and expression of genetic information. PREREQ: Organic chemistry and general biology.

CHE 548: Special Topics in Modern Organic Chemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. A course designed for high school science teachers who seek to update their background in organic chemistry. Topics will include: the organic chemistry of the origins of life; polymer chemistry; chemistry of pharmaceuticals such as antibiotics, analgesics, steroids, and vitamins; and pheromone chemistry. PREREQ: One year of organic chemistry.

CHE 549: Instrumental Methods of Analysis.
5 hours (lecture, lab), 3 credits. An introduction to the theory and instrumentation used in modern chemical analysis. Topics will include aqueous and nonaqueous acid-base equilibria; ion-exchange methods; ion-selective electrodes; mass spectrometry; and selected spectroscopic and electrophoretic methods. PREREQ: One semester of quantitative analysis or its equivalent.

CHE 560: Selected Topics in Chemistry.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course gives the Department an opportunity to offer a course in chemical demonstrations or various other topics of current importance in chemistry (e.g., spectroscopy, modern theories of chemical reactions, and applications of group theory to chemistry). PREREQ: General chemistry; others as appropriate.

BIOCHEM U711.01: Basic Laboratory Techniques in Biochemistry.
8 hours laboratory, 4 credits.

BIOCHEM U810: Seminar in Biochemistry.
15 hours, 1 credit (maximum 5 credits). Required of all students.

BIOCHEM U820: Research toward the Doctoral Dissertation.
Credits variable. Required of all doctoral students. PREREQ: The First Doctoral Examination described in the Bulletin of The Graduate School of The City University of New York. Other courses can be found in this same Bulletin.
Counseling, Leadership, Literacy, and Special Education

Chair: Faith Deveaux (Carman Hall, Room B20A)
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The Department of Counseling, Leadership, Literacy, and Special Education offers the following programs:

- Master of Science in Education, Counselor Education
- Master of Science in Education, Educational Leadership
- Advanced Certificate, Educational Leadership
- Master of Science in Education, Literacy Studies: Early Childhood Education
- Master of Science in Education, Literacy Studies: Childhood Education
- Master of Science in Education, Literacy Studies: Middle and Adolescent Education
- Master of Science in Education, Literacy Studies: Adult*
- Master of Science in Education, Early Childhood Special Education
- Master of Science in Education, Childhood Special Education
- Master of Science in Education, Adolescent Childhood Special Education

M.S.Ed. Program in Counselor Education

Lehman offers a CACREP and NCATE accredited, 48-credit graduate program in Counselor Education. Graduates of the 48-credit Counselor Education program are eligible for initial and permanent School Counselor Certification in New York State. Counselor Education students are also encouraged to pursue national school counselor certification through the National Board of Certified Counselors and the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. Counselor Education faculty and students collaborate with Bronx and other New York City borough-based and suburban K-12 public and private schools, as well as college counseling and community-based organizations.

Students enrolled in Lehman’s Counselor Education program are introduced to a comprehensive body of knowledge. The program focuses on the professional counselor’s leadership roles in collaboration with teachers, administrators, families, caregivers, health professionals, community resource networks, and others to promote equity and success for all children, youth, and families through delivering specific competencies to all students and helping to close achievement, opportunity, and attainment gaps in K-12 schools.

School Counselors learn to be advocates for social justice and follow the professional counseling codes of ethics and standards of practice to empower culturally and linguistically diverse students. Interventions made by counselors in school, community, and family systems acknowledge the importance of lifespan development and social change in promoting academic, career, college, and interpersonal access, equity, and success for all students and families. Students demonstrate professional school counseling, consultation, advocacy, leadership, and technology competencies throughout their course assignments at K-12 school-based experiences including practicum and internship, and through a professional school counseling program portfolio of data-driven, evidence-based assignments and artifacts including a school counseling research project.

Admission Requirements for Counselor Education

Note: The deadline for consideration is March 1 for students who wish to begin attending classes during the fall term.

- A completed bachelor’s or master’s degree from an accredited institution of higher education and original transcripts from all prior undergraduate and/or graduate institutions.
- A minimum 3.0 G.P.A. from a completed undergraduate or graduate degree program.
- Two letters of recommendation evaluating the applicant’s potential as a professional counselor in areas of leadership, advocacy, collaboration, coordination, counseling, technology, and skills in affirming culturally diverse student populations. These letters should be from persons such as college or university faculty, K-12 school personnel, and community and family agency personnel.
- A completed application, including a 1,000-word essay consisting of responses to questions found in the graduate admissions on-line application, for the counselor education program.
- Currently certified New York State teachers may submit a copy of their teaching certificate. (Note: A teaching certificate is NOT required to become a school counselor in New York State.)
- A résumé

Candidates who satisfy the preliminary admissions requirements will be invited to a group interview and be asked at that time to provide a writing sample.

Bilingual School Counseling Extension**

A 12-credit hour concentration in Bilingual School Counseling in addition to the 48-credit hours is offered for students in Counselor Education.

**This program is currently not being offered.
Family Counseling Extension

A 15-credit hour concentration in Family Counseling beyond the 48 credit hours is offered for students in Counselor Education.

Family Counseling Extension Curriculum

- Bilingual School Counseling Extension Certificate (12 credits): *EDG 734 (3), *EBS 701 (3), (3) *EBS 760, ESC 769 (3)
- Family Counseling Extension (15 credits): EDG 731 (3), EDG 735 (3), EDG 736 (3), EDG 737 (3), EDG 707 (3).

Note: Counselor Education students seeking the Bilingual School Counseling Extension Certificate must take a bilingual Spanish section of EDG 707 Practicum. Family Counseling extension students must repeat the EDG 707 Practicum with a specific family counseling focus. For both extensions, students must complete a minimum of two courses in the extension prior to practicum placement.

Family Counseling Extension Admission Requirements

Note: Deadline for consideration is March 1 for students admitted only beginning in the Fall term.

- A completed bachelor’s or master’s degree from an accredited institution of higher education and original transcripts from all prior undergraduate and/or graduate institutions.
- A minimum 3.0 GPA from a completed undergraduate or graduate degree program.
- Three letters of recommendation evaluating the applicant’s potential as a professional school counselor in areas of leadership, advocacy, collaboration, coordination, counseling, technology, and skills in affirming culturally diverse populations. These letters should be from persons such as college or university faculty, K-12 school personnel, and community and family agency personnel.
- A completed application, including a 1,100-word essay consisting of responses to 5 application-packet questions. Bilingual School Counseling Extension Certificate applicants must submit the essays in BOTH English and Spanish.
- Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST) scores for certified teachers and students planning to seek teacher certification. (Note: a teaching certificate is NOT required to become a school counselor in New York State.) Prospective students who are not State-certified teachers and do not plan to seek teacher certification submit Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores.
- A résumé.

Candidates who satisfy the preliminary admissions requirements will be invited to a group interview and may be asked at that time to provide a writing sample.

Family Counseling Extension Continuation Requirements

1. Meet with a faculty adviser to plan courses and receive course approvals prior to or during registration each semester.
2. Access and maintain liability insurance through student membership in the American School Counselor Association or the American Counseling Association for coverage during all pre-practicum, practicum, internship, and fieldwork experiences.
3. If conditions were placed on initial matriculation, all conditions must be met by the completion of the first 12 credit hours.
4. 18 credits in beginning counseling courses with a minimum 3.0 GPA, a completed practicum supervision agreement form signed by the K-12 practicum placement site supervisor, and permission of the clinical coordinator are required prior to placement in practicum.
5. 36 credits in counseling courses with a minimum 3.0 GPA, a minimum of a grade of B in EDG 707, Practicum in Counseling, a completed internship supervision agreement form signed by the K-12 internship site supervisor, and permission of the clinical coordinator are required prior to placement in internships.
6. Demonstrated evidence of counseling, leadership, and advocacy skills through school-based service projects, community service, and local, state and/or national counseling association participation.
7. New York State also requires candidates for the bilingual certificate to pass the Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA). Lehman expects students to pass this exam before completing nine (9) program credits or during the first two semesters of matriculation.

Family Counseling Extension Graduation (Degree) Requirements

- Completion of 48 approved graduate credits of study in counseling for Counselor Education candidates.
- A minimum Grade Point Average of 3.0 (B).
- Successful completion of two semesters of internship.
- Final school counseling research project.
- A portfolio of data-driven, evidence-based assignments.

Courses in Counselor Education

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

EDG 700: Professional Identity in Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. History, philosophy, and professional roles of the school counselor, with emphasis on legal, ethical, and equity issues in urban schools and families. A 10-hour prepracticum in a K-12 school is required. PREREQ: Matriculation in the program.
EDG 701: Counseling Theories and Techniques.
3 hours, 3 credits. Systemic and individual theories and techniques of counseling and collaboration with children, adolescents, families, educators, and administrators in K-12 settings. A 10-hour pre-practicum in a K-12 school is required. PREREQ: Matriculation in the program.

EDG 702: Multicultural Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines theories of multicultural counseling in diverse urban school settings focusing on ethnic/racial identity development, world view, anti-oppression, and social justice models in counseling. PREREQ: EDG 700, 701.

EDG 703: Human Development in Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of child, adolescent, and family development theories in diverse urban school settings, including the application of lifespan developmental theory in counseling practice. PREREQ: EDG 700, 701.

EDG 704: Career Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of career development theory and technology-based career counseling practices in diverse urban school settings and the school counselor’s role in life-long career and educational planning and development for children, adolescents, and families in collaboration with schools, community agencies, and government organizations. A 10-hour pre-practicum experience in a K-12 school setting is required. PREREQ: EDG 700, 701.

EDG 705: Group Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of group counseling, consultation, and collaboration theory and practice with children, adolescents, families, and school personnel in urban school and community settings. Major themes include group dynamics, group process, leadership styles, and group stages. A 10-hour pre-practicum experience in a K-12 school setting is required. PREREQ: EDG 700, 701.

EDG 706: Assessment in Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of assessment theory and practice in urban school counseling settings, including culturally competent assessment and diagnosis; types of academic and interpersonal assessment instruments; use of statistics; and application of assessment data to promote academic, career, and interpersonal success. A 10-hour pre-practicum experience in a K-12 school is required. PREREQ: EDG 703 or permission of the program coordinator.

EDG 707: Practicum in Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits, plus fieldwork. Application of counseling theories and techniques to practice in an urban K-12 school counseling field site under supervision. Counseling, consultation, advocacy, assessment, and leadership skills are monitored by faculty via student self-report, journals, videotaped counseling sessions, and group supervision. Forty hours of direct counseling/consultation services and 60 hours of collateral services with students and families are required at the site. This course may be repeated twice for specialized bilingual school counseling or family counseling practicum experience. PREREQ: 18 graduate school counseling credits, including EDG 705 and permission of the Program Coordinator. Bilingual School Counseling and Family Counseling Extension practicum students must have completed 9 extension credits and have permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDG 708: Counseling Research, Program Development, and Evaluation I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of research design, data collection procedures, and the implementation and evaluation of comprehensive developmental K-12 school counseling programs. PREREQ: EDG 706.

EDG 709: Leadership, Advocacy, Consultation, and Change in Schools.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories of leadership, advocacy, and consultation for change in urban school counseling contexts; assessment of schools and comprehensive developmental K-12 school counseling programs, using educational leadership theory, systems theory, and collaborative approaches to ensure equity and educational success for all students. PREREQ: Matriculation in a graduate education program.

EDG 710: Counseling Research, Program Development, and Evaluation II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of K-12 school counseling research culminating with the development and implementation of an action research project in schools, including design of a research project related to a proposed or existing school counseling or educational program, collection and analysis of data, and a written research article about the project suitable for publication in a professional counseling journal or for presentation at a State or national counseling conference. NOTE: Formal institutional approval is required before a research project can be implemented. PREREQ: EDG 708.

EDG/HEA 731: Sexuality Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. An overview of sexuality counseling. Stresses the process of interaction between professionals and clients that allows clients to explore and understand their sexuality, feelings, values, responsibilities, needs, and behaviors. Topics include: changing family structure, alternative lifestyles, changing sex roles, an increasing older population, drug and alcohol abuse, and sexually transmitted diseases, including AIDS. PREREQ: Permission of adviser.
EDG 732: Abuse, Violence, and Chemical Dependency Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course examines current counseling theories, techniques, and research related to abuse, violence, chemical dependency, and crisis in urban schools and families. Prevention, intervention, referrals, and the role of the counselor are emphasized. PREREQ: Matriculation in a graduate education program.

EDG 733: Developmental School Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories and techniques for developmental school counseling, consultation, and leadership in elementary, middle, and high school settings to facilitate academic, career, and interpersonal success for all students, with emphasis on the school counselor’s collaborative role with parents, guardians, teachers, school administrators, and clinical personnel to create, implement, and evaluate comprehensive developmental school counseling programs. PREREQ: EDG 703.

*EDG 734: Multilingual School Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of multilingual and multicultural approaches to school counseling and consultation in urban settings with linguistically and culturally diverse children, adolescents, families, and school personnel. PREREQ: EDG 702 and permission from a program coordinator.

EDG 735: Family Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories of family counseling and consultation with culturally diverse families in urban school and community contexts with emphasis on the changing nature of families, family assessment, legal issues, and preventive interventions. PREREQ: EDG 701, 703.

EDG 736: Parenting within Diverse Family Structures.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories and techniques of parenting using a culturally diverse family life cycle model, including how to involve parents, guardians, and other family members in the educational and emotional lives of children and youth through parenting workshops, educational programs, and brief, short-term family counseling interventions in schools and community agencies. PREREQ: EDG 701, 703.

EDG 737: Couples Counseling: Theories and Techniques.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of couples counseling and relationship assessment theories and techniques in diverse urban communities, emphasizing enhancement of couple relationships from various cultural perspectives and appropriate prevention and interventions for couples across the lifespan. PREREQ: EDG 701, 703.

EDG 738: Brief Counseling of Children and Adolescents.
3 credits, 3 hours. Examination of brief counseling methods and techniques for children and adolescents. Interviewing techniques and case conceptualization in terms of evidence-based practices will be emphasized. Strategies for professional counselors to document the effectiveness of counseling interventions will also be presented. PREREQ: EDG 702, 705, 706.

EDG 743: Internship in Counseling I.
3 hours, 3 credits plus fieldwork. First of two required supervised internships in urban school counseling and consultation. Counseling interns are required to provide 120 hours of direct counseling/consultation service with clients and 180 hours of indirect collateral service (including staff meetings and on-site supervision) at an approved internship site. Students also participate in weekly group supervision devoted to evaluation of counseling, consultation, advocacy, and leadership using self-report, journals, videotaped counseling sessions, and selected advanced counseling topics. PREREQ: 36 hours of credit in school counseling, including EDG 707 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDG 744: Internship in Counseling II.
3 hours, 3 credits plus fieldwork. Second of two required supervised internships in urban school counseling and consultation. Counseling interns are required to provide 120 hours of direct counseling/consultation service with clients and 180 hours of indirect collateral service (including staff meetings and on-site supervision) at an approved internship site. Students also participate in weekly group supervision devoted to evaluation of advanced counseling, consultation, advocacy, and leadership using self-report, journals, videotaped counseling sessions, and selected advanced counseling topics. PREREQ: EDG 743 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

Educational Leadership Graduate Programs

Lehman College offers a 33-credit Master of Science in Education degree program in Educational Leadership leading to New York State Initial Certification as a School Building Leader (SBL); a 12-15-credit Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program leading to an Advanced Certificate and a Professional Certification as a School District Leader; and a 30-credit Advanced Certificate in Educational Leadership leading to New York State Professional Certification as a School District Leader (SDL).

The programs prepare candidates for positions as School Building and School District Leaders, with an emphasis on urban leadership, and to fulfill the New York State licensure requirements for SBL and SDL. The programs unite both the development of schools and the development of educational leaders by preparing individuals who can be catalysts for school change and improved student performance.

The programs prepare students for positions of leadership (e.g., principals, department chairs, superintendents, and assistant superintendents) in urban schools with diverse populations. The curriculum is aligned with the New York State content-area requirements for programs preparing educational leaders, leading to certification as an SBL or SDL. The pedagogical content of the courses integrates practice with theory. Extensive field-based experiences, in collaboration with school and community agencies, are a central component throughout these programs. Candidates develop their skills and capacities as leaders through both on-campus and school-based experiences with current educational leaders, teachers, counselors, other educational staff,
parents, and students. The courses emphasize critical thinking, reflection, and problem solving.

The Educational Leadership graduate programs are committed to preparing candidates who demonstrate the nine essential characteristics of effective leaders, promoted by the New York State Education Department, and are based, in part, on the Division of Education’s Lehman Urban Teacher and Counselor Education conceptual model, whose mission is to facilitate the development of competent, caring, and qualified educators.

M.S.Ed. Program in Educational Leadership (33 Credits)

M.S.Ed. Program in Educational Leadership Overview

The following is a listing, by semester, of the courses that comprise the M.S.Ed. in Educational Leadership leading to an Initial Certificate as an SBL. Due to the rigorous content of the program, the M.S.Ed. can be completed in approximately two years, including summers, over 6 semesters.

Note: Registration for all courses requires Departmental approval. Most courses require that students participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in schools over the course of the semester, in addition to EDL 710 and EDL 711.

Semester I (fall): (6 credits)

(These courses are corequisites and prerequisites for all other courses in this program.)

EDL 701: The Principal as a School Building Leader (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 702: Ethics in School Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)

Semester II (spring): (6 credits)

EDL 703: Collaborative and Community-Based Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 704: Instructional and Curriculum Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)

Semester III (summer): (6 credits)

EDL 705: Technology, Planning, and Managing Resources (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 706: Legal and Economic Issues and the Administration of Schools (3 hours, 3 credits)

Semester IV (fall): (6 credits)

EDL 707: Creating Effective and Supportive Learning Environments for All Students (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 708: Research, Assessment, and Data-Driven Decision Making (3 hours, 3 credits)

Semester V (spring): (6 credits)

EDL 709: Case Studies in School Building Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 710: The Leadership Experience I (internship/seminar—200 hours, 3 credits)

Semester VI (summer): (3 credits)

EDL 711: The Leadership Experience II (internship/seminar—200 hours, 3 credits)

M.S.Ed. Program in Educational Leadership Admission Requirements

Note: Students admitted every fall semester; applications due by March 1.

1. A baccalaureate degree in a related field (e.g., teaching, school counseling, etc.) from an accredited college or university;
2. A minimum 3.0 (B) Grade Point Average from a completed undergraduate degree program;
3. New York State permanent or professional certification in classroom teaching, school counseling, school psychology, school social work, or the equivalent;
4. A minimum of three years of successful P-12 teaching and/or school counseling, school psychology, or school social work experience;
5. Three letters of recommendation: at least one must be from a current or former school site supervisor who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential as a P-12 principal, and at least one must be from a faculty member from prior studies who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential for success as a graduate student;
6. A current resume detailing all past professional employment and any community or professional organization leadership positions, memberships, and service; and
7. A 1,000-word essay that discusses the following: a) reasons for wanting to pursue a degree and certification as a school building leader; b) candidate’s philosophy on excellence in urban educational leadership, including the specific characteristics that contribute to effective leadership; and c) current assessment of the state of educational leadership in urban schools, including what appears to be the greatest challenges and suggestions for overcoming these challenges.

Candidates who satisfy the preliminary admissions requirements will be invited to a group interview.

agreement signed by the P-12 Internship Site Supervisor, and permission of the Program Coordinator are required prior to placement in EDL 710 (The Leadership Experience I) and EDL 711 (The Leadership Experience II); and

3. Demonstrated evidence of ethics, as well as instructional leadership, organizational, administrative, and collaborative skills, through school-based projects.
M.S.Ed. Program in Educational Leadership Graduation Requirements

Note: In order to receive institutional recommendation by Lehman College for New York State certification in SBL, students must earn a passing score on the New York State Educational Leadership Assessments in SBL.

1. Completion of 33 approved graduate credits of study in educational leadership;
2. A minimum Grade Point Average of 3.0 (B);
3. Successful completion of 400 internship hours; and
4. Submission of the culminating electronic program portfolio in EDL 711 (The Leadership Experience II).

Note: Candidates who apply for initial certification in School Building Leader on or after May 1, 2014, will be required to take the Revised School Building Leader Assessment (SBL) and Educating All Students Test (EAS). Candidates who applied for certification on or before April 30, 2014, but did not meet all the requirements for an initial certificate on or before April 30, 2014, will also be required to pass the Revised School Building Leader Assessment (SBL) and Educating All Students Test (EAS). Please visit the New York State Teacher Certification Examinations website for most updated information about the new tests at http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/NY_annProgramUpdate.asp.

Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program (12-15 credits)

Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program Overview

The following is a listing, by semester, of the courses that comprise the Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program leading to an Advanced Certificate in Educational Leadership and a Professional Certificate as a School District Leader. The Advanced Certificate can be completed in approximately 2-3 semesters.

Note: Registration for all courses requires Departmental approval. Most courses require that students participate in six hours of leadership experiences in schools and/or districts, over the course of the semester, in addition to EDL 721.

Semester I (fall): (6 credits)

(The following courses are corequisites and prerequisites for all other courses in this program:)

EDL 712: Leading an Effective School District (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 716: Educational Governance, Policy, and Law (3 hours, 3 credits)

Semester II (spring): (6 credits)

EDL 717: Finance, Operations, and Human Resource Management (3 hours, 3 credits)
EDL 721: The Leadership Experience-District/Extension (internship/seminar-200 hours, 3 credits)

(Students who have not completed any leadership internship courses at Lehman College will be required to complete 400 hours (6 credits) of district-level leadership experiences. Therefore, these students will be required to register for EDL 721, again, in Summer I.)

Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program Admission Requirements

Note: Students admitted every full semester; applications due by March 1.

Admission Requirements for the Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program (leading to SDL certification):

1. A master’s degree in educational leadership from an accredited college or university (applicants may be required to take additional leadership courses pending transcript evaluation). (Applicants who possess a master’s degree in a related field (e.g., teaching, school counseling, etc.) may be considered, depending on their current or prior leadership experience, as well as their career objectives. Such individuals may be required to take additional leadership courses pending transcript evaluation.)
2. A minimum of 48 graduate credits (applicants may be required to take additional credits to meet minimum credit requirement);
3. A minimum 3.0 (B) grade point average from a completed graduate degree program;
4. New York State initial or professional certification as a School Building Leader or the equivalent;
5. New York State permanent or professional certification in classroom teaching, school counseling, school psychology, or school social work or the equivalent;
6. A minimum of three years of successful N-12 experience as a leader, teacher, counselor, psychologist, or social worker;
7. Three letters of recommendation: at least one must be from a current or former school site supervisor who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential as a district leader, and at least one must be from a faculty member from prior studies who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential for success as a graduate student;
8. A current resume detailing all past professional employment and any community or professional organization leadership positions, memberships, and service; and
9. A 1000-word essay that discusses the following: a) reasons for wanting to pursue a certification as a school district leader; b) candidate’s philosophy on outstanding urban educational leadership, including the specific characteristics that contribute to effective leadership; c) current assessment of the state of educational leadership in urban schools, including what appears to be the greatest challenges and suggestions for overcoming these challenges; and d) brief analysis of a current educational policy, discussing its pros/cons and its impact on urban districts.

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Candidates who satisfy the preliminary admissions requirements will be invited to a group interview.

Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program Continuation Requirements

1. If conditions were placed on initial matriculation, all conditions must be met by the completion of the first 6 credits;
2. A minimum 3.0 Grade Point Average, a completed internship supervision agreement signed by the region/district internship site supervisor, and permission of the Program Coordinator are required prior to placement in EDL 721 (The Leadership Experience/District Extension); and
3. Demonstrated evidence of ethics, as well as instructional leadership, organizational, administrative, and collaborative skills, through school-based and region/district-based projects.

Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program Graduation Requirements

1. Completion of *12-15 approved graduate credits of study in educational leadership;
2. A minimum Grade Point Average of 3.0 (B);
3. Successful completion of *200-400 internship hours; and

*(Students who have not completed any leadership internship courses at Lehman College will be required to complete 400 hours (6 credits) of district-level leadership experiences. Therefore, these students will be required to graduate with 15 credits and 400 internship hours.)*

The New York State Education Department has made passing the New York State Education Leadership Assessment in SDL a condition of program completion (for SDL programs only as per State regulations). A student enrolled in the Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program leading to SDL certification who does not pass the SDL assessment can enter what the State has termed a “companion program,” whereby the student can still receive the Advanced Certificate but will not be eligible for SDL certification at that time. The companion program has the same admission requirements, curriculum, and graduation requirements; however, students who do not pass the SDL assessment will not receive New York State SDL certification.

Advanced Certificate in Educational Leadership

Educational Leadership Advanced Certificate Overview

The following is a listing, by semester, of the courses that comprise the Advanced Certificate in Educational Leadership leading to a Professional Certificate as a School District Leader. Due to the rigorous content of the program, the Advanced Certificate can be completed in approximately two years, including one summer over 5 semesters.

Note: Registration for all courses requires Departmental approval. Most courses require that students participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in districts over the course of the semester, in addition to EDL 720. (These courses are corequisites and prerequisites for all other courses in this program.)

**Semester I (fall): (6 credits)**
- EDL 712: Leading an Effective School District (3 hours, 3 credits)
- EDL 713: Shared Decision Making and Ethics for the School District Leader (3 hours, 3 credits)

**Semester II (spring): (6 credits)**
- EDL 714: Educational Vision, Strategic Planning, and Systematic Evaluation (3 hours, 3 credits)
- EDL 715: Diversity and Educational Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)

**Semester III (summer): (6 credits)**
- EDL 716: Educational Governance, Policy, and Law (3 hours, 3 credits)
- EDL 717: Finance, Operations, and Human Resource Management (3 hours, 3 credits)

**Semester IV (fall): (6 credits)**
- EDL 718: Creating Effective Partnerships: Parents, Community Members, School Boards, and Other Key Stakeholders (3 hours, 3 credits)
- EDL 719: Case Studies in School District Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)

**Semester V (spring): (6 credits)**
- EDL 720: The Leadership Experience—District/Region Level (internship/seminar–400 hours, 6 credits)

Educational Leadership Advanced Certificate Admission Requirements

Note: Students admitted every fall semester; applications due by March 1.

1. A master’s degree in a related field (e.g., teaching and school counseling) from an accredited college or university;
2. A minimum 3.0 (B) Grade Point Average from a completed graduate degree program;
3. New York State permanent or professional certification in classroom teaching, school counseling, school psychology, school social work, or the equivalent;
4. A minimum of three years of successful P-12 teaching and/or school counseling, school psychology, or school social work experience;
5. Three letters of recommendation: at least one must be from a current or former school site supervisor who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential as a district leader, and at least one must be from a faculty member from prior studies who can best evaluate the candidate’s potential for success as a graduate student;
6. A current resume detailing all past professional employment and any community or professional organization leadership positions, memberships, and service; and

7. A 1000-word essay that discusses the following: a) reasons for wanting to pursue a degree and certification as a school district leader; b) candidate’s philosophy on excellence in urban educational leadership, including the specific characteristics that contribute to effective leadership; c) current assessment of the state of educational leadership in urban schools, including what appears to be the greatest challenges and suggestions for overcoming these challenges; and d) brief analysis of a current educational policy, discussing its pros/cons and its impact on urban districts.

Candidates who satisfy the preliminary admissions requirements will be invited to a group interview.

Educational Leadership Advanced Certificate Continuation Requirements

1. If conditions were placed on initial matriculation, all conditions must be met by the completion of the first 12 credits;
2. 24 credits in Educational Leadership courses with a minimum 3.0 Grade Point Average, a completed internship supervision agreement signed by the region/district internship site supervisor, and permission of the Program Coordinator are required prior to placement in EDL 720 (The Leadership Experience); and
3. Demonstrated evidence of ethics, as well as instructional leadership, organizational, administrative, and collaborative skills, through school-based and region/district-based projects.

Educational Leadership Advanced Certificate Graduation Requirements

1. Completion of 30 approved graduate credits of study in educational leadership;
2. A minimum Grade Point Average of 3.0 (B);
3. Successful completion of 400 internship hours; and
4. Submission of the culminating electronic program portfolio in EDL 720 (The Leadership Experience).

The New York State Education Department has made passing the New York State Education Leadership Assessment in SDL a condition of program completion (for SDL programs only as per State regulations). A student enrolled in the Advanced Certificate leading to SDL certification who does not pass the SDL assessment can enter what the State has termed a “companion program,” whereby the student can still receive the Advanced Certificate but will not be eligible for SDL certification at that time. The companion program has the same admission requirements, curriculum, and graduation requirements; however, students who do not pass the SDL assessment will not receive New York State SDL certification.

Courses in Educational Leadership

EDL 701: The Principal as a School Building Leader. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of concepts, practices, and empirical research related to urban school leadership across the P-12 continuum. Emphasis on basic administrative theories of change, structure, decision making, motivation, communication, and culture as applied to urban school improvement and leadership. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester.

EDL 702: Ethics in School Leadership. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the ethical issues that P-12 principals and other school leaders commonly face in urban schools. Emphasis is on leadership strategies that embrace integrity, impartiality, honesty, respect, linguistic and cultural diversity, and a strong work ethic, as well as effecting change through ethical decision making.

EDL 703: Collaborative and Community-Based Leadership. 3 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis on collaborative strategies school-building leaders can use to build consensus with teachers, school counselors and other educational staff, parents, and the community. Focus on the role of the school leader in creating programs that benefit both the school and the community. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 701 and EDL 702 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 704: Instructional and Curriculum Leadership. 3 hours, 3 credits. Considers structural and professional coordination and supervision of instruction and curriculum. Topics include, but are not limited to developing an instructional vision; clinical supervision; learning theories; curriculum development and theories; instructional and assessment strategies; in-service program design and implementation; and summative and formative evaluations. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 701 and EDL 702 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 705: Technology, Planning, and Managing Resources. 3 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis on technology planning and application to improve instruction, increase student achievement, and assist with administrative tasks such as planning and budgeting. Topics include, but are not limited to, interactive software for class scheduling, in-service programming, and enhancing instruction; database design and management; funding sources and strategies for acquiring technology and other educational resources, technology applications for students with special needs and English language learners. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 703 and EDL 704 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.
EDL 706: Legal and Economic Issues and the Administration of Schools.
3 hours, 3 credits. Provides an overview of the legal and economic issues that impact education on the Federal, State, and local levels. Topics include, but are not limited to, the duties and liabilities of school personnel; faculty and student rights; religion and public education; labor negotiations; fiscal planning and budgeting; facility management; and creating a healthy, safe, and secure school environment through effective building management. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 703 and EDL 704 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 707: Creating Effective and Supportive Learning Environments for All Students.
3 hours, 3 credits. Explores the design and implementation of instructional programs targeting students with special needs, English-language learners, and at-risk students. Topics include, but are not limited to, metacognitive strategies; early assessment and intervention; IEP development; applications of behavior management techniques; differentiated instruction; alternative assessment and high-stakes testing; inclusive placements; and co-teaching models. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 705 and EDL 706 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 708: Research, Assessment, and Data-Driven Decision Making.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification, use, and interpretation of educational research to impact on school management, instruction, and student performance. Data collection methods for accountability and program evaluation. Action research methods emphasized. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 705 and EDL 706 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 709: Case Studies in School Building Leadership.
3 hours, 3 credits. This capstone course will help students apply the various theories in leadership, decision-making, organizational structure, and motivation to solve problem-based examples related to school building leaders. Through case-study problems, students will also review principles and practices emphasized on the New York State Leadership Assessments. PREREQ: EDL 707 and EDL 708 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 710: The Leadership Experience I.
12 field, 1 lecture, 3 credits. First of two required supervised internships in Educational Leadership. Interns are required to complete 200 hours of school-based leadership experiences at approved school sites. Weekly seminars devoted to reflection on internship experiences through discussion, role playing, and journaling. Includes mandatory two-hour sessions on both child abuse prevention and violence prevention. PREREQ: Satisfactory completion of 21 credits in Educational Leadership and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 711: The Leadership Experience II.
12 field, 1 lecture, 3 credits. Second of two required supervised internships in Educational Leadership. Interns are required to complete 200 hours of school-based leadership experiences at approved school sites. Weekly seminars devoted to reflection on internship experiences through discussion, role playing, and journaling. Submission of the culminating electronic program portfolio at the end of this course. PREREQ: EDL 710 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 712: Leading an Effective School District.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of concepts, practices, and empirical research related to urban district leadership. Emphasis on basic administrative theories of change, supervision, organizational structure, decision making, motivation, communication, and culture as applied to urban district improvement and leadership. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: School leadership experience and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 713: Shared Decision Making and Ethics for the School District Leader.
3 hours, 3 credits. The development and application of decisional strategies to address administrative issues such as district operations, resource allocation, curriculum, instruction, staffing, and district performance. Examination of the ethical dilemmas involved in decision-making at the district level and emphasis, through role playing and case study analyses, on decision-making strategies that embrace integrity, impartiality, honesty, respect, and linguistic and cultural diversity. PREREQ: School leadership experience and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the definitions and processes inherent in creating an educational vision, planning to implement the vision, and evaluating progress toward achieving the vision. Emphasis on the fundamentals of educational strategic planning, including mission, beliefs, objectives, policies, SWOT analyses, action plans, and benchmarking. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 712 and EDL 713 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 715: Diversity and Educational Leadership.
3 hours, 3 credits. Explores the role of the school district leader in the development, implementation, and supervision of special education, bilingual, and at-risk programs that are culturally and ethnically sensitive. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 712 and EDL 713 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.
EDL 716: Educational Governance, Policy, and Law.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of the ways in which political and legal powers and authority impact the structure and function of individual schools and districts. Examines the role of school district leaders in setting policy. Topics include, but are not limited to, high-stakes testing and accountability issues; pressure groups; and local school policies. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 714 and EDL 715 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

3 hours, 3 credits. Examines the role of the school district leader in long-range financial planning, facility development, and human resource management. Topics include, but are not limited to, financial, human, and general resource allocation; budgeting and accounting procedures and legal requirements; the recruitment, training, retention, assignment, evaluation, and mentoring of personnel; purchasing procedures; building and grounds management; and benefits analysis and cost controls. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 714 and EDL 715 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 718: Creating Effective Partnerships: Parents, Community Members, School Boards, and Other Key Stakeholders.
3 hours, 3 credits. Explores the role and responsibilities of the school district leader in relation to the community as a whole, including local institutions of higher education, social and health agencies, and teacher unions, as well as the politics involved in interacting with community partners. Topics include, but are not limited to, community analysis methods; techniques designed to improve community relations; marketing strategies; and public relations models. Students will participate in 6 hours of leadership experiences in the field over the course of the semester. PREREQ: EDL 716 and EDL 717 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

3 hours, 3 credits. This capstone course applies the principles of leadership, decision making, governance, and administration to address school district management. Principles and practices emphasized through a case-study approach on the New York State Leadership Assessments will be highlighted. PREREQ: EDL 716 and EDL 717 and/or permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 720: The Leadership Experience.
25 field, 1 lecture, 6 credits. This is a required supervised internship for all students pursuing the Advanced Certificate leading to School District Leader certification. Interns are required to complete 400 hours of district- or region-based leadership experiences at approved internship sites. Weekly seminars devoted to reflection on internship experiences through discussion, role playing, and journaling. Submission of the culminating electronic program portfolio at the end of this course. Includes mandatory two-hour sessions on both child abuse prevention and violence prevention. PREREQ: Satisfactory completion of 21 credits in educational leadership and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDL 721: The Leadership Experience-District/Extension
12 field, 1 lecture, 3 credits. This is a required supervised internship for all students pursuing the Advanced Educational Leadership/District Leader Extension Program, leading to School District Leader certification. Interns are required to complete 200 hours of district-based leadership experiences at approved internship sites. Weekly seminars devoted to reflection on internship experiences through discussion, role playing, and journaling. Submission of the culminating electronic program portfolio at the end of this course. Includes mandatory two-hour sessions on both child abuse prevention and violence prevention. PREREQ: Permission of program coordinator.

M.S.Ed. Program in Literacy Studies
The 36-credit Program in Literacy Studies leads to a Master of Science in Education degree. Registered in New York State, the program leads to professional certification in teaching literacy in two different concentrations: Birth- Grade 6 and Grades 5 –12.

Program graduates include kindergarten, elementary, and secondary literacy specialists who may become reading teachers, community educators, curriculum specialists, textbook authors, and school administrators. Some graduates also enter doctoral programs.

Admission Requirements for Professional Certification in Teaching Literacy
1. A bachelor's degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university.
2. Demonstrated ability to pursue graduate study successfully, that is, a minimum grade average of B in the undergraduate records as a whole.
3. An initial teaching certificate or qualify for initial certification within three semesters.
4. An essay outlining career goals.
5. Two letters of recommendation.
6. An individual interview.
7. An essay of no more than 500 words written on-site.

Courses for Professional Certification in Teaching Literacy
Birth–6th Grade (36 credits)
EDR 702 (3), EDR 712 (3), EDR 722 (3), EDR 765 (3), EDR 731 (6), EDR 767 (3), EDR 752 (3), EDR 768 (3), EDR 529 (3), EDS 701 (3), EDR 605 (3)

Courses for Professional Certification in Teaching Literacy 5th–12th Grade (36 credits)
EDR 703 (3), EDR 713 (3), EDR 723 (3), EDR 753 (3), EDR 733 (6), EDR 767 (3), EDR 765 (3), EDR 768 (3), EDR 529 (3), EDS 701 (3), EDR 605 (3)

M.S.Ed. Program in Literacy Studies Continuation Requirements
1. Maintain GPA of 3.0.
2. Meet any conditions placed on initial matriculation before the completion of 12 graduate credits. College and Departmental policies regarding academic probation also apply.

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M.S.Ed. Program in Literacy Studies Graduation Requirements

Students must complete a minimum of 36 graduate credits of study in an approved Literacy Studies concentration. Students must earn a minimum GPA of 3.0 in a 36-credit Literacy Studies concentration. Each student must earn a minimum grade of B or better in the overall program in order to be recommended by the College for certification.

Courses in Literacy Studies

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

EDR 529: Language, Literacy, and Educational Technology. 3 hours, 3 credits. Using information technology to support the teaching of literacy to students of diverse language backgrounds and abilities through the content areas. Social, legal, and ethical issues affecting the instructional use of technology. Curriculum development, current standards, inclusion of students with disabilities, and assessment.

EDR 605: Professional Writing for Educators. 3 hours, 3 credits. Critical and comparative analysis of texts; application to academic writing and editing, including research reports, grant proposals, and field studies. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator/instructor.

*EDR 700: Studies in the Teaching of the Language Arts — Advanced Course. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of language arts research (listening, speaking, reading, writing) related to classroom practices.

EDR 701: Language and Literacy Development of Infants, Toddlers, and Young Children. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories of and research on language and literacy development among infants, toddlers, and young children of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

EDR 702: Language and Literacy Acquisition and Development of Children. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories of and research on language and literacy development among students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

EDR 703: Literacy Acquisition and Development of Pre-Adolescents and Adolescents. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of theories of and research on language and literacy development among pre-adolescents and adolescents of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 705: Second Language Literacy. 3 hours, 3 credits. An examination of research on literacy development in a second or foreign language and its pedagogical implications. PRE- or COREQ: EDR 701 and/or permission of the coordinator.

EDR 711: Instructional Approaches for Language and Literacy Development in Early Childhood Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Instructional approaches appropriate for language and literacy development in early childhood education based upon current research. Examination, selection, design, and organization of linguistically and culturally relevant instructional practices, strategies, and materials for literacy development of infants, toddlers, and young children of varying developmental abilities. PREREQ or COREQ: EDR 701 or permission of the coordinator.

EDR 712: Instructional Approaches for Language and Literacy Development for the Diverse Learner in Early Childhood and Childhood Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Instructional approaches appropriate for language and literacy development in early childhood and childhood education based upon current research. Examination, selection, design, and organization of linguistically and culturally relevant instructional practices, strategies, and materials for literacy development of children with varying developmental abilities during early childhood and childhood education. Emphasis on grade-level curriculum design to meet the current expectations outlined in the Common Core State Standards for English language arts and literacy. PREREQ or COREQ: EDR 702 or permission of the coordinator.

EDR 713: Instructional Approaches for Language and Literacy Development in Middle and Adolescent Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Instructional approaches appropriate for language and literacy development in middle childhood and adolescent education based upon current research. Examination, selection, design, and organization of linguistically and culturally relevant instructional practices, strategies, and materials for literacy development of pre-adolescents and adolescents with varying developmental abilities. PREREQ or COREQ: EDR 703 or permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 715: Development and Evaluation of Reading Materials. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection and/or design and evaluation of reading materials for mono- and bilingual settings.

*EDR 716: Literacy Development in Nontraditional Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical and empirical foundations for designing and implementing literacy programs in nontraditional settings. Examines and analyzes theories and practices of language, learning, knowledge, and ideology. Assessment and observations under supervision are made of operating literacy programs. PREREQ: EDR 706 and permission of the coordinator.

EDR 721: Assessing and Evaluating Language and Literacy Development in Early Childhood Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Assessing, evaluating, and facilitating language and literacy development among young children of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Supervised use of informal, alternative, portfolio, and/or formal evaluation strategies. Case studies done under supervision. PREREQ: EDR 701 and EDR 711, or permission of the coordinator.
EDR 722: Assessing and Evaluating Language and Literacy Development in Childhood Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Assessing, evaluating, and facilitating language and literacy development among students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Supervised use of informal, alternative, portfolio, and/or formal evaluation strategies. Case study done under supervision. PREREQ: EDR 702 and EDR 712, or permission of the coordinator.

EDR 723: Assessing and Evaluating Language and Literacy Development in Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Assessing, evaluating, and facilitating language and literacy development among students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Supervised use of informal, alternative, portfolio, and/or formal evaluation strategies. Case study done under supervision. PREREQ: EDR 703 and EDR 713, or permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 726: Curriculum Development for Literacy Programs in Nontraditional Settings.
3 hours, 3 credits.

EDR 731: Practicum in Fostering Language and Literacy Development in Early Childhood and Childhood Education.
90 hours, 6 credits (summer session only). Assessment and evaluation of literacy development in early childhood and childhood education. Planning and implementing programs for children of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Case studies done under supervision. PREREQ: EDR 721 or EDR 722 (with a grade of B or better) and/or permission of the coordinator.

EDR 733: Practicum in Fostering Language and Literacy Development in Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education.
15 hours, 6 credits (summer session only). Assessment and evaluation of literacy development in middle childhood and adolescent education. Planning and implementing programs for students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Case studies under supervision. PREREQ: EDR 723 (grade of B or better) and/or permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 736: Practicum in Literacy Development in Nontraditional Settings.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected once.) Development and evaluation of literacy programs in nontraditional settings. Implementation under supervision. PREREQ: *EDR 716 and 726 and permission of the coordinator.

EDR 751: Literature-Based Literacy Programs in Early Childhood Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of research on literature-based literacy programs in early childhood education. Emphasis on programs that facilitate literacy development among children of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

EDR 752: Teaching Comprehensive Strategies in Literacy through Children’s Literature for the Diverse Learner in Early Childhood and Childhood Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis on comprehensive strategies in literacy, using different genres of children’s literature, that facilitate literacy development among students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Focus on critical thinking skills, open-ended discussion and analysis of the range of reading and text complexities of fiction and non-fiction children’s literature, aligned with the Common Core State Standards. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

EDR 753: Literature-Based Literacy Programs in Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of research on literature-based literacy programs in middle childhood and adolescent education. Emphasis on programs that facilitate literacy development among students of varying developmental abilities and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 756: Literature-based Literacy Programs in Nontraditional Settings.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of research on literature-based literacy programs for adults within family, community, and work settings. Emphasis on programs that facilitate literacy development among adults of varying developmental ability and from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 762: Investigation in Reading I.
3 hours, 3 credits. In-depth examination of problems and issues related to reading and learning to read. Development of positions and issues with opportunities for oral and written defense. PREREQ: Advanced standing (18 credits) and permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 763: Investigation in Reading II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Design and execution of action research related to an issue in reading. PREREQ: *EDR 762, advanced standing (18 credits), and permission of the coordinator.

EDR 765: Perspectives on Literacy.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of literacy acquisition from a variety of perspectives: for example, anthropological, historical, political, and sociological.

EDR 767: Project Seminar: Research on Literacy I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation of a significant project related to literacy development of students with different learning difficulties or disabilities in school, home, or community settings. Definition, design, methods, and implementation of study. PREREQ: 18 credits in program (must complete EDR 702 or EDR 703; EDR 712 or EDR 713; EDR 722 or EDR 723; EDR 765; and 6 additional credits) and permission of the coordinator. *Students in the dual certification program must complete: EDR 702, EDR 712, EDR 722, EDS 701, EDS 709, EDS 741, and EDS 743.

EDR 770: Independent Study in Reading.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for up to 6 credits.) Individual study under supervision. PREREQ: Permission of coordinator.
*EDR 775: Literacy Theories and Programs: Perspectives for Administrators.
3 hours, 3 credits. Survey course of literacy theory, methods, and programs for school administrators. PREREQ: permission of the coordinator.

EDR 780: Special Topics in Reading.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for up to 6 credits). PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDR 785: Honors Seminar: Issues in Literacy.
3 hours, 3 credits. Intensive study of major contributions in literacy theory and practice. PREREQ: 18 graduate credits in reading or permission of the coordinator.

**Graduate Programs in Special Education**

Graduate programs in special education are designed to develop competent, caring, and qualified special educators to teach diverse learners who present with disabilities in both inclusive and specialized urban settings. The programs’ philosophical, conceptual, and instructional underpinnings derive from values and standards established by the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC) and the New York State Learning Standards, as well as the Lehman Urban Transformative Education (LUTE) framework, which recognizes difference and diversity as foundations for learning and teaching.

Lehman’s programs work collaboratively with school personnel, parents, family and community members, and local community organizations to create humanistic, nurturing environments that are responsive to the needs of children in urban settings.

Lehman has several options of study available in special education:

For entering students who have already earned an Initial Teaching Certificate from New York State at either the Early Childhood, Childhood, or Adolescent developmental level, concentrations are available in Early Childhood Special Education, Childhood Special Education, Students with Disabilities 7-12 Generalist (Adolescent Special Education), Bilingual Early Childhood Special Education, and Bilingual Childhood Special Education.

For entering students who have had no prior training in education, a Dual Certification Program in Special Education and General Education is available at both the Early Childhood and the Childhood levels, as well as the bilingual extension. Students will be required to take twelve additional credits (to be identified in consultation with a special education adviser) in addition to the 36 credits of the special education masters degree and/or the additional credits required for the bilingual extension.

Students who have had no prior training in education at the grades 7-12 level and are interested in pursuing a generalist certificate, which would allow them to teach in supportive roles such as consultant teachers, resource room service providers, and integrated co-teachers, may enroll in the Students with Disabilities 7-12 Generalist program, contingent on meeting New York State teacher certification prerequisites.

The Early Childhood Special Education, Childhood Special Education, Students with Disabilities 7-12 Generalist (Adolescent Special Education), Bilingual Early Childhood Special Education, and Bilingual Childhood Special Education Programs are structured non-categorically (not by any one specific disability condition), and require students to enroll in the program that corresponds to the developmental level of their Initial Teaching Certificate or the developmental level at which they intend to teach. Field work, supervised practica teaching, and student teaching in both inclusive and specialized settings are integral to the programs.

Upon completion of one of the five Special Education programs, candidates will qualify for an Initial or a Professional Teaching Certificate in Teaching Students with Disabilities at a specific developmental level, a Master’s degree in Special Education or Bilingual Special Education at a specific developmental level, and a Professional Teaching Certificate in the area of the Initial Teaching Certificate earned.

**Extensions and Annotations to the Initial/Professional Certificate in Teaching Students with Disabilities**

- A Bilingual Extension to the Initial/Professional Certificate in Teaching Students with Disabilities is available by completing a 15-18-credit Bilingual Extension Module.

- An Annotation for Teaching Students with Severe Disabilities is available to any student who completes one of the five programs of study in special education. This annotation requires an additional 9 credits of study involving characteristics of individuals with severe disabilities, collaborative partnership in the provision of services for individuals with severe disabilities, assistive technologies for individuals with severe disabilities, and transition and lifespan services.

- A 12-credit Extension in Teaching Students Who are Gifted and Talented (EDS 725, EDS 726, EDS 727, and EDS 728) is available to any student who already holds an Initial/Professional Certificate as Teacher of Early Childhood (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood (Grades 1-6), Middle and High School Academic Subjects (Grades 7-12), TESOL (Birth-Grade 12), Literacy Specialist: Early Childhood (Birth-Grade 2), Literacy Specialist: Childhood (Grades 1-6), Literacy Specialist: Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education (Grades 5-12), Early Childhood Special Education (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood Special Education (Grades 1-6), Bilingual Early Childhood Special Education, Bilingual Childhood Special Education and Adolescent Special Education in an Academic Subject (Grades 7-12).

The extension courses focus on the nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented students and on best practices for teaching students with these characteristics.

**Admission Requirements to the 36-Credit M.S.Ed. Program in Early Childhood or Childhood Special Education**

Admission requirements for applicants who already possess New York State certification:

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1. A bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university.
2. A minimum undergraduate grade average of 3.0.
3. An Initial or Professional New York State Certificate in teaching at the Early Childhood or Childhood level.
4. A Special Education concentration at the same developmental level as their earned Initial/Professional NYS Teaching Certificate.
5. An essay outlining career goals.
6. A graded scholarly paper from either an undergraduate course or a graduate course of study previously completed.
7. Two letters of recommendation.
8. Evidence of having taken the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).
9. Participation in an interview.

Admission Requirements to the 36-Credit M.S.Ed. Program in Students with Disabilities Grade 7-12 Generalist

- A bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university.
- A minimum undergraduate grade average of 3.0.
- An Initial or Professional New York State Certificate in teaching in a content area at the grades 7-12 level, or 6 semester hours at the graduate or undergraduate levels in each of the following subject areas: mathematics, English language arts, social studies, and science. Students who do not meet this admission requirement may be advised to take additional coursework as co-requisites to the program to remediate any academic deficiencies.
- An essay outlining career goals.
- A graded scholarly paper from either an undergraduate course or a graduate course of study previously completed.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Evidence of having taken the Academic Literacy Skills Test.
- Participation in an interview.

Admission Requirements to the 42-Credit Certification Program in Bilingual Early Childhood or Childhood Special Education for applicants who already possess New York State certification:

1. A bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university.
2. A minimum undergraduate grade average of 3.0.
3. An Initial or Professional New York State Certificate in teaching at the Early Childhood developmental level.
4. An essay outlining career goals.
5. A graded scholarly paper from either an undergraduate course or a graduate course of study previously completed.
6. Two letters of recommendation.
7. Evidence of having taken the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).
8. Successful participation in a bilingual interview.
9. A successful on-site written sample in a language other than English; or score in the NYS Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA). At this time Spanish will be the only language accepted.

Admission Requirements to the 48-Credit Dual Certification Program in Bilingual Early Childhood or Childhood Special Education and Bilingual Early Childhood Education for applicants who do not possess New York State certification:

1. A bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university.
2. A minimum undergraduate grade average of 3.0.
3. An essay outlining career goals.
4. A graded scholarly paper from either an undergraduate course or a graduate course of study previously completed.
5. Two letters of recommendation.
6. Evidence of having taken the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).
7. Successful participation in a bilingual interview.
8. A successful on-site written sample in a language other than English; or score in the NYS Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA). At this time Spanish will be the only language accepted.
9. Certification of placement and assurance of ability to complete all the program and course requirements.

Continuation Requirements for Students in the Special Education Sequences of Study

1. An earned GPA of 3.0 or higher through the first 18 credits of graduate study.
2. If conditions were placed on the initial matriculation involving additional course work, all conditions must be met on or before the completion of 18 graduate credits. In order to register for course work beyond 18 graduate credits, the student may be required to provide a 15- to 30-minute videotape of a lesson with a whole class as part of a performance evaluation. Students will receive appropriate feedback and concrete suggestions for
improvement, where needed. Each student may be required to integrate feedback and demonstrate improvement on a second videotape to be presented prior to graduation.

3. Students must take and submit grades earned on the Special Education Content Specialty Test.

Continuation Requirements for Students in the Dual Certification Special Education and General Education Sequences of Study.

1. An earned GPA of 3.0 or higher through the first 18 credits of graduate study.

2. If conditions were placed on the initial matriculation involving additional course work, all conditions must be met on or before the completion of 18 graduate credits. In order to register for course work beyond 18 graduate credits, the student may be required to provide a 15- to 30-minute videotape of a lesson with a whole class as part of a performance evaluation.

3. Students must take and submit scores from the Multi-Subject Content Specialty Test and the Special Education Content Specialty Test.

Graduation Requirements

- Complete a minimum of 36 graduate credits of study in an approved Special Education concentration.
- A minimum GPA of 3.0 throughout the 36-credit concentration.
- Candidates who apply for certification on or after May 1, 2014 will be required to take the Academic Literacy Skills Test, edTPA (Teacher Performance Assessments), Educating All Students Test, and Revised Content Specialty Test in lieu of Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST), Assessments of Teaching Skills-Written (ATS-W), and Content Special Test (CST). Candidates who applied for certification on or before April 30, 2014, but did not meet all the requirements for an initial certificate on or before April 30, 2014, will also be required to pass the Teacher Performance Assessment (edTPA), Educating All Students test (EAS), Academic Literacy Skills Test (ALST), and Content Specialty Test (CST). Visit the New York State Teacher Certification Examinations website for most updated information about the new tests at http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/NY_annProgramUpdate.asp.

Special Education Overview

While each option below is designed to develop expertise in teaching students with disabilities at a specific developmental level, a common core of courses is required across all special education options

The 36-Credit M.S.Ed. Program Childhood:

The 36-Credit M.S.Ed. Program in Students with Disabilities Grade 7-12 Generalist:
EDS 712 (3), EDS 743 (3), EDS 714 (3), EDS 716 (3), EDS 741 (3), EDS 715 (3), EDS 719 (6), ESC 519 (3), ESC 532 (3), ESC 533 (3) or ESC 534 (3), EDR 713 (3)

The 48-Credit Dual Certification Program Early Childhood Special Education and General Education:

The 48-Credit Dual Certification Program Childhood Special Education and Childhood Education:
EDS 701 (3), EDS 707 (3), (12 credits in Childhood Education to be determined upon consultation with the Special Education Advisor), EDS 743 (3), EDS 708 (3), EDS 709 (3), EDS 710 (3), EDS 741 (3), EDS 711 (3), EDS 715 (3), EDS 718 (3), EDS 719 (6).

The 42-Credit Certification Program in Bilingual Early Childhood Special Education:

The 42-Credit Certification Program in Bilingual Childhood Special Education:

The 48-Credit Dual Certification Program in Bilingual Early Childhood Special Education and Bilingual Early Childhood Education:

The 48-Credit Dual Certification Program in Bilingual Childhood Special Education and Bilingual Childhood Education:
NOTE: A 15-18-credit bilingual extension may be elected as an addition to any of the above programs. A 9-credit annotation for teaching individuals with severe disabilities may be elected upon completion of any of the above programs. A 12-credit extension for teaching individuals who are gifted and talented may be added upon completion of any of the above programs.

To obtain Special Education Certification in New York State, all applicants will be required to pass the New York State Content Specialty Test in Special Education and the NYS Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA) when appropriate.

Special Education Teacher, Birth to 2:
Advanced Certificate Program.
The Advanced Certificate in Students with Disabilities (Birth-2) program is designed for teachers who are already certified in Early Childhood Education, Birth-2. This 18 credit program authorizes a teacher who is currently certified in Early Childhood Education, Birth-2, to teach Students with Disabilities in Birth-2 for which there is a demonstrated shortage of certified teachers.

Admissions Requirements:
1. A Lehman College’s graduate or current graduate student who has possessed a valid provisional, initial, permanent, or professional certificate in Early Childhood Education, Birth-2.
2. Copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts showing a minimum 3.0 GPA in undergraduate coursework and a B or better in all graduate coursework.
3. Two letters of recommendation.
4. Participation in an interview
5. An essay outlining career goals.
6. A final evaluation from the early childhood student teaching experience and submission of a capstone project completed in early childhood education.

The program of study will consist of the following: a) a 3-credit pre-requisite course, b) 9-credit core courses, and c) 6-credit practicum courses. A maximum of 6 credits may be transferred if candidates have had equivalent graduate courses and educational experiences within the past five years. The transfer of the credits is subject to the approval by the coordinator in special education.

Once a student has completed the Advanced Certificate Program, all 18 credits can be transferred to the Special Education Teacher, Birth-2 MS in Education Program within five years and upon approval of the coordinator in special education.

Existing Course Descriptions:
Pre-requisite Courses (3 credits)
EDS 701: Understanding Individuals with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. This introductory course studies mild, moderate, and severe disability conditions that affect individuals across the lifespan. Included are: historical foundations, key legislation governing education and habilitation of individuals with disabilities, etiology and comorbidity, assistive technologies, school-based programming, parent advocacy and collaborative work with families, impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on identification and classification, and transition to independent living and provision of services across the lifespan. (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ: Permission of the adviser.

Core Courses (9 Credits)
EDS 743: Behavioral Assessment, Management, and Change. 3 hours, 3 credits. The study of Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) theories and techniques for individualized academic, daily life, and social/behavioral interventions with at-risk, culturally and linguistically diverse, and/or special needs children and adults across the lifespan. Specific applications of applied behavior analysis techniques for behavior management in home, school, and community settings. PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 704: Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices appropriate for young children with special needs, including: curriculum standards, designing learning environments, developing effective strategies for teaching readiness and content area skills, developing social skill programs, collaborative teaching techniques, and using informal checklists in the development of appropriate IFSP/IEP goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on the impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on program planning and skill acquisition. Use of technology for instruction and monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 hours practicum teaching required.) PREREQ: EDS 703; COREQ: EDS 705.

EDS 741: Psychoeducational Evaluation of Children with Learning Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical bases of testing and techniques underlying psychoeducational evaluation of children with learning and behavior problems. Issues of standardized, informal, observational, computer-based, curriculum, and portfolio assessment will be addressed. Special attention will be placed on the impact of culture, language, and gender on testing. In a practicum setting, students will administer tests and score, interpret, and share results with parents, teachers, and other professionals. Issues of advocacy and self-advocacy will be addressed. (15 hours practicum teaching at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

Practicum (6 credits)
EDS 703: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. This supervised practicum focuses on the use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse young children with special needs in inclusive classrooms, the development of appropriate IFSP and IEP goals in relation to behavioral assessment, the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms, and the specific steps and data collection procedures needed to implement a behavior change process with young children. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Birth-2 years and/or children 3-5 and/or children 6-8 required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 and EDS 702; COREQ: EDS 743 and permission of the adviser.
EDS 705: Practicum in Curriculum and Instruction for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Focusing on the selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse young children with special needs. The development of appropriate IFSP and IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child’s levels of functioning and cultural and linguistic background. Also addressing the selection of instructional materials and technologies; individualization and group service delivery; collaborative teaching; training of parents as reinforcing of acquired skills; adaptive and social skill acquisition; and the evaluation of students and programs. Course requires submission of a videotaped lesson for evaluation. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Birth-2 years and/or children 3-5 and/or children 6-8 required.) PREREQ: EDS 703; COREQ: EDS 704.

Special Education Teacher, 1-6: Advanced Certificate Program.

The Advanced Certificate in Students with Disabilities (grades 1-6) program is designed for teachers who are already certified in Childhood Education, Grades 1-6. This 18 credit program authorizes a teacher who is currently certified in Childhood Education, Grades 1-6 to teach Students with Disabilities in Grades 1 - 6 for which there is a demonstrated shortage of certified teachers.

Admissions Requirements:
1. A Lehman College’s graduate or current graduate student who has possessed a valid provisional, initial, permanent, or professional certificate in Childhood Education, Grades 1 through 6.
2. Copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts showing a minimum 3.0 GPA in undergraduate coursework and a B or better in all graduate coursework.
3. Two letters of recommendation.
4. Participation in an interview
5. An essay outlining career goals.
6. A final evaluation from the childhood student teaching experience and submission of a capstone project completed in childhood education.

The program of study will consist of the following: a) a 3-credit pre-requisite course, b) 9-credit core courses, and c) 6-credit practicum courses. A maximum of 6 credits may be transferred if candidates have had equivalent graduate courses and educational experiences within the past five years. The transfer of the credits is subject to the approval by the coordinator in special education.

Once a student has completed the Advanced Certificate Program, all 18 credits can be transferred to the Special Education Teacher, Grades 1-6 MS in Education Program within five years and upon approval of the coordinator in special education.

Existing Course Descriptions:
Pre-requisite Courses (3 credits)

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EDS 701: Understanding Individuals with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. This introductory course studies mild, moderate, and severe disability conditions that affect individuals across the lifespan. Included are the following: historical foundations, key legislation governing education and habilitation of individuals with disabilities, etiology and comorbidity, assistive technologies, school-based programming, parent advocacy and collaborative work with families, impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on identification and classification, and transition to independent living and provision of services across the lifespan. (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ: Permission of the adviser.

Core Courses (9 Credits)

EDS 743: Behavioral Assessment, Management, and Change. 3 hours, 3 credits. The study of Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) theories and techniques for individualized academic, daily life, and social/behavioral interventions with at-risk, culturally and linguistically diverse, and/or special needs children and adults across the lifespan. Specific applications of applied behavior analysis techniques for behavior management in home, school, and community settings. PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 709: Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices for use with childhood students with disabilities, including: curriculum standards; designing appropriate learning programs and environments; developing strategies for teaching content area skills; developing social skills programs; collaborative teaching techniques; and the use of informal checklists in the development of I.E.P. goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on the impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on program planning and skill acquisition. Use of technology for instruction and for monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 practicum teaching hours required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 741: Psycho-educational Evaluation of Children with Learning Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical bases of testing and techniques underlying psychoeducational evaluation of children with learning and behavior problems. Issues of standardized, informal, observational, computer-based, curriculum, and portfolio assessment will be addressed. Special attention will be placed on the impact of culture, language, and gender on testing. In a practicum setting, students will administer tests and score, interpret, and share results with parents, teachers, and other professionals. Issues of advocacy and self-advocacy will be addressed. (15 hours practicum teaching at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

Practicum (6 credits)

EDS 708: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. Focusing on the use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students with disabilities in inclusive classrooms; the development of appropriate IEP goals in
relation to behavioral assessment; the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms; and specific steps and data collection procedures to implement a behavior change process with childhood students with disabilities. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 3-4 and Grades 5-6 required.) PREREQ: EDS 707; COREQ: EDS 743.

EDS 710: Practicum in Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students with disabilities in inclusive settings. The development of I.E.P. goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child’s level of functioning and cultural and linguistic background; selection of appropriate instructional materials and technologies; whole class, small group, and individualized teaching; collaborative teaching; parent training; adaptive and social skills acquisition; and the evaluation of students and programs will be addressed. Course requires submission of a videotaped lesson for evaluation. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 3-4 and 4-5 required.) PREREQ: EDS 708; COREQ: EDS 709.

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The Advanced Certificate in Students with Disabilities (grades 7-12) program is designed for teachers who are already certified in Adolescence Education, Grades 7-12 in a content area. This 18 credit program authorizes a teacher who is currently certified in Adolescence Education, Grades 7-12 to teach Students with Disabilities in Grades 7 - 12 for which there is a demonstrated shortage of certified teachers.

Admissions Requirements:

• A Lehman College’s graduate or current graduate student who has possessed a valid provisional, initial, permanent, or professional certificate in teaching mathematics, English language arts, social studies or science, grades 7-12.
• Copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts showing a minimum 3.0 GPA in undergraduate coursework and a B or better in all graduate coursework.
• Two letters of recommendation.
• Participation in an interview
• An essay outlining career goals.
• A final evaluation from the secondary student teaching experience and submission of a capstone project completed in secondary education.

The program of study will consist of a) a 3-credit pre-requisite course, b) 9-credit core courses, and c) 6-credit practicum courses. A maximum of 6 credits may be transferred if candidates have had equivalent graduate courses and educational experiences within the past five years. The transfer of the credits is subject to the approval by the coordinator in special education. Once a student has completed the Advanced Certificate Program, all 18 credits can be transferred to the Special Education Teacher, Grades 7-12 MS in Education Program within five years and upon approval of the coordinator in special education.

Existing Course Descriptions:

Pre-requisite Courses (3 credits)

EDS 701: Understanding Individuals with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. This introductory course studies mild, moderate, and severe disability conditions that affect individuals across the lifespan. Included are: historical foundations, key legislation governing education and habilitation of individuals with disabilities, etiology and comorbidity, assistive technologies, school-based programming, parent advocacy and collaborative work with families, impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on identification and classification, and transition to independent living and provision of services across the lifespan. (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ: Permission of the adviser.

Core Courses (9 Credits)

EDS 743: Behavioral Assessment, Management, and Change. 3 hours, 3 credits. The study of Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) theories and techniques for individualized academic, daily life, and social/behavioral interventions with at-risk, culturally and linguistically diverse, and/or special needs children and adults across the lifespan. Specific applications of applied behavior analysis techniques for behavior management in home, school, and community settings. PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 714: Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices for use with childhood students with disabilities, including: curriculum standards, designing appropriate learning programs and environments, developing effective strategies for teaching content area skills, developing social skills programs, collaborative teaching techniques, and use of informal checklists in the development of appropriate IEP goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on the impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on program planning and skill acquisition. Use of technology for instruction and for monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 hours practicum teaching hours at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 741: Psycho-educational Evaluation of Children with Learning Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical bases of testing and techniques underlying psychoeducational evaluation of children with learning and behavior problems. Issues of standardized, informal, observational, computer-based, curriculum, and portfolio assessment will be addressed. Special attention will be placed on the impact of culture, language, and gender on testing. In a practicum setting, students will administer tests and score, interpret, and share results with parents, teachers, and other professionals. Issues of advocacy and self-advocacy will be addressed. (15 hours practicum teaching at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

Practicum (6 credits)
EDS 713: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities in inclusive classrooms; the development of appropriate IEP goals in relation to behavioral assessment; the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms; the individualization of self-management techniques and behavior contracts for adolescents, where appropriate; and the specific steps and data collection procedures needed to implement a behavior change process with adolescents with disabilities. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 9-10 and Grades 11-12.) PREREQ: EDS 712; COREQ: EDS 743.

EDS 716: Practicum in Curriculum and Instruction for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities in inclusive settings. The development of appropriate IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the adolescent’s level of functioning and cultural and linguistic background; selection of appropriate instructional materials and technologies; whole class, small group, and individualized teaching; collaborative teaching; adaptive and social skill acquisition; and the evaluation of adolescents and programs will be addressed. (30 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 7-9 and Grades 10-12.) PREREQ: EDS 712 and permission of the adviser. COREQ: EDS 714.

Courses in Special Education

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

EDS 700: Biomedical Aspects of Handicapping Conditions. 3 hours, 3 credits. Consideration of the various medical problems that may be associated with moderate and severe handicapping conditions.

EDS 701: Understanding Individuals with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. This introductory course studies mild, moderate, and severe disability conditions that affect individuals across the lifespan. Included are: historical foundations, key legislation governing education and habilitation of individuals with disabilities, etiology and comorbidity, assistive technologies, school-based programming, parent advocacy and collaborative work with families, impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on identification and classification, and transition to independent living and provision of services across the lifespan. (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ: Permission of the adviser.

EDS 702: The Young Child with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse young children (birth to 8 years) with a wide range of developmental delays and disability conditions. Pertinent legislation, intervention with families, developing Individualized Family Service Plans, and issues of advocacy will be studied within the context of the continuum of service delivery (home-based, center-based, and school-based interventions). (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ or COREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 703: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. This supervised practicum focuses on the use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse young children with special needs in inclusive classrooms, the development of appropriate I.F.S.P. and I.E.P. goals in relation to behavioral assessment, the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms, and the specific steps and data collection procedures needed to implement a behavior change process with young children. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Birth-2 years and/or children 3-5 and/or children 6-8 required.) PREREQ: EDS 701 and EDS 702; COREQ: EDS 743 and permission of the adviser.

EDS 704: Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices appropriate for young children with special needs, including: curriculum standards, designing learning environments, developing effective strategies for teaching readiness and content area skills, developing social skill programs, collaborative teaching techniques, and using informal checklists in the development of appropriate IFSP/IEP goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on the impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on program planning and skill acquisition. Use of technology for instruction and monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 hours practicum teaching required.) PREREQ: EDS 703; COREQ: EDS 705.

EDS 705: Practicum in Curriculum and Instruction for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Focusing on the selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse young children with special needs. The development of appropriate IFSP and IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child’s levels of functioning and cultural and linguistic background. Also addressing the selection of instructional materials and technologies; individualization and group service delivery; collaborative teaching; training of parents as reinforcers of acquired skills; adaptive and social skill acquisition; and the evaluation of students and programs. Course requires submission of a videotaped lesson for evaluation. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Birth-2 years and/or children 3-5 and/or children 6-8 required.) PREREQ: EDS 703; COREQ: EDS 704.
EDS 706: Practicum in Assessment for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Young Children with Special Needs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, and modification of a test battery for culturally and linguistically diverse young children with special needs. The development of appropriate IFSP and IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child's levels of functioning will be emphasized. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Birth-2 years and/or children 3-5 and/or children 6-8 required.) PREREQ: EDS 705; COREQ: EDS 741.

EDS 707: The Childhood Student with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. Nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students (6 to 12 years of age) with a wide range of developmental delays and disability conditions. Pertinent legislation, intervention with families, developing Individualized Education Programs and issues of advocacy will be studied within the context of the continuum of service delivery (inclusive, collaborative, and specialized settings). (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ or COREQ: EDS 701 or permission of the adviser.

EDS 708: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. Focusing on the use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students with disabilities in inclusive classrooms; the development of appropriate I.E.P. goals in relation to behavioral assessment; the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms; and specific steps and data collection procedures to implement a behavior change process with childhood students with disabilities. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 3-4 and Grades 5-6 required.) PREREQ: EDS 707; COREQ: EDS 743.

EDS 709: Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices for use with childhood students with disabilities, including: curriculum standards; designing appropriate learning programs and environments; developing strategies for teaching content area skills; developing social skills programs; collaborative teaching techniques; and the use of informal checklists in the development of I.E.P. goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on the impact of cultural and linguistic diversity on program planning and skill acquisition. Use of technology for instruction and for monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 practicum teaching hours required.) PREREQ: EDS 708; COREQ: EDS 710.

EDS 710: Practicum in Curriculum and Instructional Practices for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students with disabilities in inclusive settings. The development of I.E.P. goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child’s level of functioning and cultural and linguistic background; selection of appropriate instructional materials and technologies; whole class, small group, and individualized teaching; collaborative teaching; parent training; adaptive and social skills acquisition; and the evaluation of students and programs will be addressed. Course requires submission of a videotaped lesson for evaluation. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 3-4 and 4-5 required.) PREREQ: EDS 708; COREQ: EDS 709.

EDS 711: Practicum in Assessment of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Childhood Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, and modification of a test battery for culturally and linguistically diverse childhood students with disabilities. Students will assess children; write evaluation reports; discuss implications of findings; and make appropriate educational recommendations on the basis of test data, observational data, and ecological data. The development of appropriate I.E.P. goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the child’s levels of functioning will be emphasized in the course. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 3-4 and Grades 5-6 required.) PREREQ: EDS 710; COREQ: EDS 741.

EDS 712: The Adolescent with Disabilities. 3 hours, 3 credits. Nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse individuals with a wide range and degree of disability conditions, exploring the development lifespan, with a focus on adolescence. Pertinent legislation, intervention with families, developing IEP’s and IPP’s, postsecondary training opportunities, and issues of advocacy will be studied in the context of the continuum of service delivery across inclusive, collaborative, and specialized settings. (15 fieldwork hours required.) PREREQ: permission of the adviser.

EDS 713: Practicum in Behavioral Assessment and Management of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings. 3 hours, 3 credits. Use of formal and informal behavior assessment practices with culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities in inclusive classrooms; the development of appropriate IEP goals in relation to behavioral assessment; the application of behavioral principles of classroom management to inclusive classrooms; the individualized application of self-management techniques and behavior contracts for adolescents, where appropriate; and the specific steps and data collection procedures needed to implement a behavior change process with adolescents with disabilities. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 9-10 and Grades 11-12.) PREREQ: EDS 712; COREQ: EDS 743.

3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum and instructional practices for use with adolescent students with disabilities, including: curriculum standards, designing appropriate learning programs and environments, developing effective strategies for teaching content area skills, developing social skills programs, collaborative teaching techniques, and use of informal checklists in the development of appropriate IEP goals and objectives. Emphasis will be placed on collaboration in the use of research-validated methods of effective instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities across the curriculum. Use of technology for instruction and for collaboratively monitoring student progress will be incorporated throughout the course. (15 hours practicum teaching hours at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 712 and permission of the adviser. COREQ: EDS 716.

EDS 715: Research in Special Education.

3 hours, 3 credits. This course is an introduction to research and will enable students to read, critique, and review professional research. Students will learn about research design, descriptive statistics, quantitative and qualitative research methods, and the use of technology in research. PREREQ: EDS 712, EDS 743, EDS 741, EDS 714, EDS 716, and permission of the adviser. (15 fieldwork hours required.)

EDS 716: Practicum in Curriculum and Instruction for Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings.

3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, modification, and evaluation of curriculum and instruction for culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities in inclusive settings. The development of appropriate IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the adolescent's level of functioning and cultural and linguistic background; selection of appropriate instructional materials and technologies; whole class, small group, and individualized teaching; collaborative teaching; adaptive and social skill acquisition; and the evaluation of adolescents and programs will be addressed. (30 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 7-9 and Grades 10-12.) PREREQ: EDS 712 and permission of the adviser. COREQ: EDS 714.

EDS 717: Practicum in Assessment of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Adolescents with Disabilities in Inclusive Settings.

3 hours, 3 credits. Selection, adaptation, design, and modification of a test battery for culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents with disabilities. The development of appropriate IEP goals, instructional objectives, and lesson plans in relation to the adolescent's levels of functioning will also be addressed. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching: Grades 9-10 and Grades 11-12.) PREREQ: EDS 716; COREQ: EDS 741.

EDS 718: Culminating Master's Project.

3 hours, 3 credits. A case study of a culturally and linguistically diverse learner with mild to moderate learning and behavior problems in an inclusive classroom setting from the social, educational, and psychological perspectives. Master's candidates, using print and electronic sources, will be required to review pertinent literature, research methodology, and teaching techniques in order to design and implement a specialized instructional program under supervision and to evaluate outcomes. Students will explore disseminating their case-study findings via journals, electronic sources, conferences, etc. A videotaped lesson of this specialized instructional program integrated within an inclusive classroom must be submitted for evaluation to satisfy one of the requirements for this course. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching at appropriate developmental level required.) PREREQ: EDS 706, or EDS 711 or EDS 717; COREQ: EDS 715.

EDS 719: Student Teaching of Diverse Learners with Disabilities in Inclusive and Specialized Settings.

6 hours, 6 credits. Supervised practicum in the teaching of culturally and linguistically diverse young children, childhood students, or adolescents with disabilities in collaborative and/or specialized educational settings. (90 Hours Supervised Practicum Teaching at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 712, EDS 714, EDS 716, EDS 741, EDS 743, EDS 715, and permission of the adviser.

EDS 722: Teaching Students with Severe Disabilities.

3 hours, 3 credits. Teaching diverse learners with severe disabilities in specialized settings across the lifespan (day treatment centers, residential schools/care facilities, and hospitals) and includes the nature and needs of individuals with severe cognitive, behavioral, and/or physical disabilities, etiologies, comorbidity with other disorders, self-care, and adaptive skills curricula, medical and physical management issues, and community-based transition programming. PREREQ: Completion of requirements for M.S.Ed. in Special Education in either Early Childhood, Childhood, or Adolescence or permission of the adviser.

EDS 723: Collaborative Approaches to Teaching Individuals with Severe Disabilities Across the Lifespan.

3 hours, 3 credits. An examination of the collaborative teaching relationships between special educators and general educators, paraprofessionals/teaching assistants, parents, and service providers (speech therapists, occupational therapists, physical therapists, counselors, physicians, and nurse practitioners), and workplace supervisors. Focus on teaching responsibilities, modification of curricula, and teaching for transition to employment and independent living. PREREQ: EDS 722.
EDS 724: Practicum in Teaching Diverse Learners with Severe Disabilities in Specialized Settings.
3 hours, 3 credits. Supervised practicum in the teaching of diverse learners with severe disabilities in specialized settings. Focus on teaching daily life skills to individuals with severe cognitive, behavioral, and physical disabilities in specialized settings, including providing individualized instruction in day treatment centers, residential schools/care facilities, and hospitals. (45 hours Supervised Practicum Teaching at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 722 and EDS 723.

EDS 725: Nature and Needs of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Gifted and Talented K-12 Students in Inclusive and Gifted Classes.
3 hours, 3 credits. An in-depth study of the nature and needs of gifted and talented culturally and linguistically diverse children and adolescents in inclusive and gifted classrooms. History, models, and theories of gifted education, characteristics of the gifted and talented, identification and prevalence, comorbidity with disabilities, factors that enhance or inhibit gifted development, and national and State standards. 10 hours of observation of inclusive and gifted classes and/or agency programs at the developmental level corresponding to the teaching certificate held. PREREQ: New York State Teaching Certificate or Reciprocal State Teaching Certificate.

EDS 726: Assessment of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Gifted and Talented K-12 Students in Inclusive and Gifted Classes.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formal and informal assessment of culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented students in inclusive and gifted classes. Tools and methods for identifying and assessing gifted and talented students. 15 hours of fieldwork in assessment of gifted learners. PREREQ: EDS 725 and New York State Teaching Certificate or Reciprocal State Teaching Certificate.

EDS 727: Best Practices for Teaching Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Gifted and Talented K-12 Students in Inclusive and Gifted Classes.
3 hours, 3 credits. Established best practices in the instruction of culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented K-12 students in inclusive and gifted classes including models of enrichment, acceleration, differentiated instruction, and technology applications. Modify and adapt curricula to challenge and assist gifted students in learning to their highest levels of achievement within the framework of national and state standards. 15 hours of fieldwork in direct instruction of gifted and talented students at the developmental level corresponding to the teaching certificate held. PREREQ: EDS 726 and New York State Teaching Certificate or Reciprocal State Teaching Certificate.

EDS 728: Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Gifted and Talented K-12 Students in the Home, School and Community.
3 hours, 3 credits. Collaboration with school staff, families, and the community to provide appropriate instruction and leisure activities for culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented students. 10 hours of fieldwork in consultation and collaboration with educators, families and community agencies. PREREQ: EDS 727 and New York State Teaching Certificate or Reciprocal State Teaching Certificate.

EDS 730: Study of Early Special Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Nature and needs of the handicapped child aged 0 to 5 years with physical, sensorial, mental, and emotional handicapping conditions with a wide range and degree of difficulties. PREREQ: EDS 700 and permission of the coordinator.

3 hours, 3 credits. Survey of the social and educational problems of all types of children with handicapping conditions, including sensory impairment. Content will include children’s cognitive, social, and emotional problems, and the medical and psychological bases for appropriate education and care.

3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical bases of testing and techniques underlying psycho-educational evaluation of children with learning and behavior problems. Issues of standardized, informal, observational, computer-based, curriculum, and portfolio assessment will be addressed. Special attention will be placed on the impact of culture, language, and gender on testing. In a practicum setting, students will administer tests and score, interpret, and share results with parents, teachers, and other professionals. Issues of advocacy and self-advocacy will be addressed. (15 hours practicum at the developmental level of study required.) PREREQ: EDS 712 and permission of the adviser.

EDS 742: Advanced Psycho-educational Assessment.
3 hours, plus testing time, 3 credits. Analysis of major issues involved in the educational assessment of culturally and linguistically diverse populations, particularly in urban settings. Course content will emphasize curriculum-based assessment, design of nonstandardized assessment instruments, and the review of pertinent research findings. PREREQ: EDS 741 and permission of the program coordinator.

EDS 743: Behavioral Assessment, Management, and Change.
3 hours, 3 credits. The study of theories and techniques for managing the behavior of students with disabilities and for promoting development of positive social interaction skills. Specific applications of a variety of techniques for behavior management across home, school, and community settings with an emphasis on collaboration. PREREQ: EDS 712 and permission of the adviser. (15 fieldwork hours required.)

3 hours, 3 credits. Workshop course using art, media, and material; readings; and discussions related to the artistic development of the child with learning problems. Art activities will be derived from the following developmental areas: organizing (preplanning, sequencing, and ordering); body awareness; form and spatial awareness. All workshop activities incorporate visual, kinesthetic, haptic, and audio components to achieve intersensory growth and internalization of the learning experience. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 745: Curriculum, Instruction, and Management of Infants and Toddlers with Special Needs — A Practicum.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. A guided experience of teaching infants and toddlers with handicaps in a variety of settings. PREREQ or COREQ: *EDS 746 and permission of the coordinator.
*EDS 746: Diagnostic Study and Habilitation of Infants and Toddlers with Special Needs.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. Theoretical bases and techniques underlying diagnostic evaluation of singly- and multiply-impaired infants and of toddlers with multiple impairments from birth to three years of age. Diagnostic-prescriptive psycho-educational principles for fostering positive development. The objective of the course is to enable the student to determine the developmental requirements of infants and toddlers with physical, psychological, neurological, and learning impairments and to discover strategies for the infants' habilitation. PREREQ: EDS 730 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 747: Diagnostic Study and Special Education of Older Preschool Children with Special Needs.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. Theoretical bases and techniques underlying diagnostic evaluation of preschoolers with single and multiple-impairments from 3 to 6 years of age. Diagnostic-prescriptive psycho-educational principles for fostering positive development. The objective of the course is to enable the student to determine the developmental requirements of older preschool children with physical, psychological, neurological, and learning impairments and to discover strategies for their special education and habilitation. PREREQ: 18 credits in special education and *EDS 746, or approval of the coordinator.

*EDS 748: The Adolescent with Developmental Learning Problems.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. The effects of unremediated learning problems on the adolescent's attempts to master curriculum. Compensatory adaptations; secondary emotional problems. Diagnostic-prescriptive program for remediation of cognitive and affective disturbances. PREREQ: *EDS 760 and 741; or permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 749: Movement for Children with Learning Problems.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. Integration of cognitive and affective abilities of the child with developmental learning problems through psychomotor/dance training. Designed to provide the student with competency to use psychomotor methods to permit the child access to improved learning of perceptual, linguistic, and academic skills. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 750: Study of the Mentally Retarded and the Multiple-Handicapped Individual.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of current research, efficacy of past and present practices, knowledge of specialized terminology and theories, related services, and disciplines enabling teachers to become full participants in transdisciplinary terms. Site visits are planned to a variety of placements.

*EDS 751: Curriculum and Methodology for Retarded and Multiple-Handicapped Children.
3 hours, 3 credits. Synthesizing assessment information to develop an individualized educational plan for individuals who are retarded and/or have multiple handicaps. Knowledge of various curricular missions, strategies and methodologies, techniques, and materials. Understanding use and care of prostheses and other equipment to facilitate learning. Evaluating instructional objectives, methodology, and child-management procedures. PREREQ: *EDS 750.

*EDS 752: Development of Functional Literacy Skills in Individuals with Mental Retardation.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification, analysis, and remediation of literacy disorders of children who are mildly retarded. Emphasis on communication skills of reading and writing, although those of listening and speaking will be included. For individuals who are moderately retarded, literacy skills contained within activities of daily living will be stressed. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 753: Practicum — Teaching Individuals with Retardation.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. A guided experience of teaching individuals with retardation in a variety of settings. PREREQ: Permission of program coordinator.

*EDS 754: Individuals with Handicaps: Vocational Environments.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. Developing awareness in special educators of the importance of meeting the total life career development needs of most individuals who are handicapped. The various vocational environments and agencies that accommodate individuals with handicaps are explored. The relevance of personal and social functioning is emphasized in relation to job success. The need to adopt the principle of normalization in vocational services is stressed, along with understanding vocational assessment techniques.

*EDS 755: The Special Child in the Home, School, and Community: Strategies for Adaptation.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. Emphasizes the socio-ecological approach to educating the child with handicaps. This approach views behavior as a function of the relationship between the child and the environment. The course is designed to provide educators and parents with strategies to enhance the home, school, and community networks.

*EDS 756: Specialized Techniques for Teaching the Person with Emotional Handicaps.
3 hours, fieldwork, 3 credits. Investigation and field-based application of specialized behavioral techniques for teaching the emotionally handicapped learner. Behavioral techniques, humanistic approaches, and interfacing with other professionals will be explored. PREREQ: *EDS 770, 771, and 743.
*EDS 757: Transdisciplinary Approaches and the Person with Handicaps.
3 hours, fieldwork, 3 credits. Investigation and conceptualization of the roles and responsibilities of the members of the transdisciplinary teams as they relate to service delivery for individuals with handicaps in a variety of settings, including residential, day-treatment, hospital, and others. Site visits to a variety of placements will be required. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 758: Practicum — Teaching the Individual with Multiple Handicaps.
3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. A guided experience of teaching children and adults with handicaps in a variety of settings. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

3 hours, field experience, 3 credits. A guided experience of teaching preschoolers with handicaps in a variety of settings. PRE- or COREQ: *EDS 747 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 760: Study of the Person with Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the theory of specific learning disability. Examination of psychological, neurological, and linguistic theories of language and learning. Emphasis on the behavioral characteristics of individuals with specific disabilities, and general implications for instruction. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 761: Curriculum Planning in Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of basic concepts in curriculum design and their implications for selection and/or modification of curricula for individuals with specific learning disabilities in classroom and clinical settings. PREREQ: *EDS 760 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 762: Practicum in Remediation of Specific Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected to 6 credits.) Supervised practicum in the identification, analysis, and remediation of specific learning disabilities. PREREQ: *EDS 760, EDS 741, and permission of the coordinator.

EDS 763: Seminar in Current Issues and Problems in Special Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. The critical analysis and in-depth study of current issues and problems in Special Education. Topics covered will be relevant to the education of the child with special needs and will include issues such as funding, legislation, litigation, labeling, mainstreaming, and teacher attitudes. PREREQ: 9 credits in Special Education or related fields, and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 764: Practicum in the Assessment of Specific Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected to 6 credits.) Supervised practicum in the remediation of specific learning disabilities. PREREQ: EDS 741 and 761, and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 765: Program Planning for Special Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of factors affecting the design and implementation of special education programs for schools and/or alternative settings — foster homes, group homes, intermediate facilities, and regional centers. Program design and implementation under supervision. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 766: Practicum in Remediation of Specific Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated to a maximum of 6 credits.) Supervised practicum in the remediation of specific disabilities. PREREQ: EDS 741 and 761, and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 767: Practicum in the Assessment of Specific Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated to a maximum of 6 credits.) Supervised practicum in the assessment of specific learning disabilities. PREREQ: EDS 742 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 768: Practicum in the Assessment of Specific Learning Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the characteristics, development, and behaviors of the emotionally handicapped. Emphasis on implications for management and education. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 769: Program Planning for Special Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of factors affecting the design and implementation of special education programs for schools and/or alternative settings — foster homes, group homes, intermediate facilities, and regional centers. Program design and implementation under supervision. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 770: Study of the Person with Emotional Handicaps.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the characteristics, development, and behaviors of the emotionally handicapped. Emphasis on implications for management and education. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 771: Planning Curricula for the Person with Emotional Handicaps.
3 hours, 3 credits. Techniques for analyzing the strengths and weaknesses of individual students with emotional handicaps. Practice in selecting goals to be sought in working with the student, in determining strategies for teaching, and in designing appropriate materials for use in working toward these goals. PREREQ: *EDS 770 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 772: Practicum in Teaching the Person with Emotional Handicaps.
6 hours, 6 credits. Supervised practicum in teaching the emotionally handicapped. PREREQ: *EDS 771 and permission of the coordinator.

*EDS 773: Independent Study in Special Education.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for up to 6 credits.) Individual study, under supervision. PREREQ: 18 credits completed in Special Education and permission of coordinator.

Courses in Bilingual Special Education
*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*EBS 701: Issues in Bilingualism.
3 hours. 3 credits. The nature of bilingualism as a societal and individual phenomenon. In-depth study of linguistic, applied linguistic, psycholinguistic, sociolinguistic, neurolinguistic, and educational aspects of bilingualism. Ten hours of fieldwork in bilingual settings required. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.
"EBS 741: Psycho-educational Evaluation of Bilingual Children with Mild to Moderate Learning and Behavior Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical bases and techniques underlying the psycho-educational evaluation of bilingual children with learning and behavior problems. The specific concerns related to the assessment of bilingual individuals will be highlighted, including attitudes of school personnel, test bias, misuse of tests, culture-specific tests and local norms, culture-fair tests, procedures and instruments for unbiased testing, and nondiscriminatory assessment models and practices for teachers and evaluators. Fifteen hours of fieldwork with bilingual children in school settings required. PREREQ: *EBS 701 and permission of the coordinator.

"EBS 760: The Bilingual Child with Mild to Moderate Learning and Behavior Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the theories associated with learning disabilities and second-language learning as they relate to academic and behavioral problems presented by bilingual students in Special Education programs, and implications of those theories for instruction. PREREQ: *EBS 701, *EDS 740, or permission of the coordinator.

"EBS 761: Curriculum Planning for Bilingual Students with Mild to Moderate Learning and Behavior Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum development, use of specialized teaching techniques, and adaptation of instructional materials for bilingual students with mild to moderate learning and behavior problems. PREREQ: *EBS 701, *EDS 740, *EBS 760, or permission of the coordinator.

"EBS 767: Practicum in the Remediation of Bilingual Students with Mild to Moderate Learning and Behavior Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Supervised practicum in the remediation of bilingual students with mild to moderate learning and behavior problems. PREREQ: *EBS 741, 760, 761, and permission of the coordinator.

"EBS 768: Practicum in the Assessment of Bilingual Students with Mild to Moderate Learning and Behavior Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Supervised practicum in the assessment of bilingual students with mild to moderate learning and behavior problems. PREREQ: *EBS 741, EDS 742, *EBS 761, or permission of the coordinator.

Courses in Family and Consumer Studies

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

FCS 501: Current Problems in Family and Consumer Studies. 1 hour, 1 credit. (Open to all graduate students. May be re-elected by FCS matriculants up to a maximum of 8 credits with a change in topic.) Topics will be announced before the start of each semester.

FCS 503: Current Problems in Family and Consumer Studies. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Open to all graduate students. May be re-elected by FCS matriculants up to a maximum of 9 credits with a change in topic.) Topics will be announced before the start of each semester.

*FCS 571: The Family and the Law. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of laws that directly affect the family: laws pertaining to marriage, adoption, estate planning, foster care, and family relations. Emphasis on the work of Federal, State, and local agencies; and legal requirements, prescriptions, etc., in the areas of consumer health protection, housing, and financial management.

FCS 601: Seminar in Family and Consumer Studies. 1 hour, 1 credit. (May be re-elected for credit as often as the topic changes.) Recent developments in specific topics. PREREQ: Chair's permission.

*FCS 611: Clothing Management. 3 hours, 3 credits. Recent developments in the production, purchase, and utilization of textiles and clothing as they relate to the management of personal and family problems. Evaluation of methods and materials for teaching clothing management. PREREQ: FCS 202 and 302 (or equivalents).

*FCS 651: Housing for Family Living I. 3 hours, 3 credits. The effect of housing and home environment on the quality of family living. Criteria for the selection of rented, owned, and public housing to fit individual family needs. Trends in housing and community planning. Individual and family responsibilities for improving housing. PREREQ: FCS 180 and 219 (or equivalents).

*FCS 652: Housing for Family Living II. 3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of social and physical design features in old and new housing, public and private, with concentration on the effect of housing and home environment on family living. Interrelationship of design and problems of livability with principles of space planning and the effect of design on housing and maintenance costs. PREREQ: *FCS 651.

*FCS 661: Developing Family and Consumer Studies Program. 3 hours plus research project, 3 credits. Principles, procedures, and problems in developing school and community education for home and family living, with emphasis on curriculum building and improvement of instruction in family and consumer studies. PREREQ: ESC 431. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

FCS (ESS) 671: Family Development. 3 hours plus field study, 3 credits. Study of the family cycle, with focus on developmental tasks and changing roles of family members. Proposals for strengthening families. Review of methods and materials for secondary-school teaching of family living.

*FCS 672: Economic Problems of Family. 3 hours plus field study, 3 credits. Study of the economic status of American families with respect to incomes, employment, housing, and social security. Factors affecting cost of living. The contribution of resource management to the economic welfare of families. Consideration of methods and materials for the teaching of family economics and home management. PREREQ: FCS 316 and 307 (or equivalents).
*FCS 673: Home Economics—Aspects of Consumer Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Selection and use of goods and services related to improvement of family living. Individual studies of consumption practices and selected consumer problems. Responsibilities of home economists as consumer advisers.

FCS 674 (HEA 625): Seminar in Human Sexuality. 3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of current trends, problems, and issues. PRE- or COREQ: FCS 671 and graduate coordinator’s permission.

Courses in Special Subjects

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

ESS 500: Reading and Writing Connections. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to reading and writing development of culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents. Exploration of the ways in which reading and writing interact. Study of online approaches to facilitate strategic reading of a variety of texts.

ESS 501: Writing and Reading in the Content Areas. 3 hours, 3 credits. Development and critique of curriculum units to advance familiarity and comfort with a variety of texts and written forms that build academic skills in secondary school social studies, science, mathematics, and literature classrooms. Emphasis is on written, oral, and visual strategies to promote comprehension, reflection, and support for the academic development of culturally and linguistically diverse adolescents. PREREQ: None.

ESS (FCS) 671: Family Development. 3 hours plus field study, 3 credits. (See description under FCS (ESS) 671.)

ESS 705: Project Seminar I. 3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation by each student of a significant project related to a special field in education: definition, design, and method for carrying out the project; recapitulation of relevant material; and completion of an outline. Students will work individually, or in small groups, with an instructor. PREREQ: Permission of the program coordinator.

ESS 706: Project Seminar II. 3 hours, 3 credits. Completion of the project undertaken in ESS 705, including a written report on the research or curriculum development carried out, the results of the work, the bases for evaluating the results, and the author’s recommendations to others interested in the subject. PREREQ: ESS 705.

*ESS 719: The Dynamics of Working with Groups. 3 hours, 3 credits. An investigation of theories and research in the area of classroom group dynamics. Study of group development and classroom behavior. Supervised experience in conducting classroom group discussions, guided observation of large and small groups in action, and directed reading in the literature of classroom group behavior. PREREQ: Graduate adviser’s permission. Field experience or working with a group may be required.

*ESS 766-767: Comparative Analysis of English and Spanish I and II. Each 3 hours, 3 credits. I. A descriptive study of American English and Spanish, based on current usage. A systematic outline of the sound system, the language patterns, and the vocabulary of both languages. II. Comparison and contrast of the linguistic features of both languages.

*ESS 771: Mental Hygiene. 3 hours, 3 credits. Current problems in mental hygiene of the child. Mental hygiene factors in the nursery school and kindergarten, preschool, middle school, later childhood, and adolescent periods.

*ESS 782: The Slow Learner. 3 hours, 3 credits. The organization of appropriate programs and curricula and the techniques of instruction for the slow learner in elementary and secondary schools. PREREQ: Full-time teaching experience.

*ESS 783: Education of the Gifted. 3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of the nature and development of gifted children and of educational provisions indicated for them in modern theory and practice. Workshop, research, and case-study procedures stressed. PREREQ: Teaching experience.

*ESS 785: Microcomputers in Specialized Educational Services. 3 hours, 3 credits. This course provides a comprehensive overview of computer applications in the areas of counseling and guidance, family and consumer studies, reading, and Special Education. Use of computers to deliver specialized educational services to students across a broad range of ages and instructional needs will be emphasized. PREREQ: Permission of the coordinator.

ESS 789: Workshops in Curriculum Design. 1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with graduate adviser’s permission, when the topic changes.) Theoretical and practical approaches to design of curricula. NOTE: Curriculum areas will be announced each semester.

ESS 790: Workshops in Curriculum Materials Development. 1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with Graduate Adviser’s permission, when the topic changes.) Selection and development of instructional materials. NOTE: Curriculum areas are announced each semester.

*ESS 793: The Mass Media in Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Techniques for planning, selecting, using, and evaluating the mass media in light of research findings, curriculum objectives, and the needs of students.

*ESS 794: Technological Resources for Teaching and Learning. 3 hours, 3 credits. Techniques for planning, selecting, using, and evaluating technological systems and aids for learning and teaching. These will be examined in light of research findings, curriculum objectives, and the needs of students. Programmed materials and associated equipment: projectors, recordings, closed-circuit television, video and kinescope recording, automated record keeping, and measurement devices.
*ESS 795: Audiovisual Instruction for the Classroom Teacher. 3 hours, 3 credits. The contribution of audiovisual instructional media (including slides, filmstrips, films, records, computers, and radio and television) to learning. Research equipment, materials, and methods of use for effective teaching and maximal learning. The selection, preparation, creation, and use of audiovisual materials to enrich the learning situation.

Courses in Educational Media

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

EDI 703: Multimedia Production for Educational Environments. 3 hours, 3 credits. Plan, design, implement, and assess multimedia tutorials and projects to support problem-based learning and research across the curriculum. PREREQ: EDE 777 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDI 704: Technology, Problem Solving, and Critical Thinking in Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Review and application of educational theories and research addressing the new technologies supportive of problem solving, critical, and higher-order thinking. PREREQ: EDE 777 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDI 705: Distance Learning and Electronic Communications Applied to Educational Environments. 3 hours, 3 credits. Design and analysis of reformed curriculum incorporating the Internet, videoconferencing, electronic communication, and interactive distance-learning classrooms supportive of critical and higher-order thinking. PREREQ: EDE 777 and permission of the Program Coordinator.

EDI 706: LANS, Networks, and Infrastructure Design and Analysis in Educational Environments. 3 hours, 3 credits. Investigation of design characteristics of local area networks (LANS), intranets, and the global Internet (WANS). Issues to be addressed include infrastructure design and management, security maintenance, ethical and legal questions, curriculum development, professional development of users, and the obtaining and allocation of resources for continued support of existing and planned systems. PREREQ: EDI 705 and permission of the program coordinator.

*EDI 719: Instructional Design. 3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to the principles and procedures for assessing learners and learner groups, articulating goals and objectives, planning and implementing instructional media, and evaluating results of this instruction.

*EDI 720: The Mass Media in Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. The nature of the media in society and its impact on education, viewed in light of communication theory, research findings, and curriculum objectives.

*EDI 721: Educational Media Production I. 3 hours, 3 credits. Production and application of still images using a variety of equipment (such as cameras, slide projectors, overhead and opaque projectors) and production and application of slide tape series; use of terms and concepts in producing and examining images. COREQ: *EDI 719 or the coordinator's permission.

*EDI 722: Educational Media Production II. 3 hours, 3 credits. Production and application of educational materials using moving images and sound (super 8mm film/videotape); use of basic visual terms and concepts in producing and examining these productions. PREREQ: *EDI 719 and 721. COREQ: *EDI 723 or permission.

*EDI 723: Instructional Resources for Teaching and Learning. 3 hours, 3 credits. Locating, evaluating, selecting, and using resources appropriate to the solution of selected educational problems. PREREQ: Coordinator’s permission.

*EDI 724: Practicum in the Application of Media to Educational Problems. 3 hours, 3 credits. Designing and evaluating instructional materials in field settings (schools, hospitals, prisons, etc.).

EDI 791: Documentary Film. 3 hours, 3 credits. Survey of nonfiction film. Study of 16-mm films analyzed in terms of intention, style, quality, and applicability to classroom situations. Students will review current film and television productions. Classroom film documentation of teaching techniques.

*EDI 792: Simulation and Games. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the theory, use, evaluation, and creation of simulation and game situations in school.

*EDI 793: Intermedia Production Techniques. 3 hours, 3 credits. Principles of film, animation, editing, macro photography, monaural and stereo recording, and multiscreen projection, and the integration of these media in classroom presentations.

Areas of Specialization Within Family and Consumer Studies

*FCS 651: Housing for Family Living I
*FCS 652: Housing for Family Living II
*FCS 672: Economic Problems of Family Life and Child Development
*FCS 571: The Family and the Law
FCS (ESS) 671: Family Development
*FCS 673: Home Economics--Aspects of Consumer Education
FCS 674 (HEA 625): Seminar in Human Sexuality
*FCS 611: Clothing Management

Special Topics and Program Development

FCS 501: Current Problems in Family and Consumer Studies
FCS 503: Current Problems in Family and Consumer Studies
FCS 601: Seminar in Family and Consumer Studies

*FCS 661: Developing Family and Consumer Studies Program
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Chair: Abigail S. McNamee (Carman Hall, Room CB 07)
Coordinator, Early Childhood Education: Cecilia Espinosa
(Carman Hall, Room B-15)
Coordinators, Childhood Education: Jeanne Peloso (Carman Hall, Room B-51)

Department Faculty and Staff:
Professors: Abigail McNamee, Anne L. Rothstein; Associate Professors: Nancy Dubetz, Cecilia Espinosa, Christy Folsom, Nancy Maldonado, M. Victoria Rodriguez, Alexandria Lawrence Ross, Marietta Saravia-Sharp; Assistant Professors: Carol Gross, Janet Kremenitzer, Anne Marie Marshall, Jeanne Peloso, Frances Rofrano, Andrea Zakin; Undergraduate Program Coordinators: Nancy Dubetz and Frances Rofrano (Carman Hall, B-45 and B-47)

The Department offers two programs in Early Childhood Education and two programs in Childhood Education. A 36-42-credit program leads to an M.S.Ed. degree in Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2) and a 42-48-credit program leads to an M.S.Ed. degree in Early Childhood Education: Integration of Bilingual Extension (Birth-Grade 2). Both lead to initial and professional certification in New York State and are designed for candidates who have received no previous certification in early childhood but may have certification in a related area, in keeping with the State’s emphasis on dual certification.

The Early Childhood programs serve students who (a) have qualified for initial certification in a related area of teacher education as undergraduates and are interested in dual certification with early childhood education at the professional level (advanced degree), or (b) have 12 or fewer undergraduate credits in teacher education and are interested in initial and professional certification in early childhood education.

A 36-42-credit program leads to an M.S.Ed. Degree in Childhood Education (Grades 1-6). A 39-48-credit program leads to an M.S.Ed. in Childhood Education with Bilingual Extension (Grades 1-6). Both prepare teachers to work in integrated, inclusive, bilingual-multicultural settings. They offer initial and professional certification in New York State upon (a) completion of required coursework, (b) submission of passing scores on the certification examinations, and (c) successful completion of a supervised teaching internship in grades 1-6.

The work of the Department is guided by a conceptual framework referred to as LUTE (Lehman Urban Teacher Education), which expresses the Department’s commitment to developing competent, caring, and qualified educators for the nation’s urban schools. Lehman gives teachers a focus on philosophy, trends, curriculum, methods, materials, and research in the field. The bilingual extension option adds the possibility of initial certification with an emphasis on the bilingual/bicultural child.

Courses of study in both programs provide an educational model based on child development and child study principles, New York State Education Department standards and core curriculum, and National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) standards as described by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC).

Programs in Early Childhood Education

Early Childhood Education Entrance Requirements

- A bachelor’s degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university with a Grade Point Average of 3.0 for all undergraduate and graduate work completed prior to acceptance.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Submit scores on New York State’s Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST) for advisement purposes if initial certification is not successfully completed.
- An interview might be scheduled upon faculty request.

(Requirements and procedures are available in the Department office, located in Room B-32 of Carman Hall.)

Early Childhood Education Degree Requirements

To qualify for the M.S.Ed. degree in Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2), students must fulfill the following requirements:
1. Submit scores on the ATS-W and CST.
2. Complete 42 credits of prescribed coursework.
3. Submit professional portfolio.
4. Satisfactory research project submitted for publication.
5. Apply for initial or professional certification.

To qualify for a M.S. Ed. in Early Childhood Education/Integration of Bilingual Extension (Birth – Grade 2), students must fulfill the following requirements:
1. Submit scores on the ATS-W and CST.
2. Complete 48 credits of prescribed coursework.
3. Submit professional portfolio.
4. Submit satisfactory research project for publication.
5. Apply for initial or professional certification by completing the requirements for a Bilingual Extension: EDC 738, EDC 739, EDC 727, and SPE 703.
6. Pass Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA).

Early Childhood Education Gifted and Talented Certificate Extension

A 12-credit Extension in Teaching Students who are Gifted and Talented (EDS 725, EDS 726, EDS 727, and EDS 728) is available to any student who already holds an Initial/Professional Certificate as a Teacher of Early Childhood (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood (Grades 1-6), Middle and High School Academic Subjects (Grades 7-12), TESOL (Birth – Grade 12), Literacy Specialist: Early Childhood (Birth – Grade 2), Literacy Specialist: Childhood (Grades 1-6), Literacy Specialist: Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education (Grades 5-12), Early Childhood Special Education (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood Special Education (Grades 1-6), and Adolescent Special Education in an Academic Subject (Grades 7-12). The extension courses focus on the nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented students and on best practices for teaching students with these characteristics.
**Early Childhood Education Birth-Grade 2 (39-45 credits)**

**Overview**

Students in both Early Childhood Education programs must complete courses in three competency areas, including student teaching. To progress from one competency area to the next, candidates must meet continuation requirements as listed below.

**Early Childhood Education Birth-Grade 2 (39-45 credits)**

39 credits for students with initial or provisional certification in Pre-K-Grade 6 or Childhood Education.

45 credits for students without prior teacher certification.

- **COMPETENCY AREA I: Foundations in Early Childhood Development and Education (15 credits):** EDC 721 (3), EDC 722 (3), EDS 702 (3), EDC 734 (3) or elective, EDC 735 (3).

Fulfill requirements for continuation: (1) Complete first 6 credits with a 3.0 G.P.A. (2) Submit academic portfolio for each course of the first 6-12 credits.

- **COMPETENCY AREA II: Professional Coursework in Early Childhood Development and Education (18 credits):** EDC 713 (3), EDC 714 (3), EDC 715 (3), EDC 716 (3), EDC 717 (3), EDC 718 (3).

Fulfill requirements for entry into student teaching: (1) Successful application to the Student Teaching Coordinator. (2) Complete at least 12 credits in Competency Area II.

**Student Teaching and Seminar (6 credits):** EDC 795 (3) and EDC 790 (3).

**Student Teaching Internship and Seminar (6 credits):** EDC 784 (3), EDC 795 (3), EDC 745 (1), EDC 746 (1), EDC 748 (2), EDC 749 (2) OR EDC 747 (2), EDC 748 (2), EDC 749 (2) OR EDC 758 (3), EDC 759 (3).

Fulfill requirements for continuation: (1) Successful completion of student teaching or internship. (2) Submit an academic portfolio for each course of the first 36-39 credits, with evidence of achieved outcomes. (3) Apply for Initial or Professional Certification.

- **COMPETENCY AREA III: Professional Practice in Early Childhood Education (3-6 credits):** EDC 756 (3), *EDC 757 (3).

*Only for certified students

**Early Childhood Education: Integration of Bilingual Extension, Birth-Grade 2 (45-51 credits)**

The Bilingual Extension of the Initial or Professional Certificate enables one to teach bilingual students. The requirements for the Initial or Professional Certificates must be fulfilled before a Bilingual Extension can be issued. In addition, the Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA) exam is required.

- **COMPETENCY AREA I: Foundations in Early Childhood Development and Education (18 credits):** EDC 721 (3), EDC 722 (3), EDS 702 (3), EBS 701 (3), EDC 734 (3) or elective, EDC 735 (3).

Fulfill requirements for continuation: (1) Complete first 6 credits with a 3.0 GPA (2) Submit academic portfolio for each course of the first 6-12 credits.


Fulfill requirements for entry into student teaching: (1) Successful application to Student Teaching Coordinator. (2) Complete at least 15 credits in Competency Area II.

**Student Teaching and Seminar: **EDC 795 (3) and EDC 781 (3) (supervised student teaching Bilingual Extension) or *EDC 790 (3).

**Student Teaching Internship and Seminar:** EDC 795 (3), EDC 784 (3), EDC 745 (1), EDC 746 (1), EDC 748 (2), EDC 749 (2) OR EDC 747 (2), EDC 748 (2), EDC 749 (2) OR EDC 758 (3), EDC 759 (3).

Fulfill requirements for continuation: (1) Successfully complete student teaching. (2) Submit an academic portfolio for each course of the first 45 credits, with evidence of achieved outcomes. (3) Apply for Initial or Professional Certification.

- **COMPETENCY AREA III: Professional Practice in Early Childhood Education (3-6 credits):** EDC 756 (3), *EDC 757 (3).

*Only for certified students

**Programs in Childhood Education**

**Childhood Education Entrance Requirements**

- A bachelor's degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university with a GPA of 3.0 for all undergraduate and graduate work completed prior to acceptance.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- An interview might be scheduled by faculty request.
(Requirements and procedures are available in the Department office, Carman Hall, Room B-32.)

**Childhood Education Degree Requirements**

To qualify for the M.S. degree in Childhood Education (Grades 1-6), students must fulfill the following requirements: (1) Submit scores on Educating All Students Test (EAS), Academic Literacy Skills Test (ALST) and Content Specialty Test (CST). (2) Complete 36-42 credits of prescribed course work. (3) Submit professional portfolio. (4) Submit and pass edTPA. (5) Submit application for Initial or Professional Certification.

To qualify for the M.S. in Childhood Education—Integration of Bilingual Extension (Grades 1-6), students must fulfill the following requirements: (1) Submit scores on Educating All Students Test (EAS), Academic Literacy Skills Test (ALST) and Content Specialty Test (CST). (2) Complete 39-48 credits of prescribed coursework. (3) Submit professional portfolio. (4) Submit and pass edTPA. (5) Apply for initial or professional certification by completing requirements for a Bilingual Extension: EDE 738, EDE 739, EDE 727, and EDS 701. (6) Pass the Bilingual Extension Assessment (BEA).

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Childhood Education Gifted and Talented Certificate Extension

A 12-credit Extension in Teaching Students who are Gifted and Talented (EDS 725, EDS 726, EDS 727, and EDS 728) is available to any student who already holds an Initial/Professional Certificate as a Teacher of Early Childhood (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood (Grades 1-6), Middle and High School Academic Subjects (Grades 7-12), TESOL (Birth – Grade 12), Literacy Specialist: Early Childhood (Birth-Grade 2), Literacy Specialist: Childhood (Grades 1-6), Literacy Specialist: Middle Childhood and Adolescent Education (Grades 5-12), Early Childhood Special Education (Birth to Grade 2), Childhood Special Education (Grades 1-6), and Adolescent Special Education in an Academic Subject (Grades 7-12). The extension courses focus on the nature and needs of culturally and linguistically diverse gifted and talented students and on best practices for teaching students with these characteristics.

Childhood Education Grades 1-6 (42-48 credits)

Childhood Education Overview

Students in both Childhood Education programs must complete courses in three competency areas, including a supervised teaching experience. To progress from one competency area to the next, candidates must meet continuation requirements as listed below.

Childhood Education Grades 1-6 (42-48 credits)

42 credits for students with Initial or Provisional Certification in Pre-K-Grade 6 or Childhood Education.

48 credits for students without prior teacher certification.

• COMPETENCY AREA I: Foundations in Childhood Development and Education (12 credits): EDS 707 (3), EDE 721 (3), EDE 722 (3), EDE 735 (3). Submit academic portfolio for each course of the first 12 credits.


(1) Successful application to the Student Teaching Coordinator.
(2) Complete at least 12 credits in Competency Area II.

Student Teaching and Seminar (6 credits): EDE 795 (4) and EDE 783 (2).

OR: Student Internship and Seminar (6 credits): EDE 783 (3), EDE 784 (3).

This requirement does not apply to students with Initial or Provisional Certification.

(1) Successfully complete student teaching or internship. (2) Submit an academic portfolio for each course of the first 36 credits with evidence of achieved outcomes. (3) Apply for Initial or Professional Certification.

• COMPETENCY AREA III: Professional Practice in Childhood Education (3 credits): EDE 756 (3).

Childhood Education Integration of Bilingual Extension: Grades 1-6 (39-48 credits)

The Bilingual Extension of the Initial or Professional Certificate enables one to teach bilingual students. The requirements for the Initial or Professional Certificates must be fulfilled before a Bilingual Extension can be issued. In addition, the Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA) exams is required.

42 credits for students with Initial or Provisional Certification in Pre-K-Grade 6 or Childhood Education.

48 credits for students without prior teacher certification.

• COMPETENCY AREA I: Foundations in Childhood Development and Education (12 credits): EDS 707 (3), EDE 721 (3), EDE 722 (3), EDE 735 (3). Submit academic portfolio for each course of the first 9 credits.


(1) Successful application to the Student Teaching Coordinator.
(2) Complete at least 12 credits in Competency Area II.

Student Teaching and Seminar (6 credits): EDE 795 (4) and EDE 783 (2).

OR: Student Internship and Seminar (6 credits): EDE 783 (3), EDE 784 (3).

This requirement does not apply to students, with Initial or Provisional Certification.

(1) Successfully complete student teaching or internship. (2) Submit an academic portfolio for each course of the first 36 credits, with evidence of achieved outcomes. (3) Apply for Initial or Professional Certification.

• COMPETENCY AREA III: Professional Practice in Childhood Education (3 credits): EDE 756 (3).

Courses in Early Childhood Education

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.*
EDC 701: Educational Psychology, Child Study, and Development.
30 hours plus fieldwork, 3 credits. Study of factors affecting development and human growth from conception through eight years. Developmental theories and research findings related to the physical, emotional, cognitive, and social growth of the child. Personality theories related to the development of self-concept will be examined. Diagnostic and assessment techniques and measures will be studied. Specific child-study observational skills and procedures will be developed. Pupil evaluation, class assessment, and testing related to child study and development will be made possible through field experiences.

EDC 702: Educational Psychology, Learning.
60 hours plus fieldwork, 6 credits. Study of factors affecting learning from birth through eight years; learning theories and research findings related to the normal and special child; application of learning theories to mainstreamed classes. Emphasis on maturation, readiness, and basic-skill acquisition. Diagnostic and assessment techniques and measures will be applied in field settings. Three learning modules will be included: sensorimotor, communication and conceptual, logical, and reflective thinking.

EDC 703: Program Planning for Early Childhood.
30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Analysis of factors affecting the design and development of educational programs in terms of educational goals and mental health principles.

EDC 704: Early Childhood Program Trends.
30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Early childhood program trends in relation to historical, philosophical, and current community and social needs. Patterns will be examined and analyzed. A survey of a broad range of programs will be examined through the use of films, school visits, and speakers, as well as individualized field experiences.

EDC 713: Literacy Development in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which infants, toddlers, young children, and young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs develop an understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to social studies, assessment, and instruction, including use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum that meets national and State standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721 EDC 722. COREQ: EDC 714. No student can receive credit for both EDE 713 and EDC 714.

EDC 714: Social Studies Concept Development in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which infants, toddlers, young children, and young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs develop an understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to social studies, assessment, and instruction, including use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum that meets national and State standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721 EDC 722. COREQ: EDC 716.

EDC 715: Mathematical Concept Formation in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which infants, toddlers, young children, young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs develop an understanding of mathematical concepts in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to assessment and documentation in young children's mathematics development through the use of concrete materials and media and technology consistent with national and State Standards and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721 EDC 722. COREQ: EDC 716.

EDC 716: Developing Young Children's Concepts in Art, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which young children, young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs, develop artistic expression and appreciation of art in family, neighborhood, early care, and school settings. Approaches to assessment and documentation of children's artistic development and expressions of ideas in art using concrete materials and appropriate tools from technology, consistent with National and State Standards and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721 EDC 722. COREQ: EDC 715.
EDC 717: Developing Science Concepts in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which infants, toddlers, young children, young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs, develop an understanding of science in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to science exploration, investigation, documentation and assessment, including technology within an integrated curriculum to meet National and State Standards and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, and action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721, EDC 722, one undergraduate or graduate laboratory science course. COREQ: EDC 718.

EDC 718: Developing Music Appreciation in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which infants, toddlers, young children and young children who are learning English as a second language, and young children with special needs learn to appreciate and create music in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to music development, assessment, and instructional strategies, including use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum that meets national and State Standards and the needs of children with disabilities. The course requires visits to early childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 721, EDC 722. COREQ: EDC 717.

EDC 721: Child Study and Developmental Assessment, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Extended study of the integrated factors affecting infants, toddlers, and young children’s physical, social, emotional, cognitive, language, and aesthetic development through observation, case study, and exposure to research and dominant theories of child development and learning through multiple technologies. Assessment of how young children differ in their development and approaches to supporting individual development; assessment of conditions that affect young children’s development, including risk factors and patterns of specific disabilities, and cultural and linguistic diversity and significance of sociocultural and political contexts. Requires fieldwork with children, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. COREQ: EDC 722.

EDC 722: Child Development and Program Design in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Design, implementation, and assessment of developmentally appropriate programs and instructional practices based on: knowledge of the needs and interests of young children including those with disabilities and diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds; knowledge of the community; curriculum goals; and City, State, and national standards. Study of model programs for, and issues related to, programs for young children reflecting the sociocultural, historical, and political forces that influence the diverse delivery systems through which programs are offered for young children and their families. Focus on the health, safety, physical, emotional, social, cognitive, cultural, and aesthetic aspects of programs. Requires student observation, action research, appropriate use of media and technology, and an academic portfolio. COREQ: EDC 721.

EDC/EDE 727: Teaching English as a Second Language (Pre-K to Grade 6).
4 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching children whose native language is not English and children with special needs. Focus on how to teach content with an emphasis on English language arts, using English as a Second Language methodologies. Attention on addressing the influence of language, cultural and community orientation, and prior schooling experiences on learning in a second language including children with disabilities. This course requires 15 hours of fieldwork with children in ESL classrooms. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2; EDC 738/EDE 738, *EBS 701, and one of the following: EDC 739/EDE 739 or EDC/EDE 733. (Note: Required course for Bilingual Extension.)

6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways that infants, toddlers, and young bilingual, bicultural children develop language and literacy. Understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, early care, and school settings. Study of approaches to literacy and the social studies documentation and assessment and instructional strategies in native and second languages through media and technology within an integrated curriculum. Requires fieldwork with children, action research, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of Competency Area I and Step 2.

6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of diverse ways in which infants, toddlers, and young children develop language and literacy and understand basic human needs and human interdependence in family, early care, and school settings. Study of approaches to literacy and the social studies documentation and assessment and instructional strategies, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum. Requires fieldwork with children, action research, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of Competency Area I and Step 2.
EDC 732: Understanding and Documenting Young Children’s Concepts of Mathematics and Art, Birth to Grade 2.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which infants, toddlers, and young children develop an understanding of mathematical concepts and the appreciation and creation of art in family, early care, and school settings. Study of approaches to formal and informal documentation and assessment of children’s development in mathematics and art to ensure the continuous development of problem-solving processes and expression of ideas in both mathematics and art. Construction of meaning through a variety of instructional opportunities that support the intellectual and social development of diverse learners, using appropriate tools from media and technology, concrete materials, drawings and diagrams, analogy, and modeling. Requires fieldwork with children, action research, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of Competency Area I and Step 2.

EDC 733: Understanding and Documenting Young Children’s Concepts of the Sciences and Music, Birth to Grade 2.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which infants, toddlers, and young children develop an understanding of the sciences and come to appreciate and create music in family, early care, and school settings. Study of approaches to the sciences and music documentation and assessment and instructional strategies, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum. Requires fieldwork with children, action research, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of Competency Area I and Step 2, BIO 150, CHE 136, PHY 135, GEO 166, or equivalent.

EDC 734: Programs and Environments for Infants and Toddlers, Birth to 3 Years.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of five areas of infant and toddler development (physical, cognitive, emotional, social, and language) including children who are learning English as a second language and children with special needs. Implementation of Developmental Profiles for infants and toddlers in care as a basis for program development and curriculum design. Design and implementation of appropriate environments for infants and toddlers considering cultural and family contexts. Ten hours of observations in infant and toddler settings, action research, use of technology, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDC 721 and EDC 722.

EDC 735: Family, School, and Community Interaction in Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of a theoretical framework for developing skills among teachers to support parental involvement in the education of infants, toddlers, and young children at home, in early care, and in school settings. Emphasis on culturally and economically diverse communities and relationships to community organizations. Fieldwork in early childhood settings and community organizations serving diverse populations, action research, and an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDC 721 and EDC 722. No student can receive credit for both EDC 735 and EDC 736.

EDC 738: Literacy in Bilingual/Bicultural Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways that infants, toddlers, young bilingual, bicultural children, and children with special needs develop language and literacy in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to literacy assessment and instruction in both the native and second languages, including use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum to meet national, state standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood bilingual settings, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 727. COREQ: EDC 739. Note: Required course for Bilingual Extension.

EDC 739: Social Studies Concept Development in Bilingual/Bicultural Early Childhood Settings, Birth to Grade 2.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways infant, toddlers, and young bilingual, bicultural children and children with special needs develop an understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, early care, and school settings. Approaches to social studies concepts, assessment, and instruction in both the native and second languages, including use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum to meet national and state standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. Visits to early childhood bilingual settings, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDC 727. COREQ: EDC 738. Note: Required course for Bilingual Extension.

EDC 745: Teaching Internship and Seminar I.
1 hour, 1 credit. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculated status.

EDC 746: Teaching Internship and Seminar II.
1 hour, 1 credit. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDC 745.

EDC 747: Teaching Internship and Seminar III.
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who assume teaching positions just prior to, or at the outset of, their second semester of matriculation.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculated status: 12-15 credits.

EDC 748: Teaching Internship and Seminar IV.
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDC 746 or EDC 747.
EDC 749: Teaching Internship and Seminar V.  
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDC 748.

EDC 756: Teacher as Researcher and Writer.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Continued development and utilization of research skills appropriate to an area of specialization in early childhood culminating in a written capstone project. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and II. COREQ: EDC 757. No student can receive credit for both EDC 756 and EDE 756.

EDC 757: Ethics and Professionalism in Early Childhood Teaching.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the early childhood teaching profession, its multiple historical, philosophical, and social foundations. Analysis of teaching practices through the use of self-assessment as a form of evaluation and professional portfolio development. Examination of the purpose and meaning of teaching and the contributions made to the profession through analysis of the students' own teaching experiences. PREREQ: Competency Area II and Step 4. COREQ: EDC 756. No student can receive credit for both EDC 757 and EDE 757.

EDC 758: Intensive Teaching Internship and Seminar I.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (For matriculated students who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculated status.

EDC 759: Intensive Teaching Internship and Seminar II.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (For matriculated students in Early Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDC 758.

EDC 770-771: Advanced Studies in the Curriculum I and II.  
Each 30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Curriculum content, methods, and materials in Early Childhood Education as related to affective, cognitive, and social development within the Early Childhood Education program. Different curricular areas will be presented for special consideration each semester.

30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Designed to help those in early childhood and elementary education understand and effectively handle questions arising from parent-child relationships and teacher-parent-child relationships. Readings, case histories, and data drawn from individual experiences will be used to explore the dynamics of the most frequently encountered problems of children in classrooms. Methods will be developed to form constructive relationships with children, parents, and ancillary school or social agency personnel.

EDC 776: Special Studies in Early Childhood Education.  
15-45 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be repeated for up to 6 credits with permission of Graduate Adviser as the topic changes.) Investigation of specific developments, problems, or practices in the field of Early Childhood Education. Topics and credits will vary and be announced each semester.

*EDC 778: Workshop—Teaching as Process in Early Childhood Education.  
30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Providing an understanding of the process of teaching. Analysis of the role of the teacher through an examination of literature, films, and related research. Development of models of teaching; examination and refinement of teaching skills; and examination of the hierarchal functioning of teachers in classrooms, schools, and the community.

*EDC 779: Administration and Supervision in Early Childhood Education.  
30 hours plus confs., 3 credits. Responsibilities and functions of administrators and supervisors in staff relationships. Agency and community contacts will be analyzed. Personnel, budget, supplies, and in-service training responsibilities related to nursery schools, child-care centers, private schools, and other institutions for young children will be examined.

EDC 781: Supervised Student Teaching in Bilingual Settings, Pre-K to Grade 2.  
300 hours, 3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in bilingual/multicultural settings that include students with disabilities and students of different early childhood age/grade levels (Pre-K, K, Grades 1-2), with particular emphasis on the bilingual classroom. Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. For Bilingual students EDC 738, EDC 739, EDC 727, *EBS 701. COREQ: EDC 795.

EDC (EDE) 783: Student Teaching Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Utilization of the classroom setting as laboratory; realistic examination of the multidimensional issues that reflect the complexities of teaching. Further development of the ability to problem solve, to consider flexible and varied interactions with children, and to reflect so that students develop as competent, qualified, and caring learners/teachers. Analysis and discussion of concerns, fears, views within a safe, supportive environment. Completion of a professional electronic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722, and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDE 756; EDE 795, EDE 782 or EDE 784.
EDC 784: Supervised Student Teaching Internship, Birth to Grade 2.  
3 credits. Collaboration between college and school partners to provide opportunities for uncertified teachers in classrooms to continue to establish best professional practices, with emphasis on all learners, developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices in the teacher’s current setting, supervised by College faculty. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. COREQ: EDC 795.

*EDC 790: Student Teaching Internship for N-III Teachers.  
Semester field placement and confs., 3 credits. A course in student teaching. This internship will provide for placements at several early childhood levels: family day care, day care, nursery, kindergarten, early childhood centers, and primary grades I-III. Applicants will be required to meet the demands of early childhood personnel. Negative chest x-ray report required.

EDC 790: Supervised Student Teaching—Pre-K to Grade 2.  
3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices with emphasis on all learners, developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in a variety of settings that include culturally diverse populations, students with disabilities, and students of different age/grade levels (Pre-K, K, and Grades 1-2). Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement, a minimum of 300 hours, and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. COREQ: EDC 795.

EDC 795: Student Teaching/Internship Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. A weekly forum for students to analyze teaching practices through the use of a variety of assessments as a form of evaluation. Development of the ability to problem solve, to consider flexible and varied interactions with diverse children, and to reflect in order to support students development as competent, qualified, caring, and ethical professionals. Examination of the purpose and meaning of teaching through analysis and discussion of students own teaching experiences, such as concerns, fears, and views within a safe, supportive environment, as well as others’ contributions made to the profession. Development of a professional portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of foundation courses and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDC 756, EDC 790, EDC 781 or EDC 784.

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EDC 784: Supervised Student Teaching Internship, Birth to Grade 2.  
3 credits. Collaboration between college and school partners to provide opportunities for uncertified teachers in classrooms to continue to establish best professional practices, with emphasis on all learners, developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices in the teacher’s current setting, supervised by College faculty. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. COREQ: EDC 795.

*EDC 790: Student Teaching Internship for N-III Teachers.  
Semester field placement and confs., 3 credits. A course in student teaching. This internship will provide for placements at several early childhood levels: family day care, day care, nursery, kindergarten, early childhood centers, and primary grades I-III. Applicants will be required to meet the demands of early childhood personnel. Negative chest x-ray report required.

EDC 790: Supervised Student Teaching—Pre-K to Grade 2.  
3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices with emphasis on all learners, developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in a variety of settings that include culturally diverse populations, students with disabilities, and students of different age/grade levels (Pre-K, K, and Grades 1-2). Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement, a minimum of 300 hours, and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. COREQ: EDC 795.

EDC 795: Student Teaching/Internship Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. A weekly forum for students to analyze teaching practices through the use of a variety of assessments as a form of evaluation. Development of the ability to problem solve, to consider flexible and varied interactions with diverse children, and to reflect in order to support students development as competent, qualified, caring, and ethical professionals. Examination of the purpose and meaning of teaching through analysis and discussion of students own teaching experiences, such as concerns, fears, and views within a safe, supportive environment, as well as others’ contributions made to the profession. Development of a professional portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of foundation courses and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDC 756, EDC 790, EDC 781 or EDC 784.

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3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices with emphasis on all learners, developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in a variety of settings that include culturally diverse populations, students with disabilities, and students of different age/grade levels (Pre-K, K, and Grades 1-2). Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement, a minimum of 300 hours, and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: Successful completion in Competency Areas I and 12 credits in Competency II. COREQ: EDC 795.

EDC 795: Student Teaching/Internship Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. A weekly forum for students to analyze teaching practices through the use of a variety of assessments as a form of evaluation. Development of the ability to problem solve, to consider flexible and varied interactions with diverse children, and to reflect in order to support students development as competent, qualified, caring, and ethical professionals. Examination of the purpose and meaning of teaching through analysis and discussion of students own teaching experiences, such as concerns, fears, and views within a safe, supportive environment, as well as others’ contributions made to the profession. Development of a professional portfolio. PREREQ: Successful completion of foundation courses and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDC 756, EDC 790, EDC 781 or EDC 784.

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*EDE 640: Teaching Mathematics in the Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the content, organization, and methods of teaching in elementary mathematics programs. Emphasis on using research results to evaluate critically existing curricula and to organize teaching approaches that lead to the development of problem-solving skills. PREREQ: Passing grade on Departmental Mathematics Content Exam.

*EDE 651: Teaching Science in the Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Improving the elementary school teacher's cognitive knowledge in the sciences. Helping the teacher utilize concepts suggested by content for the purpose of developing activities and materials suitable for the effective teaching of science as an inquiry process. PREREQ: *EDE 630 (or equivalent).

*EDE/ESC 700: Psychology in Education, Group Dynamics.
3 hours, 3 credits. A laboratory course using here-and-now experiences to study interpersonal perceptions; communication networks; and group decision-making patterns, leadership, and structure. Develop skills in diagnosing and improving group functioning. PREREQ: Full-time teaching experience.

*EDE 701: Psychology in Elementary Education, Advanced Educational Psychology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Current psychological theory related to children's basic learning processes. Consideration of multicultural, economic, ethnic, and racial factors in society as they affect classroom learning. Formal and informal approaches to the evaluation of learning as a basis for curriculum decision-making. PREREQ: Previous course in educational psychology. COREQ: Currently teaching.

*EDE/ESC 702: Foundations of Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Studies of critical periods and movements in American education history, with emphasis on social, political, and intellectual developments and the role of leading educational theorists as agents of change in education.

*EDE/ESC 703: School and Community.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis, from historical and contemporary perspectives, of education as a social process and social institution in an urban setting. Emphasis on the teacher's role as facilitator of understanding and change with parents, children, and community in multicultural, economic, ethnic, and racial school settings. A minimum of ten hours community field experience is required.

*EDE 704: Educational Evaluation.
3 hours, 3 credits. Fundamentals of measurement and statistics for the classroom teacher. Emphasis on the planning, construction, administration, analysis, and evaluation of tests and examinations used by the teacher, including teacher-made and standardized tests. The collection and analysis of data are required.

*EDE 705: Project Seminar I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation by each student of a significant project related to teaching in early childhood or elementary education: definition, design, method for carrying out the project, recapitulation of relevant material, and completion of an outline. Students will work individually, or in small groups, with an instructor. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser's permission.

*EDE 706: Project Seminar II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Completion of the project undertaken in *EDE 705, including a written report on the research or curriculum development carried out, results of the work, basis for evaluating the results, and the author's recommendations to others interested in the subject. PREREQ: *EDE 705.

*EDE 707: Introduction to Educational Research I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation of a research problem by each student; its definition, the method of study appropriate to the problem, recapitulation of pertinent studies, and collection and analysis of data. Students will work individually with a Graduate Adviser and in small groups. PREREQ: *EDE 704 and instructor's permission.

*EDE 708: Introduction to Educational Research II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation of a research problem by each student; its definition, the method of study appropriate to the problem, recapitulation of pertinent studies, and collection and analysis of data. Students will work individually with a Graduate Adviser and in small groups. PREREQ: *EDE 707.

EDE 713: Literacy in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which children develop language and literacy in family, neighborhood, and school settings including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs. Approaches to literacy, assessment, and instruction, including use of media and technology, with integrated curricula that meet State and national standards and the needs of children with disabilities. Ten hours of fieldwork required with children in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721 and EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 714. No student can receive credit for both EDE 713 and EDC 713.

EDE 714: Learning and Teaching Social Studies in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children, including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs, develop an understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to social studies, and assessment and instructional strategies, through media and technology, within an integrated curricula to meet State and national standards. Ten hours of fieldwork required with children in childhood settings with diverse populations, integrative seminar, action research, and development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 713. No student can receive credit for both EDE 714 and EDC 714.
EDE 715: Learning and Teaching Mathematics in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children, including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs develop an understanding of mathematical concepts in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to assessment and documentation of children's development in mathematics to insure continuous development of problem-solving processes and expression of ideas in mathematics. State and national standards are met using appropriate tools from media and technology, concrete materials, drawings and diagrams, analogy and modeling. Ten hours of fieldwork required in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 716.

EDE 716: Learning and Teaching Art in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children, including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs develop the appreciation of art in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to assessment and documentation of children's artistic development to include focus on problem-solving processes and expression of ideas in art. Appropriate tools from media and technology, concrete materials, drawings and diagrams, analogy and modeling will be utilized to meet State and national standards. Ten hours of fieldwork required in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 717.

EDE 717: Learning and Teaching Science in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of ways in which children, including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs develop an understanding of science in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Approaches to science, documentation and assessment of instruction, including the use of media and technology within an integrated curriculum to meet State and national standards. Ten hours of fieldwork required in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721 and EDE 722, one undergraduate or graduate laboratory science course. COREQ: EDE 718.

EDE 718: Learning and Teaching Music in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children, including children who are learning English as a second language, and children with special needs come to appreciate and create music in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to music assessment and instructional strategies through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum to meet State and national standards. Ten hours of fieldwork required in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 717.

EDE 721: Child Study and Developmental Assessment, Grade 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the integrated factors affecting children's physical, social, emotional, cognitive, language, and aesthetic development. Exposure to dominant theories of child development and learning through multiple technologies. Informal assessment of how children differ in their development and conditions that affect children's development, including risk factors, patterns of specific disabilities, cultural and linguistic diversity, and sociocultural and political contexts. Observations in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. COREQ: EDE 722. No student can receive credit for both EDE 721 and EDC 721.

EDE 722: Child Development and Program Design in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Design, implementation, and assessment of developmentally appropriate programs and instructional practices based on knowledge of the needs and interests of children, including those with disabilities and diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds, as well as on knowledge of the community; of curriculum goals; and of City, State, and national standards. Study of model programs for, and issues related to, programs for children reflecting sociocultural, historical, and political forces that influence the diverse delivery systems through which programs are offered for children and their families. Focus on the health, safety, physical, emotional, social, cognitive, cultural, and aesthetic aspects of programs. Observations in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, appropriate use of media and technology, development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. COREQ: EDE 721. No student can receive credit for both EDE 722 and EDC 722.
EDE/EDC 727: Teaching English as a Second Language (Pre-K to Grade 6).
4 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching children whose native language is not English and children with special needs. Focus on how to teach content with an emphasis on English language arts, using English as a Second Language methodologies. Attention on addressing the influence of language, cultural and community orientation, and prior schooling experiences on learning in a second language including children with disabilities. This course requires 15 hours of fieldwork with children in ESL classrooms. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2; EDC 738/EDE 738, *EBS 701, and one of the following: EDC 739/EDE 739 or EDC/EDE 733. (Note: Required course for Bilingual Extension.)

EDE 728: Literature in the Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. A critical survey of the literature available for elementary school children, with special emphasis on the use of such material for enriching a basal reading program and/or serving in an individualized reading program.

3 hours, 3 credits. A course designed to supplement and extend the elementary school teacher's abilities in science teaching. Includes the detailed planning of several science units. Special attention is given to science demonstrations and laboratory work, including the assembly of apparatus and the presentation of the unit for class discussion. PREREQ: One year of college laboratory science and a previous course in the teaching of science in the elementary school.

3 hours, 3 credits. A course designed to prepare resource teachers for coordinating sciences in the elementary schools. It will include a study of the objectives and content of elementary science curricula; training in the methods and techniques of elementary science teaching; demonstration and laboratory materials, textbooks, reference books, periodicals, and other teaching aids; the problems of ordering and storing science supplies; the use of audiovisual devices; community resources and the conducting of field trips; participation in science fairs and exhibits; science assemblies; and the evaluation of elementary science teaching. One of the important activities will be setting up grade conferences, workshops, and other types of training programs for teachers.

*EDE 732: Curriculum Development in Environmental Education for the Elementary School.
3 hours, including confs. and/or fieldwork, 3 credits. Study of the environment as an integrating theme in the elementary school curriculum. Physical, biological, psychological, and sociological environmental factors: their relationships and interrelationships are considered. Current trends and developments in curriculum, teaching techniques and materials, and community resources will be explored. PREREQ: One year of a college laboratory science and one course in the social sciences.

EDE 733: Learning and Teaching Science and Music in Childhood Settings — Grades 1 to 6.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children develop an understanding of the sciences and come to appreciate and create music in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of the approaches to the sciences and music documentation, and assessment and instructional strategies, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum. The course requires fieldwork with children in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2. No student can receive credit for both EDE 733 and EDC 733.

EDE 735: Family, School, and Community Interaction in Childhood Contexts — Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of a theoretical framework for developing skills among teachers to support parental involvement in the education of children at home and in varied childhood settings. Emphasis on culturally and economically diverse communities and relationships to community organizations. Ten hours of required fieldwork in childhood settings and community organizations serving diverse populations, action research, the appropriate use of media and technology, and the development of an academic portfolio. No student can receive credit for both EDE 735 and EDC 735.

EDE 738: Learning and Teaching Literacy in Bilingual/Bicultural Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways that bilingual, bicultural children and children with special needs develop language and literacy in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to literacy, and assessment and instructional strategies in both the native and second languages, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum to meet State and national standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. The course requires visits to childhood bilingual settings, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 739.

EDE 739: Learning and Teaching Social Studies in Bilingual/Bicultural Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways that bilingual, bicultural children and children with special needs develop an understanding of basic human needs and interdependence in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to social studies, and assessment and instructional strategies in both the native and second languages, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum to meet State and national standards, and the needs of children with disabilities. The course requires visits to childhood bilingual settings, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. Ten hours of fieldwork required. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722. COREQ: EDE 738.
3 hours, 3 credits. Teaching and learning problems in developing mathematical concepts and computational skills in the elementary and intermediate school years. Recent research and new programs in the teaching of elementary school mathematics. PREREQ: A previous course in methods of teaching mathematics in the elementary school.

*EDE 741: Materials and Methods for Mathematics Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Development and use of mathematics laboratories and multimedia approaches for teaching elementary school mathematics. PREREQ: *EDE 740.

*EDE 742: Supervision and Coordination of Elementary School Mathematics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Development of elementary school mathematics programs including: the psychology of learning mathematics, testing and evaluation, selection of textbooks and other materials, and problems in supervision. PREREQ: *EDE 740.

*EDE 743: Diagnosis of Difficulties in Learning Elementary School Mathematics.

*EDE 744: Practicum in Developing Remedial Programs for Children Experiencing Difficulty in Learning Elementary Mathematics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Using research for designing, implementing, and evaluating remedial elementary mathematics programs for children with specific difficulties in learning mathematics. PRE- or COREQ: *EDE 743.

EDE 745: Teaching Internship and Seminar I.
1 hour, 1 credit. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support of students via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculated status.

EDE 746: Teaching Internship and Seminar II.
1 hour, 1 credit. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDE 745.

EDE 747: Teaching Internship and Seminar III.
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who assume teaching positions just prior to or at the outset of their second semester of matriculation.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculation: 12-15 credits.

EDE 748: Teaching Internship and Seminar IV.
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDE 746 or EDE 747.

EDE 749: Teaching Internship and Seminar V.
2 hours, 2 credits. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDE 748.

3 hours, 3 credits. Teaching and learning problems in social studies programs in the elementary school. Recent research and new curricula in elementary social studies.

EDE 751: Learning and Teaching Literacy and the Social Studies in Bilingual/Bicultural Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration in the diverse ways that bilingual, bicultural children develop language and literacy and an understanding of basic human needs and human interdependence in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to literacy and social studies documentation, and assessment and instructional strategies, in both native and second languages through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum. Requires fieldwork with children in childhood bilingual settings, action research, and development of academic portfolio. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2. No student can receive credit for both EDE 751 and EDC 730.

EDE 752: Learning and Teaching Literacy and the Social Studies in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children develop language and literacy and an understanding of basic human needs and human interdependence in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to literacy and social studies documentation, and assessment and instructional strategies, through media and technology as appropriate within an integrated curriculum. Requires fieldwork with children in childhood settings with diverse populations, integrative seminar, action research, development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2. No student can receive credit for both EDE 752 and EDC 731.
EDE 753: Learning and Teaching Mathematics and Art in Childhood Settings—Grades 1 to 6.
6 hours, 6 credits. Exploration of the diverse ways in which children develop an understanding of mathematical concepts and the appreciation of art in family, neighborhood, and school settings. Study of approaches to mathematics assessment and documentation of children's development in mathematics and art to insure the continuous development of problem-solving processes and expression of ideas in both mathematics and art. Construction of meaning through instructional opportunities that support the intellectual and social development of diverse learners, using appropriate tools from media and technology, concrete materials, drawings, and diagrams, analogy, and modeling. Course requires fieldwork with children in childhood settings with diverse populations, action research, and the development of an academic portfolio. PREREQ: Competency Area I and Step 2. No student can receive credit for both EDE 753 and EDC 732.

3 hours, 3 credits. Development of techniques for integrating music into the K-6 curriculum; teaching elements of music, recorder, keyboard; a variety of music education philosophies and methodologies including Kodaly and Orff; writing and producing assembly programs for and with students; extensive repertoire of songs, musical games, and comprehensive units for elementary school years. PRE- or COREQ: Preadmission to the M.A.T. program in music education; or permission of the Graduate Adviser in Music Education.

EDE 756: Teacher as Researcher.
3 hours, 3 credits. Continued development and utilization of action research skills appropriate to a particular area of specialization in childhood, culminating in a written capstone project. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722 and six methods courses. COREQ: EDE 783. No student can receive credit for both EDE 756 and EDC 756.

EDE 757: Ethics and Professionalism in Childhood Teaching.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the childhood teaching profession, its multiple historical, philosophical, and social foundations. Analysis of teaching practices through the use of self-assessment as a form of evaluation and professional portfolio development. Examination of the purpose and meaning of teaching and the contributions made to the profession through analysis of their own teaching experiences. PREREQ: Competency Area II and Step 4; COREQ: EDE 756. No student can receive credit for both EDE 757 and EDC 757.

EDE/ECE 758: Intensive Teaching Internship and Seminar I.
3 hours, 3 credits. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: Matriculated status.

EDE 759: Intensive Teaching Internship and Seminar II.
3 hours, 3 credits. (For matriculated students in Childhood Education who are not certified to teach but who hold teaching positions.) Observation, evaluation, assessment, and structured support via interaction with peers and Lehman faculty around day-to-day, on-site classroom teaching practice. PREREQ: EDE 758.

EDE 760: Second-Language Learning and Teaching in Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. The psychological principles of second-language learning and their application to teaching in the elementary school, with emphasis on the language development of preadolescent school children. PREREQ: One course in educational psychology.

EDE 761: Teaching English as a Second Language in Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Implications of the nature of language for the teaching of English to elementary school children who are non-native speakers. The development and evaluation of audiolingual skills, reading, and writing, with emphasis on the phonology, structure, and vocabulary of the language. Interrelationships of language and culture. Organization and selection of learning materials suitable for elementary school.

*EDE 762-763: Workshop in the Teaching of Foreign Languages in the Elementary Schools I and II.
Each 3 hours, 3 credits. (1) Consideration of the objectives, materials, and methods in the teaching of foreign languages to elementary school children through the study of existing literature. Discussion of problems relating to the integration of the foreign language with the total school curriculum. (II.) Practice in the preparation of materials and the development of methods suitable to the participant's school situation. PREREQ: Employment as a teacher and methods of elementary education.

EDE 764: Mainstreaming in the Elementary Classroom.
3 hours, 3 credits. Curriculum planning and management of programs for exceptional children in N-6 classroom settings. Analyzing student needs, designing goals, program planning, and testing, with emphasis on mainstreaming and implementation of individualized education programs in a self-contained classroom. PREREQ: One course in educational psychology and 6 credits in elementary education method courses.

EDE 765: Aesthetic Education in the Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Development of perceptual awareness of works of art and events in the art world: art, music, dance/movement, drama, and nature-made environment (reacting to, appreciating, and evaluating). Exploration of approaches for incorporating aesthetic education in elementary school curricula.
*EDE 768: Education Workshop for Teachers of Children of Puerto Rican Origin in the Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. A workshop to help elementary school teachers deal with the situations and problems arising in their actual school experiences. Emphasis will be on the preparation, demonstration, and discussion of instructional materials needed for developing communication skills and orientation concepts in newcomers of Puerto Rican origin within the existing organizational and curricular patterns of the elementary school. PREREQ: Employment as a teacher and a course in methods of teaching in elementary school.

*EDE 770: Quantitative Methods.
3 hours, 3 credits. Descriptive and inferential statistics: elementary probability theory, psychological and educational variables, the nature and logic of quantitative observations, data reduction and graphic presentation, statistical computations, and tests of hypotheses and correlational analysis.

*EDE 772: Educational Tests and Measurements for Elementary School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Systematic introductory course for graduate students. The fundamentals of interpreting elementary school test scores. The writing of objective test items for elementary school, methods of evaluating tests for use in the elementary classroom, and up-to-date instruments for testing aptitude and achievement in elementary students. PREREQ: Course in educational psychology or human development.

*EDE 775: Problems of Elementary Education in Metropolitan Areas.
3 hours, 3 credits. Social structures of urban life and their impact on the problems and future forms of the urban elementary school. Critical examination from a variety of viewpoints of major issues arising from urbanization in curriculum, methods, pupil achievement, and organization of the elementary school. PREREQ: One course in educational foundations.

EDE 776: Special Studies in Elementary Education.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be repeated for up to 6 credits with permission of Graduate Adviser as the topics change.) Investigation of specific developments, problems, or practices in the field of elementary education. Topics and credits will vary and be announced each semester. PREREQ: Permission of Graduate Adviser.

EDE 777: Using the Computer in the Classroom.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the uses of the computer within the elementary school curriculum, including computer-assisted and computer-managed instruction, word processing, file handling, simulation, and inference testing. Instruction-enhancing use of commercial and teacher-developed materials. PREREQ: *EDE 630 (or equivalent) and at least 6 credits in elementary school teaching methods courses.

*EDE/ESC 780: Comparative Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Comparative study of school organization, curricular practices, and contemporary educational problems in selected foreign countries. Special attention will be given to the study of issues that have cross-cultural dimensions.

*EDE/ESC 781: Advanced Studies in Comparative and International Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Intensive and specialized studies in selected systems of education using appropriate methodologies in comparative education. Review and evaluation of the work of bilateral and international technical assistance for educational development. PREREQ: EDE (ESC) 780 or instructor’s permission.

EDE 782: Supervised Student Teaching in Bilingual Classrooms—Grades 1-6.
300 hours, 3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in bilingual/multicultural settings that include students with disabilities and students of different childhood age/grade levels (grades 1 to 6), with particular emphasis on the bilingual classroom. Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722, and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDE 783.

EDE (EDC) 783: Student Teaching Seminar.
3 hours, 3 credits. Utilization of the classroom setting as laboratory; realistic examination of the multidimensional issues that reflect the complexities of teaching. Further development of the ability to problem solve, to consider flexible and varied interactions with children, and to reflect so that students develop as competent, qualified, and caring learners/teachers. Analysis and discussion of concerns, fears, views within a safe, supportive environment. Completion of a professional electronic portfolio. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722, and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDE 756; EDE 795, EDE 782 or EDE 784.

EDE 784: Supervised Student Teaching Internship—Grades 1-6.
300 hours, 3 credits. Collaboration between college and school partners to provide opportunities for uncertified teachers in the classroom to continue to establish best professional practices developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices in the teachers’ current setting supervised by college faculty. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722, and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDE 783.

*EDE 788: Fundamentals of Curriculum Development.
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to the philosophy, psychology, and theory underlying a variety of approaches to the curriculum in the elementary school (N–6). Analysis of curricula in different subject areas, using a variety of models. PREREQ: *EDE 701.

EDE 789: Workshops in Curriculum Design.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with the Graduate Adviser’s permission, when the topic changes.) Theoretical and practical approaches to design of curricula in early childhood and elementary education. NOTE: Curriculum areas announced each semester.
EDE 790: Workshops in Curriculum Materials Development. 1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with the Graduate Adviser’s permission, when the topic changes.) Preparation and development of instructional materials for curricula in early childhood and elementary education. *NOTE: Curriculum areas announced each semester.*

*EDE 791: Seminar in Problems of Elementary Education.* 3 hours, 3 credits. Seminar on problems of curriculum design and organization in early childhood and elementary education, with emphasis on issues arising in actual teaching experience. PREREQ: Full-time teaching experience.

*EDE 792: Developing In-Service Programs for Early Childhood and Elementary Education.* 3 hours, plus fieldwork, 3 credits. Planning, organizing, implementing, and evaluating training programs in schools, districts, and municipalities. Students will carry out field assignments. PREREQ: Teaching experience and chair’s permission.

*EDE 793: Curriculum Planning and Management for Elementary Education.* 3 hours, 3 credits. A course in planning and managing curriculum for entire schools or school districts. Analyzing student needs, defining goals, organizing sequences for instruction, and evaluating curriculum coordination and leadership. PREREQ: Teaching experience and chair’s permission.

EDE 795: Supervised Student Teaching — Grades 1 to 6. 300 hours, 3 credits. The student teaching experience will be conducted collaboratively with college, school, and community partners in providing opportunities for prospective teachers to continue to establish best professional practices developed in the Certification Sequence and successfully evaluate the outcomes of those practices. The clinical experience will take place in multicultural settings that include students with disabilities and students of different childhood age/grade levels (Grades 1 to 6). Student teachers are required to spend five full days each week in their school placement and two hours each week in a professional development workshop. PREREQ: EDE 721, EDE 722, and 12 credits of methods courses. COREQ: EDE 783.

*EDE 796, 797, 798: Advanced Student-Teaching Internship in Elementary School.* A minimum of 6 semester hours, 2 credits. An advanced course in student teaching in the elementary school, with an opportunity for increased participation in teaching and other school activity. Applicants will be required to meet acceptable standards of health, character, and personality and to demonstrate a command of English, both written and oral, to meet the demands of the teacher’s calling. PREREQ: A course in student teaching in the elementary school equivalent to the requirement in the Lehman College Four-Year Teacher Education Program; or, for students in the curriculum for Teachers of Speech Improvement, a course in clinical practice for speech correction.

SPE 703: Language and Linguistics. 3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to the scientific study of language, with attention to the major components of linguistic theory: phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics, psycholinguistics, and sociolinguistics. This course places emphasis on the multicultural and multilingual differences in the analysis and application of linguistic theory.
Economics and Business

Chair: Dene Hurley (Carman Hall, Room 375)
Director of Graduate Business Programs: Linda Tauber (Carman Hall, Room 370)
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The Department offers a Master of Science Program in Accounting, designed for students who wish to become professional accountants with Certified Public Accountant (CPA) credentials. The M.S./C.P.A. program is registered with the New York State Education Department. The Department also offers a Master of Science in Business with a specialization in finance, human resource management, or international business.

M.S. Program in Accounting

Students can earn a Master of Science Degree in Accounting (M.S.A.) whether or not their undergraduate degree was in that field. Those with a B.S. in Accounting from Lehman College or an equivalent undergraduate accounting degree from an accredited institution can earn an M.S.A. degree by completing a total of 30 graduate credits. Students holding undergraduate degrees in a field other than accounting or accounting degrees not equivalent to Lehman’s B.S. in Accounting may have to take up to 60 credits in Accounting and Business courses in addition to the 30-credit M.S.A. course requirements. Students in the M.S.A. program must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0.

Students who complete this program and earn their degree in Accounting will have completed all of the educational requirements for taking the CPA examination in New York State.

Admission Requirements

To be fully admitted to the M.S.A. program, applicants must have earned a minimum GPA of 2.7 (B-) and have completed Lehman’s B.S. in Accounting program or its equivalent. An equivalent undergraduate degree must include 36 credits in accounting, including Advanced Accounting, Cost Accounting, Taxation, and Auditing, in addition to 27 or 24 credits in business courses depending on whether they have completed ACC 348 or equivalent. The 27-credit business courses are listed below with Lehman College courses fulfilling the business courses requirement shown in parentheses:

6 credits in Law: BBA 336, 337, 339, 340
6 credits in Economics: ECO 166,167; BBA 168,169
6 credits in Finance: BBA 207, 308, 310
6 credits in Quantitative Methods: BBA 303, 403, 405; ECO 302, 402
3 credits in Computer Science (not required if ACC 348 was included among the 36 accounting credits)

Students must also submit a statement of career objectives, two letters of recommendation, and if conditionally admitted, satisfy the specified conditions within one year.

International Students must additionally obtain a minimum total score of 500 or equivalent on the TOEFL and comply with the applicable financial and visa requirements. International students who have earned their baccalaureate from a college or university in which the language of instruction was exclusively in English are exempted from the TOEFL requirement.

Admission Requirements for Non-Matriculated Students:

Individuals who do not wish to enroll in the MSA degree program yet want to take graduate courses in accounting may do so provided that they meet all the admission requirements for matriculated students.

Degree Requirements:

The course requirements for the 30-credit M.S.A. degree are as follows:

24 Credits in Core Courses:
ACC 709: Advanced Accounting Theory (3 hours, 3 credits)
ACC 719: Advanced Auditing (3 hours, 3 credits)
ACC 750: Advanced Taxation (3 hours, 3 credits)
ACC 790: Graduate Research Seminar in Accounting (3 hours, 3 credits)

MSB 701: Quantitative Analysis for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 702: Economic Analysis for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 703: Computer-Based Information Systems for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 710: Investment Analysis (3 hours, 3 credits)

6 Credits in Electives from the following:
ACC 724: Accounting for the S.E.C. (3 hours, 3 credits)
ACC 751: Estate and Gift Taxation (3 hours, 3 credits)
ACC 785: Independent Graduate Study in Accounting (3 hours, 3 credits)

MSB 711: Capital Budgeting (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 712: Financial Statement Analysis (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 713: International Financial Management (3 hours, 3 credits)

M.S. Program in Business

Lehman College has established a graduate program leading to the degree of Master of Science in Business (M.S.B.) with a specialization in finance, human resource management, or international business. The objective of this curriculum is to satisfy the growing need in today’s business environment for professionals who have developed the necessary expertise, insight, and vision in tackling the technical, interpersonal, and conceptual problems specific to their chosen managerial subfield. The program also constitutes a threshold into higher academic or
professional pursuits, such as earning a doctorate in business or law.

A minimum GPA of B (3.0) is necessary to maintain enrollment in the M.S.B. program. Those who fail to do so at the end of any semester will be allowed to stay in the program only one more semester during which they should make up the deficiency.

The 30-credit M.S.B. curriculum includes 12 credits in a common professional core, 12 credits in the chosen field of specialization, and 6 credits in two capstone seminars. Core and major field courses can be taken in any order. However, no capstone seminar can be taken before having completed at least four courses in residence. Students intending to accelerate their studies may take one capstone seminar in each of the two summer sessions, but cannot take two seminars in the same session.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be considered for admission to the 30-credit Masters of Science in Business, applicants need to satisfy the following admission requirements:

• possession of a bachelor’s degree or equivalent from an accredited U.S. or foreign college or university

Applicants must complete (or have completed) 18 credits in the following areas:

6 credits in Economics
6 credits in Accounting
6 credits in College Algebra and Statistics

• an undergraduate GPA of 2.7 or higher

• International Students must obtain a minimum total score of 500 or equivalent on the TOEFL and comply with the applicable financial and visa requirements. Those international students who have earned their baccalaureate from a college or university in which the language of instruction was exclusively in English are exempted from the TOEFL requirement

• official undergraduate transcript(s)
• two (2) letters of recommendation
• curriculum vitae
• a personal statement

Course Requirements (12 credits):

MSB 700: Organizational Behavior and Leadership (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 701: Quantitative Analysis for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 702: Economic Analysis for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 703: Computer-based Information Systems for Managers (3 hours, 3 credits)

Major Field Requirement (12 credits):

Completion of a block of 4 courses in one area of specialization:

Finance:
MSB 710: Investment Analysis (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 711: Capital Budgeting (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 712: Financial Statements Analysis (3 hours, 3 credits)

MSB 713: International Financial Management (3 hours, 3 credits)
Human Resource Management:
MSB 730: Human Resource Management (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 731: Employee Training and Development (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 732: Managing Group and Interpersonal Dynamics (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 734: International Human Resource Management (3 hours, 3 credits)

International Business:
MSB 720: Managing in a Global Environment (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 713: International Financial Management (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 722: International Marketing Management: Culture, Law, and Politics (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 734: International Human Resource Management (3 hours, 3 credits)

Capstone Seminars (6 Credits)

MSB 795: Seminar in Strategic Management (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 796: Seminar in Ethical Issues in Management (3 hours, 3 credits)

* Marketing

MSB 720: Managing in a Global Environment (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 721: Applied Marketing Research (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 722: International Marketing Management: Culture, Law, and Politics (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 723: Contemporary Issues in Marketing (3 hours, 3 credits)

* E-Business:

MSB 720: Managing in a Global Environment (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 722: International Marketing Management: Culture, Law, and Politics (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 741: Internet Law in a Global Setting (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 760: E-Business in a Global Setting (3 hours, 3 credits)
MSB 761: Internet Law in a Global Setting (3 hours, 3 credits)

NOTE: Two research-oriented tutorials, MSB 785: Independent Graduate Study in Business (3 hours, 3 credits) and MSB 790: Graduate Research Project in Business (3 hours, 3 credits), are available for qualified students intending to acquire a deeper understanding of a selected topic (MSB 785) or to conduct substantive research on a chosen project (MSB 790) upon the approval and under the supervision of a full-time faculty member.

* No students will be admitted to the Marketing or E-Business specialization until further notice.
Courses in Economics and Accounting

ACC 709: Advanced Accounting Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. The history and development of accounting theory. Topics include the objectives of financial statements; the fundamental concepts, conventions, and assumptions underlying financial statements; and the measurement, presentation, and disclosure of the elements of financial statements. Analysis of recent pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board and its predecessors, the Accounting Principles Board and the Committee on Accounting Procedures. Students will acquire an understanding of the principles used to evaluate current accounting practices and procedures. Students will be required to present reports on journal articles as preparation for the required thesis/special project to be completed in ACC 790. PREREQ: ACC 342 or equivalent.

ACC 719: Advanced Auditing.
3 hours, 3 credits. A study of auditing standards that will enable the student to relate the conceptual aspects to the procedural aspects of auditing and to understand its philosophy and environment. Explores the growing use of statistical sampling in auditing, as well as the impact of computers on the audit process. Emphasizes auditing problems encountered in computer-based systems, including the evaluation of internal controls, the evaluation of records produced by the system, and the use of the computer as an auditing tool. Written reports, including the Audit Report, are required. Special attention to reportable events and their resolutions with emphasis on professional ethics and responsibilities. PREREQ: ACC 441 or equivalent.

ACC 724: Accounting for the SEC
3 hours, 3 credits. A detailed analysis and study of the requirements of the SEC with regard to registration forms, reports, opinions, and ethics. Study of SEC Accounting Series Releases, rulings, and decisions. PREREQ: ACC 719.

ACC 750: Advanced Taxation.
3 hours, 3 credits. The relationship between taxation and the formulation of business decisions and financial policies, with emphasis on problems resulting from the imposition of federal income taxes on business. Gross income, deductions, and capital gains are the key areas covered. Limited attention is given to the effect of federal income taxation of the individual. The course is broadly gauged, problem-oriented, and conceptual in approach. PREREQ: ACC 442 or equivalent.

ACC 751: Estate and Gift Taxation.
3 hours, 3 credits. A detailed study of the Federal and New York State estate and gift tax laws. Application of tax principles in planning and the preparation of returns will be included. PREREQ: ACC 442.

ACC 785: Independent Graduate Study in Accounting.
3 hours, 3 credits. Individual study and research on special topics in accounting, in consultation with a faculty member. PREREQ: To be determined by a supervising faculty member.

ACC 790: Graduate Research Seminar in Accounting.
3 hours, 3 credits. Readings and research culminating in the writing of a thesis/special report based on independent research. With faculty assistance, the student will select an accounting topic, present the results of his or her research to the class, and apply that research to an original topic. PREREQ: ACC 709.

Courses in Business

MSB 700: Organizational Behavior.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of human behavior in organizational settings; the interface between human behavior and the organization; structures and processes characteristic of organizations themselves; and ethical issues emerging in the management of human resources.

MSB 701: Quantitative Analysis for Managers.
3 hours, 3 credits. A survey of modern statistical concepts and quantitative methods as applied to business research and decision making. Statistical techniques covered include descriptive data analysis, probability distributions, correlation analysis, and regression analysis. Applied methods include linear programming and decision-making models. The objective is to prepare the student to analyze business data and to understand the statistical analyses encountered in business.

MSB 702: Economic Analysis for Managers.
3 hours, 3 credits. After a review of the basic microeconomic market structures, the course examines specific problems faced by the firm. These include managerial decisions regarding economic forecasting, analysis of return, risk and uncertainty, and allocation of resources for production.

MSB 703: Computer-Based Information Systems for Managers.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course explores the impact of computers on the scope and operation of business information systems. Topics include the technology, design, and implementation of computer-based systems and the role of systems design in improving the management process.

MSB 705: Financial Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. Techniques available for making financial decisions, with emphasis on those that deal with long-term investment projects. Specific topical coverage includes time valuation of money, value of assets, capital budgeting techniques, cost of capital and capital structure, dividend policy, and share value.

MSB 710: Investment Analysis.
3 hours, 3 credits. Principles involved in measuring and evaluating risk in various debt and equity instruments, with emphasis on security valuation. Specific topics include time valuation of money, value of assets, capital budgeting techniques, cost of capital and capital structure, dividend policy, and share value.
MSB 711: Capital Budgeting.
3 hours, 3 credits. Capital assets planning and evaluation. Topics covered include relevant cost concepts for decision making, present value theory and analysis, the theory and measurement of rate of return and cost of capital, and an introduction to capital rationing and probability theory. Specific cases are used to illustrate the practical aspects of each of the areas covered. Related problems, such as leasing, pricing, and debt refunding, are also introduced.

MSB 712: Financial Statements Analysis.
3 hours, 3 credits. Review of general principles governing the construction of financial statements; asset valuation, income determination and consolidated financial statements; characteristics of financial statements related to an understanding of analytical methods, including working capital, the statement of changes in financial position, and cash flow statements; examination of techniques used in analyzing solvency and the quality of earnings; forecasting techniques and implications; and impact of price level changes on financial statements and methods of financial statement analysis.

MSB 713: International Financial Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. The nature and purposes of financial management in the international context—sources of international investment and financing and strategies to procure and employ these resources; the role of exposure to exchange rate and international interest rate risks; use of banks and financial markets, such as Eurobond and currency option markets; and relevant techniques such as currency swaps, lease financing, and hybrid bond structure.

3 hours, 3 credits. Management processes and practices applicable to international business operations—examination of managerial functions, such as planning, organizing, communicating, staffing, and motivating and controlling, with respect to the global parameters of the business environment.

MSB 721: Applied Marketing Research.
3 hours, 3 credits. Provides students with a complete understanding of the methods and techniques involved in marketing research. Students will become familiar with all stages of the market research process from initial problem definition through the presentation of final results.

MSB 722: International Marketing Management: Culture, Law, and Politics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Key concepts of international marketing; emerging marketing opportunities and threats; entry mode strategies of international marketing; global strategies for products, brands, pricing, distribution, logistics, and communication; policy framework for international trade; international trade finance and risk management; institutional infrastructure for export promotion; international marketing research, export procedures, and documentation; and the World Trade Organization and its implications on international marketing.

MSB 723: Contemporary Issues in Marketing.
3 hours, 3 credits. Procedures utilized in creating a commercially viable product market, from the initial needs analysis through marketing the product in local and international economy. The promotional process will be particularly emphasized, including its advertising, sales and trade promotion, personal selling, and communication components.

3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to human resource management as a functional field of business administration. Topics include employment, placement, and human resource planning; training and development of an organization’s human resources; compensation and benefits; management and labor relations; health, safety, and security; training in ethics and social responsibility; and human resource research.

MSB 731: Employee Training and Development.
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced study of human resource management focusing on effective employee training and development. Topics include equal employment opportunity, recruiting, selection, training and development, compensation, and employee and labor relations.

MSB 732: Managing Group and Interpersonal Dynamics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Special techniques involved in human resources supervision in handling morale, discipline, communication, grievances, learning, and other phases of employee and labor relations.

3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical and practical perspectives in the planning and implementation of an effective human resource program in a global business setting.

MSB 741: Operations Research.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course deals with the application of mathematics to decision-making problems. The mathematical and statistical techniques covered include linear programming, correlation, and probabilistic models. The objective is to enable the student to translate a verbal description problem into an equivalent mathematical model and define the value of the information derived from the model for practical purposes. Applications include inventory control and quality control problems. PREREQ: MSB 740.

MSB 768: Money and Banking.
3 hours, 3 credits. The instruments of the money and capital markets will be identified and discussed; the significance of fiscal and monetary policies and their effects on the money and capital markets, and the flow of funds will be analyzed.

MSB 785: Independent Graduate Study in Business.
3 hours, 3 credits. Individual study and research on a selected topic approved and supervised by a faculty member. PREREQ: To be determined by the supervising full-time faculty.

MSB 790: Graduate Research Project in Business.
3 hours, 3 credits. With the approval and under the supervision of a faculty member, students will select an original topic, specify the intended methodology, comment on initial findings, and present the results of their research in a scholarly report. PREREQ: To be determined by the supervising full-time faculty.
MSB 795: Seminar in Strategic Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation and implementation of corporate strategy and the integration of these decisions in different functional areas. PREREQ: All the core courses and at least two courses in a major field must be completed before taking this seminar.

MSB 796: Seminar in Ethical Issues in Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. A multidisciplinary approach to the issues of ethical business practice, based on the examination of the role of business leadership in influencing society at large. Students will examine various experiences and participate in discussions regarding ethical dilemmas and day-to-day situations. Case studies are used to develop students' skills in situation analysis and conflict resolution. PREREQ: All the core courses and at least two courses in the major field must be completed before taking this seminar.
English

Chair: Walter Blanco (Carman Hall, Room 302B)
Graduate Coordinator: Salita Bryant (Carman Hall, Room 385)

Department Faculty: Distinguished Professor: William Collins; Distinguished Lecturer: Rowena Lee Quinby; Professors: Walter Blanco, Grace Russo Bullaro, Mario DiGangi, Anne Humpharys, Gerhard Joseph, Sondra Perl, Deirdre Pettipiece, Mardi Valgema; Associate Professors: James Anderson, Terrence Cheng, Earl Fendelman, William G. Fisher, Paula Loscocco, Janis Massa, Margot Mifflin, Jessica Yood; Assistant Professors: Siraj Ahmed, Allison Amend, Daniel Bautista, Salita Bryant, Tyler Schmidt; Lecturers: Jane Cleland, Joseph McElligott, Deirdre O’Boy

The M.A. program in English serves those who wish to expand their understanding of literature or composition, those who wish to prepare themselves for teaching English on the secondary or two-year college level, and those who wish to proceed to the doctorate. Students may choose concentrations in literature or in composition studies.

All students are eligible to take all courses (with whatever prerequisites may be listed). Most courses are "studies in" particular themes, genres, historical periods, or critical approaches; topics may vary and are announced during the preceding semester, and students may elect the same course twice if the topic is different. All courses must be on the 700 level unless the Program Coordinator permits a 600-level course to be counted toward the number of courses in English required for the degree. Students wishing to count a 600-level course must submit work written in the course for evaluation by the English Department Graduate Committee. All work for the degree must be completed within four years of matriculation.

Before their first registration, all students are required to plan complete programs with the Program Coordinator, who must approve all courses prior to registration.

Students who have done their major work in English in non-English-speaking countries may be required to offer evidence of having completed additional undergraduate English courses taken in a North American college or university before admission to the graduate program; these may be taken at Lehman College. Such students will be required to attain a score of at least 600 on the TOEFL; candidates with scores of between 580 and 600 may be considered for admission provided they first attend a language institute or otherwise remedy their deficiencies.

Additional information regarding all aspects of the M.A. program in English may be obtained from the Program Coordinator.

Master of Arts Program in English

The Master of Arts Program in English offers the following four concentrations: Literature, Writing and Rhetoric, Creative Writing--Poetry, and Creative Writing--Fiction.

Admission Requirements

• Bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.

• Demonstration of the potential to pursue graduate study successfully—that is, attainment of a minimum undergraduate Grade Point Average of 3.0 in the undergraduate record as a whole and a 3.0 in English.

• Study of a minimum of 18 credit hours in courses beyond the introductory level in English.

• Submission of scores on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) General Test.

• Submission of three letters of recommendation, at least two of which must be from a person who can testify to the candidate's ability as a student of literature, writing and rhetoric, or creative writing. (as appropriate).

• Submission of a personal statement of some 500 words indicating as precisely as possible the applicant's preparation for master's work and career plans.

• Submission of a 10-25 page writing sample, depending on concentration. For students applying to the Literature Concentration, this must be an essay demonstrating critical analysis of a literary text or set of texts. One 12-25 page essay is preferred, but two shorter essays can be submitted in its place (totaling 12-25 pages). For students applying to the Writing & Rhetoric Concentration, a 12-25 page sample of creative nonfiction can be submitted in place of the critical analysis, although students may choose to submit a critical analysis. Again, one long essay is preferred, but two shorter essays can be submitted in its place (totaling 12-25 pages). For students applying to the Creative Writing / Poetry Concentration, a 12-25 page sample of short fiction or excerpt from a longer work should be submitted. One short story is preferred, but multiple stories can be submitted to fulfill the page requirement.

Degree Requirements

After planning his or her program in advance with the Graduate Program Director, the student must complete a minimum of 30 credits in English with an average of B or better. Students are encouraged to enroll in a full course load (9 credits) each semester so that the program can be completed in four semesters.

I. Concentrations in Literature or Writing and Rhetoric (21 credits)

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| Electives: Three courses in literary history, language and literature, or writing and rhetoric. One elective may be in creative writing or from outside the Department with the approval of the Graduate Program Director. |

II. Concentration in Literature (9 credits)

3 credits in Literature to 1700: ENG 703, ENG 705, ENG 712, ENG 713, or ENG 722

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3 credits in Literature 1700-1900: ENG 731, ENG 740, ENG 742, ENG 748, or ENG 750
3 credits in Literature 1900 to present: ENG 753, ENG 755, ENG 756, or ENG 757

III. Concentrations Writing and Rhetoric Concentration (9 credits)
3 credits in whichever course was not taken for the core: ENG 784 or ENG 785
6 credits in Two additional courses in writing/rhetoric: ENG 783, ENG 788, ENG 790, or ENG 793

IV. Concentration in Creative Writing (18 credits)
Credits Courses
3 ENG 700 or ENG 702
3 ENG 784 or ENG 785
3 ENG 795
9 Electives: Three courses in literature

Poetry Concentration (12 credits)
6 Two workshops: ENW 701
6 Two craft courses: ENW 711

Fiction Concentration (12 credits)
6 Two workshops: ENW 702
6 Two craft courses: ENW 712

Foreign Language (for all M.A. candidates)
The foreign language requirement emphasizes the relationship between the knowledge of foreign languages and the study of literature and the practice of writing. Early in their studies, students should choose a language relevant to their research and/or to their future professional plans. The requirement may be satisfied by (1) demonstrating the ability to translate lucidly, with a dictionary, a passage from a modern critical text; or by (2) earning a B or better in coursework within the past five years in (a) an intensive language-for-reading course offered through the Language Reading Program at the CUNY Graduate Center or (b) an advanced undergraduate course in literature read in the foreign language. **NOTE:** The following languages are automatically accepted for meeting this requirement: Arabic, Bengali, Chinese, French, German, Greek, Hebrew, Hindi, Italian, Japanese, Kiswahili, Latin, Russian, Spanish, Urdu, and Yoruba. Students wishing to choose another language must apply to the Department’s Graduate Committee for approval.

Master’s Essay (for Concentrations in Literature or Writing and Rhetoric)

With the completion of 15 credits, a student should begin planning to write his or her Master’s Essay, which must be 25-35 pages in length and demonstrate original scholarship suitable for publication in a scholarly journal in the field of English. While it may originate in a previous seminar project, the final essay must demonstrate substantive revision and expansion, including new research, as verified by the faculty director. The essay will be read by a faculty advisor and a second reader that is approved by the Graduate Program Director.

The Master’s Essay must be researched and written in conjunction with the course in Master’s Research (ENG 795), taken with the faculty advisor. It is recommended that a student secure a working relationship with a faculty adviser by the time the student has completed 15 credits, in preparation for ENG 795. Students must also develop an extensive reading list of primary texts and other related literary texts germane to the Master’s Essay. The reading list must be approved by the faculty adviser and the Graduate Program Director, and will be included as part of the oral defense of the Master’s Essay.

Master’s Thesis (for Concentrations in Creative Writing)
The student must submit a final creative thesis prepared in Master’s Research (ENG 795). It is recommended that a student secure a working relationship with a faculty adviser by the time the student has completed 15 credits.

The thesis must be a book of publishable quality. Poetry candidates should submit a collection or cycle of poems totaling at least 25-35 pages. Fiction candidates should submit a collection of short stories, a novella, or a novel totaling at least 75-125 pages.

Oral Defense (for all M.A. candidates)
At the completion of ENG 795, the student must defend the Master’s Essay or Master’s Thesis in a two-hour oral defense conducted by the faculty advisor and the second reader. Two copies of the final essay or thesis, approved by the faculty adviser, must be submitted to the Graduate Program Director—one in electronic format and one in print.

Relation to the CUNY Ph.D. Program
M.A. candidates in the Literature or Writing and Rhetoric Concentrations may conclude their graduate studies with the Master’s degree in English or they may decide to pursue doctoral study. The first 25 graduate credits in the Literature or Writing and Rhetoric concentrations at Lehman College may be counted toward the Ph.D. in English at the CUNY Graduate Center. M.A. candidates in the Creative Writing Concentrations should consult with the Executive Officer of the Ph.D. Program in English at the CUNY Graduate Center to ascertain which credits may be counted toward the Ph.D. in English at the Graduate Center.

The University doctoral program in English is described in the Bulletin of the CUNY Graduate Center. Candidates who are interested in proceeding on to the Ph.D. Program in English at the Graduate Center should apply for admission directly to the Ph.D. program instead of to Lehman College. Inquiries may be addressed to the Executive Officer of the Ph.D. Program, Department of English, City University of New York, 365 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10016.

The Dr. Alice Griffin Fellowship
Upon completion of 15 credits toward their M.A. in English with a Concentration in Literature, students may apply for the Dr. Alice Griffin Fellowship. This fellowship is the generous gift of Professor of English Emerita Alice Griffin, an expert in Shakespeare and American Theatre who taught at Lehman College.

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College from 1949, when it was still the women’s college of Hunter, to her retirement in 1991.

Courses in English

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

ENG 700: Introduction to English Studies.
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to literary and writing studies, including an overview of major theoretical and research trends. Practice in research methodologies and in writing scholarly essays. To be taken at the start of graduate work. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works of the Renaissance era. English literature from the sixteenth century to the death of Queen Elizabeth and/or the larger and multidisciplinary phenomenon of the European Renaissance. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works in various genres, with attention to historical and critical approaches, reception history, and dramatic production. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of Milton and/or selected works and topics in English literature from the ascension of James I through the Civil War, Commonwealth, and Restoration eras. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 723: Studies in Eighteenth-Century English Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in English literature from the Restoration through the Revolutionary era of the late eighteenth century, with attention to the Transatlantic world and European Enlightenment. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 740: Studies in Romanticism.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works of the Romantic era. British literature and theory of the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries and/or the larger and multidisciplinary phenomenon of European and Transatlantic Romanticism. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 742: Studies in Nineteenth-Century English Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in English literature and culture from the Romantic, Victorian, and Edwardian eras. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 748: Studies in American Literature to 1800.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in American literature and culture from the Colonial, Revolutionary, and Federal eras. Attention to literature in translation from the Americas. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in nineteenth-century American literature and culture. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 753: Studies in Modernism.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works of the Modernist era. English and American literature from the years before and after World War I and/or the larger and multidisciplinary phenomenon of European and global Modernism. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in English literature and culture from the early twentieth century through the Cold War era of the 1950s-80s. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in American literature and culture from the early twentieth century through the Cold War era of the 1950s-80s. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 777: Studies in Contemporary Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of selected works and topics in English literature from the late twentieth century to the present, with attention to postmodernist theory and cultural productions. PREREQ: Departmental permission.
ENG 759: Structure of Modern English.
3 hours, 3 credits. Grammatical theory and linguistic descriptions of modern English (such as traditional, descriptive, and transformational grammars), with an emphasis on the formal properties of grammar and the formal characterization of language. Study—samples of modern English will be drawn from literary works from the early modern English period to the present. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of first-contact writing, native responses to colonialism, and/or postcolonial literature by English-language writers in India, Africa, the Caribbean, and elsewhere, as well as by diasporic writers in the U.S. and U.K. Attention to multidisciplinarity and theoretical contest and innovation. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 761: Studies in Literature and Film.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of film, with attention to stylistic and narrative strategies, historical and contemporary genres, and theoretical approaches. Emphasis on films of particular literary, cultural, or social significance. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 762: Studies in Gender and Sexuality.

ENG 763: Studies in Multicultural American Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Selected works and topics in Native American, African and African American, Asian and Asian American, Latino/Latina, and/or other multicultural literary traditions in the U.S. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 764: Studies in Race and Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Constructions and representations of race and racial difference in literature, film, arts, and the media. Emphasis on intersections gender, ethnicity, class, and sexuality with race. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 765: Studies in Drama.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of selected plays and playwrights. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of selected poems and poets. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 767: Studies in Fiction.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of selected works of fiction and authors. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 773: Women Writers in English.
3 hours, 3 credits. Fiction, poetry, drama, and essays by women writers in the U.S., Great Britain, or the English-speaking world. Focus on particular times, places, and topics vary by instructor and semester. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 776: Special Topics in Literature and Language.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once for credit with change of topic and permission of the Graduate Program Director.) Study of selected works or topics. Topics will change from semester to semester. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 782: Independent Study.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once for credit with change of topic and permission of the Graduate Program Director.) Independent study under the guidance of a faculty adviser. PREREQ: Approval of the Graduate Program Director.

ENG 784: Readings in Composition and Rhetoric.
3 hours, 3 credits. Overview of current theories and practices in the field of composition and rhetoric. Topics include the teaching of writing, contemporary communication and media, and survey of Western and non-Western rhetorical traditions. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 785: Seminar in Writing: Practice and Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Explores various practices in the teaching of writing and provides an overview of foundational theories in the field of composition and rhetoric. Writing assignments introduce students to effective writing strategies and to contemporary debates and practices. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 788: Writing and Rhetoric in the Digital Age.
3 hours, 3 credits. Explores how technology and the information age have changed writing and literacy. Students research and critique various forms of digital writing and compose "new media" texts for web-publication. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 790: Special Topics in Composition and Rhetoric.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once for credit with a change in focus and permission of the Graduate Program Director.) Study of current scholarship in the field of writing, with emphasis on the interrelationship of composition, rhetoric, and issues of identity and community. Possible topics include race and writing, sexuality and composition, feminism and composition, and critical literacy and pedagogy. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 791: Creative Writing I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Students will examine and practice forms of poetry, drama, and fiction in order to acquire a fundamental understanding of these forms. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor.
ENG 792: Creative Writing II.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced study and practice of poetry, drama, or fiction. For students wishing to study one of these forms intensively. PREREQ: ENG 791 or permission of the instructor.

ENG 793: Literacy and Community.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The role of literacy in various educational and community settings, with attention to public policy and writing-education, urban studies and composition, and writing and activism. Course includes a required service-learning component. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 795: Master’s Research.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Required of all Masters candidates in English. Tutorial hours to be arranged.) Preparation of the Master’s essay or thesis over one semester under the guidance of a faculty adviser. PREREQ: 15 completed credits and Graduate Program Director’s permission.

New York City Writing Project  
The following courses are designed for the New York City Writing Project, an affiliate of the National Writing Project, and are offered through the Institute for Literacy Studies. These courses in English are not intended to satisfy New York State teacher-education certification requirements. Summer session courses are generally offered on the Lehman campus; during the academic year, most New York City Writing Project courses are offered in schools. For more information, write or call Marcie Wolfe, Director, New York City Writing Project, Institute for Literacy Studies, Lehman College, Bronx, NY 10468 (718-960-8758).

ENG 682: Independent Study.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once for credit, on a different topic.) This course offers an opportunity for individualized study of theory and research in composition. PREREQ: One year of study in courses offered by the Writing Project, and permission of the instructor and of the Graduate Program Coordinator in English.

ENG 684: Seminar in Writing: Theory.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Participants examine and evaluate current research on composing and on the teaching of writing. In addition to completing and responding to reading assignments, participants attend presentations by invited guests. They take ENG 685 concurrently when the two are offered in the summer session, but may take the two courses successively during the academic year. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor. COREQ: ENG 685 when offered in the summer session.

ENG 685: Seminar in Writing: Practice.  
3-4 hours, 3-4 credits. Students write and discuss their writing with groups of fellow students, developing their powers of expression and gaining confidence in themselves as writers. Strategies in writing, problems faced by writers, and the demands of various kinds of assignments are explored. Kinds of writing emphasized and approaches to the discussion of writing vary with the needs and interests of students. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor. COREQ: ENG 684 when offered in the summer session.

ENG 686: Special Studies in Language, Literature, and Writing.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once for credit, with change in topic.) Study of research and theory about reading, writing, the spoken language, and literature. Specific topic announced in advance. PREREQ: ENG 684 or 685, or instructor’s permission.

ENG 688: Writing and Learning.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Through examination of different kinds of texts, keeping notebooks and journals about their responses to those texts, and through discussion with classmates, students will explore a wide range of genres and emphases in discourse, and will consider how texts from varied disciplines may be read. Students will experience different approaches to the reading of the same text, will examine the differences in treatment of the same topic in different texts, how different texts depend for their effect on cross-references to other texts and to the culture of the world outside the text. PREREQ: ENG 684 or 685, or consent of the instructor.

ENG 701: Poetry Workshop.  
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Workshop discussion of student poems supplemented by selected poetic readings. Workshop content and methods will vary from semester to semester, depending on instructor expertise. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 702: Fiction Workshop.  
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Workshop discussion of student stories supplemented by selected readings in fiction. Workshop content and methods will vary from semester to semester, depending on instructor expertise. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 711: Forms and Techniques in Poetry.  
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Emphasizes the study and practice of various forms and techniques in poetry, with attention to both traditional and contemporary models. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ENG 712: Forms and Techniques in Fiction.  
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Emphasizes the study and practice of various forms and techniques in fiction, with attention to both traditional and contemporary models. PREREQ: Departmental permission.
Earth, Environmental, and Geospatial Sciences

Department Chair: Stefan Becker (Gillett Hall, Room 315)
Department Faculty: Professors: Stefan Becker, Irene Leung, Juliana Maantay; Associate Professor: Heather Sloan; Assistant Professors: Yuri Gorokhovich, Marzie Jafari, Elia Machado, Hari K. Pant; Coll. Lab Tech.: Brian Morgan

The Department of Earth, Environmental, and Geospatial Sciences offers courses designed to meet the needs of students in the programs in Elementary Education and Secondary School Education, Social Studies (Geography), and Earth Science and General Science (Geology and Weather and Climate).

Advanced Certificate in Geographic Information Science (GISc)

The Advanced Certificate in Geographic Information Science (GISc) consists of 17-20 credits of graduate-level coursework, and builds on the strengths of Lehman’s Masters of Science Program in GISc (MS-GISc). This Certificate is designed to attract and prepare professionals in the New York City metropolitan region and beyond who work in the various fields involving spatial information, such as urban planning, environmental management, public health, engineering, and sustainable development, for new or augmented careers incorporating GISc. It is intended to give the students the opportunity to develop or upgrade their skills and knowledge of GISc especially as applied to their particular fields. The GISc Certificate Program courses also can be applied toward the MS-GISc graduate degree if the courses comply with the College’s transfer of credit or change of degree policies.

The admission requirements for the Advanced GISc Certificate are as follows:

- a minimum of 3.0 GPA in previous coursework at the post-secondary level;
- submission of all undergraduate and/or graduate transcripts;
- submission of academic or professional letters of recommendation (two minimum);
- a current CV; and
- a personal essay or statement about your interest in GISc and the MS-GISc Program at Lehman College.

Two Required Courses (8 Credits)

- GEP 605 Special Projects in GISc (4 credits)
- GEP 690 Workshop in GISc Research (4 credits)

9-12 Credits to be chosen from the following elective courses:

- GEP 504 Basic Mapping Science (3 credits)
- GEP 505 Principles of GISc (3 credits)
- GEP 602 Biogeography and GISc (4 credits)
- GEP 606 Raster Analysis (3 credits)
- GEP 610 Spatial Analysis of Urban Health (3 credits)
- GEP 620 Demography and Population Geography with GIS (3 credits)
- GEP 621 Principles and Applications in Remote Sensing (4 credits)
- GEP 630 Geostatistics and Spatial Analytical Concepts (3 credits)
- GEP 631 Advanced Remote Sensing (4 credits)
- GEP 632 Environmental Health and GISc (3 credits)
- GEP 635 Natural Hazards and Risk Analysis (4 credits)
- GEP 640 Urban Geography and GISc (3 credits)
- GEP 641 Digital Image Analysis (4 credits)
- GEP 650 Topics in regional geography and applied mapping analysis (4 credits)
- GEP 660 Analytical Cartography and Scientific Visualization (4 credits)
- GEP 662 Programming for GISc (3 credits)
- GEP 664 Spatial Database Management (3 credits)
- GEP 675 Field Surveying, GPS, and Data Acquisition Methods (3 credits)
- GEP 680 Emerging Issues and Methods in GISc (3 credits)
- GEP 689 Methods Seminar in GISc (3 credits)

(Other courses may be substituted with department permission.)

Certificate Program in Geographic Information Science (GISc)

Geographic Information Science (GISc) is a fast-growing computer technology field involving mapping and analysis of spatial data. Geographic Information Systems (GIS) enable us to assess and manage existing conditions and also help predict future conditions, ranging from monitoring disease occurrences, to endangered species preservation, to managing water supplies, to tracking real estate values, to crime solving.

GIS is used today in fields as diverse as law enforcement, marketing, economic development, public health administration, environmental analysis, ecology, urban planning, real estate, government, education, geology, anthropology, and archaeology. GISc is an expanding field with good career opportunities, and GIS professionals are in high demand in many fields. People with GIS skills can also be more marketable as managers and analysts in their own fields. A Certificate in GISc can be advantageous by itself or in augmenting a bachelor’s or associate’s degree.

The Certificate in GISc consists of a sequence of 4 courses, equaling 14 credits, plus one 3-credit Geography elective course, for a total of 17 credits:

- GEP 504: Basic Mapping: Applications and Analysis (3 credits)
- GEP 505: Principles of Geographic Information Science (GISc) (3 credits)
- GEP 605: Special Topics in GISc (4 credits)
- GEP 690: Workshop in GISc Research (4 credits); and a Geography elective (3 credits).
Courses in Geology

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

GEO 501: Earth Processes.
3 hours, 3 credits. Processes interconnecting the spheres of the Earth system. The materials and structure of the Earth and the major biogeochemical cycles. COREQ: GEO 509.

GEO 502: Earth History.
3 hours, 3 credits. The geologic history of the Earth system. Hypothesis of Earth’s origin; major events and changes in paleogeography, climate, and the evolution of life through geologic time as preserved in the rock and fossil records. PREREQ: GEO 501 (or equivalent), COREQ: GEO 510.

GEO 503: Geologic Field Methods.
5 hours (2, lecture; 3, lab), 3 credits. Methods of geologic mapping. Classroom work and fieldwork. PREREQ: GEO 105 (or equivalent).

GEO 504: Fossils, Time, and Evolution.
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. The morphology, preservation, and interpretation of key fossils. PREREQ: GEO 502 (or equivalent).

*GEO 505: Earth Materials I — Mineralogy.
5 hours (2, lecture; 3, lab), 3 credits. The rock-forming and accessory minerals; other selected minerals. PREREQ: GEO 501 (or equivalent) plus one year of high school or college chemistry.

*GEO 506: Earth Materials II — Petrology.
5 hours (2, lecture; 3, lab), 3 credits. The common igneous, sedimentary, and metamorphic rocks of the earth’s crust. PREREQ: GEO 505.

*GEO 507: Earth Structures.
5 hours (2, lecture; 3, lab), 3 credits. Large- and small-scale structures in the crust and their modes of origin. PREREQ: GEO 502 and plane geometry.

GEO 509: Earth Processes Laboratory.
2 hours, 1 credit. Study of important minerals and rocks, geologic time, maps, seismicity, plate tectonics. COREQ: GEO 501.

GEO 510: Earth History Laboratory.
2 hours, 1 credit. Study of important scientific method, minerals and rocks, fossils, relative and absolute dating, stratigraphic correlation, and geologic history. COREQ: GEO 502.

GEO 599: Studies in Geology.
4 hours, 4 credits. Advanced, in-depth study and research of a specialized topic in Geology that is not covered by existing courses. (May be elected for a maximum of 8 credits.) PREREQ: Departmental permission.

GEO 601: Earth Systems Science for Educators.
4 hours, 4 credits. Introduction to earth systems science from the perspectives of systems components’ origin, evolution, structure, and composition; presentation of the dynamic processes that link them. The course is designed for science education students seeking New York State teaching certification in earth science, grades 7-12. It takes a standards-based, hands-on approach to presenting content and pedagogy in parallel. PREREQ: Students must be enrolled in the M.S.Ed. Science Education Program and/or be seeking New York State certification in earth science, grades 7-12.

GEO 603: Global Plate Dynamics.
5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. Plate tectonics as a unifying theory for the dynamic processes that connect the exterior and interior of the planet and shape its surface. Plate boundary characteristics, driving mechanisms, plate motion, relationships to climate and biodiversity, and global implications for the Earth system. Laboratories include geologic map study and techniques of measuring, plotting, and interpreting structural and plate motion data. PREREQ: GEO 501, 502, or 601.

6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. This course explores earth and environmental sciences using advanced GIS applications and concepts, including environmental modeling and spatial analysis of landslides, earthquakes, soil erosion, stream sedimentation, groundwater flow, ecosystem stability, global climate change, and other earth processes. PREREQ: GEP 505 or equivalent, or Departmental permission.

GEP 641: Digital Image Analysis.
3 hours lecture, 2 hours lab, 4 credits. Introduction to digital image analysis; application of digital analysis techniques to remote sensing data, including mapping of land cover, land use, vegetation, geology, soil, built-up area, agricultural land, and forest. Digital image analysis techniques will include image processing, transformation, registration, and classification using industry standard digital image analysis software. Advantages and limitations of digital image analysis techniques will be discussed.

GEO 645: Earth Materials and Resources.
5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. Fundamentals of mineralogy and petrology with a focus on common rock-forming minerals, crystal structure, mineral and rock identification, soil, water, and other natural resources within the context of biogeochemical cycles. PREREQ: GEO 501 and GEO 502 or equivalent.

GEO 697: Independent Study in Geology.
1-3 hours, 3 credits. Independent study of selected topics in geology under the guidance of a faculty member. PREREQ: Permission of the Graduate Adviser.

Courses in Human Geography

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.
*GEH 501: Principles of Geography. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have had an introductory course in principles of geography.) Distribution and characteristics of the elements of the natural and cultural environment and analysis of their interrelationships. NOTE: GEH 501 is required of students in the Secondary School Social Studies Curriculum, unless they have had an introductory course in principles of geography.

GEH 502: World Regional Geography. 3 hours, 3 credits. Study of each of the world’s major regions, characteristics of homogeneity, and attributes of each region, including physical environment, population, culture, agriculture, economic development, urbanization, and political geography.

*GEH 611: Geographic Interpretation of World Affairs. 3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of the geographic influences of the world’s political, social, and economic problems. PREREQ: *GEH 501 (or equivalent).

*GEH 612: Geographic Basis of World Trade. 3 hours, 3 credits. Study of world transportation and communication, the interdependence of geographic regions, and the geographic factors influencing international trade. PREREQ: *GEH 614 (or equivalent).

GEH 613: Conservation of Natural Resources. 3 hours, 3 credits. The physical and human resources of the world and the needs and methods for their conservation. PREREQ: GEH 501 (or equivalent).

*GEH 614: Economic Geography. 4 hours, 4 credits. Geographic analysis of the major economic activities of the world. PREREQ: GEH 501 (or equivalent).

*GEH 621-626: Geography of Major Regions. Each 3 hours, 3 credits. Each of the following courses, dealing with a continent or a large subdivision thereof, presents an analysis of the major features of the natural and cultural environment of the entire region, followed by an intensive study of the geographic regions within it. PREREQ: GEH 501 (or equivalent).

GEH 621: The Geography of the U.S. and Canada. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the physical geography, natural resources, population and urban distribution, cultural patterns, and economic geography of the U.S. and Canada. Attention given to changes being brought about by the North American Free Trade Act.

GEH 622: The Geography of Latin America. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the physical geography and natural resources, population and urban distribution, cultural patterns, and economic geography of Latin America.

GEH 624: The Geography of Asia. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the physical geography and natural resources, population and urban distribution, cultural patterns, and economic geography of Asia.

GEH 625: The Geography of Western Europe. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the physical geography and natural resources, population and urban distribution, cultural patterns, and economic geography of Western Europe.

GEH 626: The Geography of Eastern Europe and the Former Soviet States. 3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the physical geography and natural resources, population and urban distribution, cultural patterns, and economic geography of Eastern Europe and the former Soviet States.

GEH 630: Geography of the New York Metropolitan Area. 3 hours, 3 credits. The location, terrain, harbor, climate, and other aspects of the geographic base on which the New York metropolitan area has developed. Relationship of these factors to the genesis, growth, spatial characteristics, and problems of human occupancy. PREREQ: GEH 501 (or equivalent).

Courses in Physical Geography

GEP 501: Weather and Climate. 5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. Study of atmospheric phenomena and weather instruments and a general introduction to meteorological processes. Description and explanatory analysis of the climates of the Earth.

GEP 504: Basic Mapping Applications and Analysis. 4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. This course provides a focus on mapping: how to use maps to obtain information about a wide variety of topics and how to create maps to display and analyze both quantitative and qualitative data. Discussions include mental maps, aerial photos, remotely sensed images, computer-assisted cartography, and Geographical Information Systems (GIS). Laboratory work includes digital map applications and GIS mapping exercises. PREREQ: None.

GEP 505: Principles of Geographic Information Science. 4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. The use of Geographic Information Systems in the teaching of social, earth, and life sciences. Demographic studies and graphic presentation of demographic analyses. The use of modern mapping techniques in studies of the Earth Environment. PREREQ: GEO 501 or GEH 501 or Departmental permission.

GEP 530: Urban Environmental Management. 3 hours, 3 credits. Review of issues and problem-solving techniques for critical environmental concerns in the urban habitat, covering the key elements of urban environmental infrastructure, pollution and its effects on human health, environmental planning and policymaking, and the regulatory framework of environmental protection.

GEP 602: Biogeography and GISc. 5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. The methods and techniques used to examine the past and current distribution of organisms, in the context of geophysical, evolutionary, and ecological processes. Study of the geographic ranges of living organisms and discussion of numerous relevant topics. Lab work will provide students with hands-on experience using GISc to explore such concepts as species distribution, island biogeography, and community fragmentation.
GEP 605: Special Topics in Geographic Information Systems. 6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. May be re-elected when topic changes, for a maximum of 8 credits. Use of Geographic Information Systems for conducting research and spatial analyses in the natural and social sciences. The advanced use of computer mapping and spatial analysis technologies for studying the physical and human components of the earth’s environment. PREREQ: GEP 505 or Departmental permission.

GEP 606: Raster Analysis. 4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Focusing on the structure and the various ways in which raster data can be created, modified, and analyzed using a Geographic Information System (GIS). Topics include surface analysis, multi-criteria/multi-objective evaluation, and map algebra. The course combines lectures with weekly laboratory exercises designed to apply the concepts from the lectures and to develop students’ expertise with GIS processing software. PREREQ: GEP 205 or instructor’s permission.

GEP 610: Spatial Analysis of Urban Health. 4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). This course focuses on urban health issues using a geographical framework and covers topics such as the historical perspective of health, place, and society; mapping and measuring health and health impacts; the social and spatial patterning of health; the geography of health inequalities and disparities; health and social/spatial mobility; and the effects of urban segregation, overcrowding, and poverty on disease. Current research, as well as the seminal early works on the geographies of health, will be reviewed. Geographic Information Science will be used in the laboratory exercises to illustrate the theoretical concepts and to produce worked examples of health geography.

GEP 620: Demography and Population Geography with GISc. 4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. The world’s population in the context of geography and demography. The theoretical framework, defined by the fields of population geography and demography, will be studied and explored qualitatively and quantitatively. Data sources and acquisition, population metrics (growth, change distribution, and composition), population and food supply, mortality, fertility, and migration. Lab work will provide students with hands-on experience using GISc to explore demographic concepts.

GEP 621: Principles and Applications in Remote Sensing. 6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. In this course, students will learn the fundamental concepts and principles of electromagnetic theory in remote sensing, becoming familiar with the characteristics, capabilities, and limitations of past, current, and planned future remote sensing systems, and develop practical skills in interpreting aerial photographs, satellite optical remote sensing data, and thermal and radar imagery. Students will also be exposed to a wide variety of applications in environmental mapping and monitoring, natural resources management, urban and regional planning, and global change research. Weekly assignments will be provided to develop skills in interpreting different types of images. A term project will be required to make use of remotely sensed data and digital image processing capabilities in one particular area of application.

GEP 630: Geostatistics and Spatial Analytical Concepts. 4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Emerging fields of geostatistics and spatial analysis, applying quantitative techniques to real-world geographic problems. Exploratory Spatial Data Analysis (E.S.D.A.) within multiple G.I.S. packages such as ArcGIS and GeoDa. Traditional statistics as well as geo-statistics within various packages, including SPSS, GWRIII, GeoDa, ArcGIS, [R], and Excel. PREREQ: GEP 504 or Departmental permission.

GEP 631: Advanced Remote Sensing. 5 hours, 4 credits (3 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Advanced processing and analysis of satellite remote sensing imagery with an emphasis on change detection, advanced image classification methods, and the integrated use of remote sensing and Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in geographical analysis. The course combines lectures with weekly laboratory exercises designed to apply the concepts from the lectures and develop students’ expertise with remote sensing processing software. PREREQ: GEP 621 or instructor’s permission.

GEP 632: Environmental Health and Geographic Information Sciences (GISc). 4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Exploration of the field of environmental health, with special emphasis on spatial factors, medical geography, and the use of Geographic Information Science (GISc) to analyze relevant relationships between environmental impacts, diseases, demographics, socio-economic conditions, and the implications on public health and policy. Lab work uses GISc to examine and analyze environmental health, population, and natural and built environmental data for planning and research. PREREQ: None.

GEP 635: Natural Hazards and Risk Analysis with GIS. 5 hours (3, lecture; 2 hours lab), 4 credits. Fundamentals of the natural hazards and disasters origin; physical and social implications; methods of quantitative and qualitative analysis; elements of geographic, geological, social and political analysis applied to risk estimation and mitigation and management measures. Use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) tools and analytical techniques in lab exercises and assignments. PREREQ: GEP 504 or GEP 505.

GEP 640: Urban Geography and Geographic Information Science (GISc). 4 hours, 3 credits. This course covers the contribution of geographical concepts and methods to an understanding of contemporary and future urban issues. It applies the use of GISc to the study of the internal structure of cities and urban systems, including city dynamics, classic and postmodern models, central place theory, urban migration and mobility, race, ethnicity, and gender, urban migration, poverty, industrial and post-industrial urban societies, residential segregation, land use change, gentrification, urban and suburban sprawl, housing, urban environmental issues, and regional planning. Lab work involves using GISc to explore the form and function of urban areas, and to solve critical urban problems using spatial analysis.
GEP 641: Digital Image Analysis.  
3 hours lecture, 2 hours lab, 4 credits. Introduction to digital image analysis; application of digital analysis techniques to remote sensing data, including mapping of land cover, land use, vegetation, geology, soil, built-up area, agricultural land, and forest. Digital image analysis techniques will include image processing, transformation, registration, and classification using industry standard digital image analysis software. Advantages and limitations of digital image analysis techniques will be discussed.

GEP 650: Topics in Regional Geography and Applied Mapping Analysis.  
(3 hours lecture; 2 hours lab/field), 4 credits. This field-based course will teach students basics of field data investigation and analysis using Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and Global Positioning System (GPS) within the context of the local (regional) geographic settings. Students will select the topic of regional investigation and use both, literature and local (regional) resources to conduct their own applied geographic study. Use of GIS for mapping and data entry will provide students with necessary skills for practical work with collected terrain data and satellite imagery. Labs will use field data and datasets from NASA, USGS, NOAA and local sources (universities, data portals, etc.)

GEP 660: Geovisualization and Analytical Cartography.  
6 hours (2, lecture; 4, lab), 4 credits. Creating maps using advanced Geographic Information Science (GISc) techniques with a focus on understanding cartographic conventions and principles of good cartographic design, and analysis of complex spatial data through geovisualization methods. Maps will be studied critically in terms of their creation, interpretation, and relationship to space and place. PREREQ: GEP 504, or GEP 505, or instructor’s permission.

GEP 662: Introduction to Programming for GISc.  
4 hours, 3 credits. Programming and scripting for Geographic Information Science (GISc) with a focus on applying programming methods to answer geographic questions. Students will learn how to use programming to automate geoprocessing tasks and develop new analytical tools. PREREQ: GEP 505 or instructor’s permission.

GEP 664: Spatial Database Management.  
4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Spatial Database Management with a focus on managing spatial data within a relational database in a Geographic Information System. Topics include relational database concepts; Structured Query Language (SQL); spatial database creation and management; database security management; data integrity maintenance; database model spatial relationships; and work within a multiuser editing environment. PREREQ: GEP 505 or instructor’s permission.

GEP 670: Seminar and Internship Program in Geography.  
10 field, 3 hours, 4 credits. Current issues in Geographic Information Science (GISc), with weekly work as an intern in one of various governmental, non-profit, academic, or consulting organizations. Minimum 150 hours of GISc-related project work. This course may be repeated for a total of 8 credits. PREREQ: GEP 505 or Departmental permission.

GEP 675: Data Acquisition and Integration Methods for GIS Analysis.  
4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab and fieldwork). The techniques and science behind field methods commonly used for the acquisition and creation of geo-spatial data. Various techniques for data capture as well as processing and analyzing the data within a geographic information system (GIS). Labs will focus on the hardware and software needed for data creation, the integration of this information into a coherent GIS, and basic concepts of analysis including point-pattern analysis. Students will use GPS devices, mobile GIS, workstation GIS, as well as data from other sources including satellite and airborne remotely sensed data.

4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Spatial Database Management with a focus on managing spatial data within a relational database in a Geographic Information System. Topics include relational database concepts; Structured Query Language (SQL); spatial database creation and management; database security management; data integrity maintenance; database model spatial relationships; and work within a multiuser editing environment. PREREQ: GEP 505 or instructor’s permission.

GEP 689: Methods Seminar in Geographic Information Science (GISc).  
4 hours, 3 credits (2 hours, lecture; 2 hours, lab). Current methods in the field of Geographic Information Science. The nature of scientific research, defining geographic problems, issues of scale and resolution, research design, scientific literature review, acquisition of relevant data, capturing information and mapping in GIS, analysis and interpretation of data, presenting scientific findings in written and oral formats. PREREQ: GEP 505 or Departmental permission.

GEP 690: Workshop in Geographic Information Science (GISc) Research.  
3 or 4 hours, 3 or 4 credits (course may be repeated for a total of 8 credits). An advanced examination of mapping and of new computer-aided technologies in the natural and social sciences, including research design and methodology and designing and conducting an independent GIS research project, conforming to generally acceptable professional geographical practices and techniques, under the supervision of faculty. PREREQ: GEP 605 or Departmental permission.

GEP 691: Independent Study in Geography/Geographic Information Science.  
2-4 hours, 2-4 credits. (May be repeated for credit up to 8 credits.) Readings, analysis, and/or an in-depth examination of a topic in geography/geographic information science (GISc). PREREQ: GEP 505 or instructor’s permission.
GEP 695: Thesis Research in GISc.
4 or 8 credits, May be taken twice, for up to 8 credits. Preparation for Master’s degree research and thesis writing in the GISc graduate program. A substantive and meaningful GISc research project is undertaken and a written thesis is prepared, using appropriate research methods in the field of GISc, demonstrating sufficient understanding of the nature of scientific research, the process of defining geographic problems, issues of scale and resolution, formation of research design, scientific literature review, acquisition of relevant data, capturing information and mapping in GIS, analysis and interpretation of data, presenting scientific findings in written and oral formats. Open only to students matriculated for the M.S. degree in GISc. PREREQ: GEP 605.
Health Sciences

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The Department of Health Sciences offers five graduate degree programs: the M.S.Ed. Program, Health N-12 Teacher; the M.A. Program in Health Education and Promotion; the Master of Public Health Program; the M.S. Program in Nutrition; and the M.S.Ed. Program in Recreation Education.


The Applied Research Methods in Public Health Certificate consists of five courses (15 credits) and builds on the strength of Lehman’s Public Health Program. This certificate is designed to attract and prepare health care professionals working in hospitals, community health centers, and other health care facilities in the Bronx and/or the metropolitan region to develop or upgrade their research skills and knowledge of public health. The Certificate Program can also serve as an entry into the M.P.H. Program for students who maintain good standing throughout the certificate program. The Certificate Program credits will transfer into the M.P.H. Program if students are accepted through the formal application process.

Courses are as follows:
- PHE 600: Biostatistics in Public Health
- PHE 606: Public Health Epidemiology
- PHE 723: Advanced Methods in Epidemiology
- PHE 710: Applications of Research Methods in Public Health
- PHE 700 or a PHE elective with adviser’s permission

The admissions requirements will include submission of an undergraduate transcript with a minimum 3.0 GPA, and a graduate transcript, if applicable; a current curriculum vitae; three years of public health or health-related work experience; two academic and/or professional letters of recommendation; and a personal essay or statement.

M.S.Ed. Program, Health Pre K-12 Teacher

This program is designed for students seeking a master’s degree in Teaching Health Education. Graduates of this program are recommended for New York State Initial or Professional Certification in Health Education (Pre K-12). Students are supervised in their fieldwork and student teaching by faculty members of the Health Education program in the Department of Health Sciences. Advisement is provided by the Graduate Program Director and faculty members of the Health Education Program in the Department of Health Sciences and/or the Department of Middle and High School Education.

To be eligible for this Master’s Program, potential students must fall into one of the following categories:

- Sequence 1 (39 credits). Students who already possess New York State certification in a related area and who seek additional certification in Health Education Pre K-12.
- Sequence 2 (51 credits). Liberal arts and sciences graduates who lack professional education coursework and who seek initial certification in Health Education Pre K-12.
- Sequence 3 (30 credits). Students who already possess New York State certification in health education and who seek professional certification in Health Education Pre K-12.

Admission Requirements

- Possess a Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having attained a minimum grade average of B in the undergraduate record as a whole and an average of B in courses most relevant to the graduate discipline.
- Three letters of recommendation and a Personal Goal Statement.
- For Sequence 1 admission, possess New York State teacher certification in an area other than health education.
- For Sequence 2 admission, submit scores on the appropriate New York State teacher certification examinations.
- For Sequence 3 admission, possess New York State teacher certification in health education.

Degree Requirements

Students must consult with the graduate adviser in the health education program before starting their Master’s Program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their graduate program with an adviser in the health education program.

Students must complete one of the three sequences outlined below:
- Sequence 1 (39 credits): For students who already possess New York State certification in another subject and who seek certification in Health Education Pre K-12. Course and credit requirements are as follows:
  - Required HEA courses (12 credits): HEA 600 (3), 602 (3), 603 (3), 620 (3)
  - HEA electives (9)
  - Courses linking health with teaching strategies (9): HEA 671 (3), 672 (3), 673 (3)
  - Special Education (3): ESC 506 (3) or EDS 701 (3) or equivalent
• Student Teaching (3 credits): ESC 595 (for in-service teachers; 2 credits) and ESC 611 (1 credit)
• Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project
Sequence 2 (51 credits): For liberal arts and sciences graduates who lack professional education coursework and who seek initial certification in Health Education Pre K-12. Course and credit requirements are as follows:
• Required HEA courses (12 credits): HEA 600 (3), 602 (3), 603 (3), 620 (3)
• HEA electives (9)
• Courses linking health with teaching strategies (9): HEA 671 (3), 672 (3), 673 (3)
• Core Education (12 credits): ESC 501 (3), 502 (3), ESC 506 (3) or EDS 701 (3) or equivalent, 529 (3)
• Student Teaching (6 credits): 596 (for pre-service teachers, 3 credits) and ESC 612 (3 credits).
• Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project
Sequence 3 (30 credits): For students who already possess New York State certification in health education and who seek professional certification in Health Education Pre K-12. The curriculum consists of 30 graduate credits. Course and credit requirements are as follows:
• Required HEA courses (12 credits): HEA 600 (3), 602 (3), 603 (3), 620 (3)
• Courses linking health with teaching strategies (9): HEA 671 (3), 672 (3), 673 (3)
• Core Education (12 credits): ESC 506 (3) or EDS 701 (3) or equivalent, 529 (3)
• Student Teaching (6 credits): 596 (for pre-service teachers, 3 credits) and ESC 612 (3 credits).
• Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project

M.A. Program in Health Education and Promotion

Degree Requirements
The curriculum consists of 33 graduate credits and includes either a thesis or a comprehensive examination. Course and credit requirements are as follows:
• In required HEA courses (24): HEA 600 (3), 602 (3), 603 (3), 620 (3), 622 (3), 623 (3), 670 (3) and one of the following: 671 (3), 672 (3), 673 (3).
• In HEA electives 2 (9)

Note: Students who do the thesis option and register for HEA 691 and HEA 692, need to earn only 3 credits of HEA electives. Otherwise, students must take HEA elective courses totaling 9 credits and pass a comprehensive exam.

M.P.H. Program in Public Health

The Lehman M.P.H. Program offers two specializations: one in Community-Based Public Health and Health Equity and a second in Public Health Geographic Information Science.

The Community-Based Public Health and Health Equity track focuses on health equity and social justice with emphasis on program planning and evaluation, and research methods.

The Public Health Geographic Information Science track offers courses in spatial analysis, computer-assisted cartography, geostatistics, and exploration and interpretation of geographic data as applied to public health, environmental justice and health equity.

In addition, the MPH Program offers an optional concentration in Maternal Child Reproductive Sexual Health (MCRSH). The purpose of this concentration is to guide students toward an integrated view of the contribution of maternal, child, reproductive, and sexual health to population health through a wide array of courses. This concentration can be taken in conjunction with either specialization.

Internships and culminating experiences prepare students for careers as practitioners and researchers, or for pursuing doctoral degrees.

Course and Credit Requirements are as follows:

Core Courses (15 credits)
PHE 600: Biostatistics in Public Health (3 credits)
PHE 606: Public Health Epidemiology (3 credits)
PHE 701: Public Health Policy and Management (3 credits)
PHE 702: Environmental Health (3 credits)
PHE 703: Social and Behavioral Dimensions of Health (3 credits)

Specialization: Community-based Public Health and Health Equity (15 credits)
PHE 700: History and Philosophy of Public Health (3 credits)
PHE 709: Health Equity and Social Justice (3 credits)
PHE 710: Applications of Research Methods in Public Health (3 credits)
PHE 715: Community-based Public Health Program Planning and Eval. (3 credits)
PHE 790: Public Health Capstone Seminar (3 credits)

Specialization: Public Health Geographic Information Science (15 credits)
PHE 704: Environmental Health GIScLab (co-requisite with PHE 702) (1 credit, 1 hour)
PHE 705: Principles of GISc for Public Health (3 credits, 4 hours)
PHE 706: Spatial Analysis and Environmental Modeling for Public Health (4 credits, 6 hours)
PHE 717: The Geography of Urban Health (3 credits, 4 hours)
PHE 791: Workshop in GISc Research for Public Health (4 credits, 4 hours)

Optional Concentration in Maternal Child Reproductive and Sexual Health (MCRSH)
The Maternal Child Reproductive Sexual Health (MCRSH) Concentration within the CUNY SPH Master of Public Health (M.P.H.) degree is designed to enable students to focus on maternal, child, reproductive and sexual health issues within public health from a variety of perspectives, encompassing the sociological, political, familial and biological.

All students in this concentration will take the public health core and specialization requirements; take two required common MCRSH courses; choose one MCRSH elective; and undertake both Fieldwork and Capstone courses in the field of MCRSH.

**Required Concentration Courses:**

- Maternal, Child, Reproductive, and Sexual Health: Socio-Historical Contexts (PH 725) is offered at the CUNY Graduate Center.
- Maternal and Child Health A Life Course Perspective (EPI 77003 - Hunter SPH Course, or PHE 724)

Electives (12 credits): *Elective(s) to be selected with faculty advisement. The nine credits required for the MCRSH concentration count toward the twelve credits of electives.*

The Program offers skill-based, targeted electives as well as specialized content courses to be selected with the approval of the graduate adviser.

**Supervised Internship (3 credits)**

- PHE 770: Public Health Internship (180 hours) (3 credits)

**M.S. Program in Nutrition**

The Master of Science Program in Nutrition prepares students for a wide range of professional positions in either clinical or community nutrition, and for doctoral study in these fields. Graduates of the program may find career opportunities as clinical nutritionists within health-care settings and as nutrition educators in the community. Those graduating from the Dietetic Internship are eligible to sit for the Registration Examination administered by the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics to become Registered Dietitians (RD) or Registered Dietitian Nutritionist (RDN).

**Admission Requirements**

- Bachelor’s degree or its equivalent from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrated ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having achieved a minimum grade average of B (3.0) in the undergraduate record as a whole and in courses most relevant to the graduate discipline.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Must have completed the following courses and credits (or their equivalents):

  **In Basic Science:** courses in physiology (BIO 181 and 182, or 228), inorganic chemistry (CHE 114 and 115), and organic chemistry (CHE 120 and 121).

  **In Nutrition:** courses in introductory (HSD 240) and advanced nutrition (DFN 445), diet and disease (DFN 348 and 448), and foods (DFN 120 and 220). Deficiencies in undergraduate preparation may be rectified through Lehman's undergraduate program in Dietetics, Foods, and Nutrition, which is accredited by the ACEND (Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics) as a Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD). http://www.eatright.org/ACEND/content.aspx?id=10905.

**Degree Requirements**

Each candidate must complete an approved program of study of at least 38 credits that includes the general core courses and approved elective courses, which may include the courses required for the Dietetic Internship (DI) program. The student may elect either to write a thesis or pass a comprehensive examination for a minimum total of 38 credits. At this time, only the comprehensive exam is being offered.

**Core Courses**

All students are required to take the following courses and credits:

- HEA 600 (3), HEA 620 (3), BIO 610 (4) or BIO 644 (4), DFN 610 (4), DFN 620 (3), DFN 641 (3), DFN 651 (3), and DFN 791 (3) (total of 26 credits).

**Elective Courses:** Students may select from the following courses and credits for a minimum of 12 credits:

- DFN 621 (3), 630 (3–6), 661 (3), 692 (3–6), 693 (3–6), 730 (3), 731 (3), 741 (3), 771 (3), 792 (3), 793 (3), 794 (3–6), 795 (3–6), HSD 606, and other courses selected with permission of the Graduate Adviser (total of a minimum of 12 credits).

A maximum of 9 credits from DFN 730 and 731 may be credited toward the requirements for the MS degree for those students completing the DI program.

**Admission Requirements to Dietetic Internship Program (DI)**

Students who wish to enter the DI must be accepted into Lehman’s M.S. in Nutrition Program and then submit an additional application to the DI. Places in the DI are limited and therefore admission into the DI is competitive. Students must conform to the admissions policies of the DI as itemized on the web pages of the DI program (www.lehman.edu/lehman/dietetics), which includes the computerized matching program administered through ”D & D Digital Systems.”

Included in the DI application are the following:

- The ACEND internship application form.
- Two recommendations on ACEND forms.
- Original undergraduate and/or graduate transcripts.
- ADPD Verification Statement attesting to the completion of ACEND-approved coursework equivalent to the undergraduate program in Dietetics, Foods, and Nutrition.
- One page personal statement.
- Application fee.

Applications must be submitted to the DI Director by **February 15** for entry into the DI class beginning in the Fall semester.
Interns must complete the following four graduate courses: DFN 641, 651, 661, and HEA 620, concurrent with the DI.

Completion Requirements for Dietetic Internship Program
- In order to sit for the RD examination, students must be admitted to the M.S. in Nutrition program; submit a separate application to the DI; participate in computer matching; be admitted into the DI; complete four corequisite courses; and complete a minimum of 1200 hours of supervised preprofessional practice (DFN 730 for 3 semesters), and attend the Concepts and Methods of Dietetics Practice seminar (DFN 731) for 3 semesters or until the requirements are fulfilled. The DI is completed over a three-semester period (12 months).
- A verification statement for completion of the DI will be granted following successful completion (with a mean GPA of at least 3.0) of DFN 641 (3), 651 (3), 661 (3), HEA 620 (3), 730 (9), and 731 (9).
- Completion of the master’s program is not required for completion of the Dietetic Internship.

M.S.Ed. Program in Recreation Education
The Master’s Program in Recreation Education at Lehman College consists of a 33-credit Master of Science in Education degree, which is designed to prepare individuals for professional employment in the broad field of leisure services.

Admission Requirements
- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study. (Above-average academic achievement in general is required.)
- Two letters of recommendation.
- If conditionally admitted, make up not more than 12 credits of specified undergraduate coursework, starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Departmental Retention Policy
Once admitted into one of the graduate programs, students must maintain a Grade Point Average of B. If a student’s average falls below B, he or she will have one semester to bring the average up to the minimum standard. Failure to do so may result in dismissal from the program.

Degree Requirements
The curriculum for the M.S.Ed. Program in Recreation includes two options:
Option A: Recreation and Park Administration, which prepares individuals for supervisory and administrative roles in public, voluntary, and commercial recreation agencies.
Option B: Therapeutic Recreation Service, which prepares individuals to deliver therapeutic recreation services in hospitals, nursing homes, day-treatment programs, and other institutional and community settings. Students who complete this option have met the therapeutic recreation option requirements for certification as a Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist, administered by the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification.

Students must complete at least 24 credits in recreation courses, 3 credits in HEA 600 or equivalent, and may complete their additional 6 credits in related areas, with the prior approval of the graduate adviser. A maximum of 12 credits may be transferred from other universities or colleges with the approval of the Graduate Adviser. Upon graduation, all students will have met the academic requirements for certification as a Certified Parks and Recreation Professional, administered by the National Recreation and Parks Association.

Recreation Education Curriculum
Option A: Recreation and Park Administration (18 credits):
HEA 600 (3), REC 700 (3), 701 (3), 702 (3), 703 (3), 705 (3).
3 credits in Therapeutic Recreation: Select from REC 640, 704, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711.
6 credits of administration electives: Select from REC 680, 706, 712, 715, 790.
6 credits related electives from courses in Health Sciences or Education.

Option B: Therapeutic Recreation Service (18 credits):
HEA 600 (3), REC 700 (3), 701 (3), 702 (3), 703 (3), 704 (3).
3 credits in REC 715 or related electives from courses in Health Sciences or Education.

Courses in Health Education
*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

HEA 507: Human Sexuality.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Closed to students who have taken HEA 307 or equivalent.) Physiological, psychological, and social aspects of human sexual development and function.

HEA 509: Drugs and Substance Abuse.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Closed to students who have taken HEA 309 or equivalent.) Emphasis on physiological, psychological, and social effects of drug abuse.

HEA 600: Biostatistics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Statistical concepts, techniques, and applications of the analysis of health-related data, including the use of computer software to analyze and interpret data.

HEA 601: Curriculum Development in Health Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of significant health curriculum trends. Analysis of curriculum-reform movement in health, with emphasis on principles, policies, and procedures for curriculum construction.
HEA 602: Research Methods in Health Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the design, methods, and research tools used in health education. Formulation of a research problem. PREREQ: HEA 600 or equivalent.

HEA 603: History and Philosophy of Health Education and Promotion.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the philosophical basis of health education and development of the health promotion movement in modern society. Analysis of the scientific, educational, sociological, psychological, anthropological, and legal basis of the profession with respect to its place in the health care system. Review of current professional developments.

HEA 604: Educational Strategies in Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Overview of essential present-day knowledge of health practices and concepts. Emphasis on specific strategies for communicating health information and promoting health practices in a community setting.

HEA 609: Drug Problems in the School and Community.
3 hours, 3 credits. Planning, developing, and implementing a drug-prevention program in the school and community. PREREQ: HEA 509 (or equivalent) or Departmental permission.

*HEA 610: Group Dynamics in Health Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the fundamental processes of group dynamics and analysis of specific group approaches as they relate to the health educator. Focus on group networking, decision-making patterns, and leadership. Exploration of methods and techniques of identifying problems and improving group function.

HEA 620: Health Counseling.
3 hours, 3 credits. Health problems of the school child, remedial procedures, and health-counseling techniques. PREREQ: Either a personal health, public health, or physical-inspection course (or equivalents), or Departmental permission. NOTE: Students (in consultation with the instructor) will be expected to enter into a specific health-counseling situation in depth and follow it to fruition at the end of the semester.

HEA 622: Organization and Administration of Health Education and Promotion Programs.
3 hours, 3 credits. Formulation of principles, policies, and procedures of health education and promotion programs within a variety of institutional settings; coordination with other health services, professional personnel, and cooperating agencies.

HEA 623: Program Planning and Evaluation in Health Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification and analysis of health education and promotion program planning, implementation, and evaluation in various professional environments. Emphasis on the development of model programs.

HEA 624: Safety Education in Secondary Schools and Colleges.
3 hours, 3 credits. History and development of safety education. Analysis of safety factors related to home, school, transportation, and recreation facilities; curriculum material; methods; and organizational procedures. NOTE: Students (in consultation with the instructor) will be expected to embark on a safety project within their own school situation and to set the framework of its solution.

HEA 625 (FCS 674): Seminar in Human Sexuality.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of current trends, problems, and issues. PREREQ: One course in human sexuality or sex education, or Departmental permission.

*HEA 626: Mental Health and the Classroom Teacher.
3 hours, 3 credits. The scope of the mental health problem; implications for the classroom teacher. Methods of improvement and preservation of the well-being of individuals.

HEA 627: Health Problems and Issues in Contemporary Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification and analysis of various community health problems and issues in contemporary society. Exploration of the impact on the individual, family, and society.

HEA 630: Community Organization and Health Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Current approaches in community development and the community-organization process are related to the development and promotion of public health and health education. Emphasis on coordinated community action.

HEA 633: Seminar in Urban Health Problems.
3 hours, 3 credits. Health in the urban setting, including special problems or susceptibility in ethnic groups, innovative health education programs, and disease prevention.

HEA 634: Modern Advances in Health Science.
3 hours, 3 credits. Problems and current research in health education and community health education.

HEA 635: Seminar in Disease Prevention and Control.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination and analysis of the major causes of morbidity and mortality in modern society. Review of epidemiological principles. Analysis of disease causation, with an emphasis on the role of education in disease prevention and control.

HEA 636: Perspectives on Death and Dying.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of death, dying, and bereavement from psychological, social, and cultural perspectives. Topics including end of life care, the effects of different types of death on the grief process, children and bereavement, and grief counseling. Implications for health services delivery.

HEA (DFN) 640: Nutrition and Chronic Diseases.
3 hours, 3 credits. The relationship of diet to health promotion and disease prevention and management. Emphasis on current dietary patterns in the United States and other industrialized nations and the high incidence of degenerative diseases, such as arteriosclerosis, diabetes mellitus, diverticulosis, and cancer. PREREQ: BIO 181 and BIO 182 or equivalents and permission of the Department.

HEA 670: Field Experience in Health Education.
10 hours, 3 credits. Supervised field experience in an agency offering health education/health promotion programs. PREREQ: Completion of 15 graduate credits in health education. Subject to departmental permission; students currently employed in the field of health education may take a HEA elective in lieu of HEA 670.
HEA 671: Teaching Strategies for Health: Psychosocial Wellness.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of psychosocial wellness incorporating mental, emotional, family, and social health. Emphasis will be on using educational strategies to promote psychosocial wellness among students from PRE-K-12.

HEA 672: Teaching Strategies for Health: Health Promotion Behaviors.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of health behaviors and the promotion of healthy lifestyles. Emphasis will be on using educational strategies to promote health among students from PRE-K-12.

HEA 673: Teaching Strategies for Health: Disease and Disability.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines the etiology of health problems and risk factors for diseases and disabilities. Emphasis will be on using educational strategies to identify and reduce risks for various health problems among students from PRE-K-12.

HEA 674: Environment and Protecting Health.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines environmental health issues and problems. Emphasis on educational strategies to address environmental health problems.

HEA 680: Special Topics in Health.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be reelected for credit when the topic changes.) Consideration of recent developments in the field of health, with special emphasis on interdisciplinary contributions. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

HEA 685: Independent Study in Health Education and Promotion.  
One semester, 3 credits (may be repeated up to 6 credits). Readings in and examination of special topics in health education. PREREQ: Open only to matriculated students who have completed 24 credits in the major. PREREQ: Departmental permission.

HEA 690: Seminar in Current Research.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Research topics are presented for class analysis and discussion. PREREQ: HEA 602 plus 12 hours of graduate work in Health Education.

6 credits (not open to students who have taken the comprehensive exam). Individual research under faculty supervision. Credit granted only upon completion and acceptance of thesis. A grade of INC will be assigned for the first semester. PREREQ: HEA 602.

HEA (EDG) 731: Sexuality Counseling.  
3 hours, 3 credits. An overview of sexuality counseling. Stresses the process of interaction between professionals and clients that allows clients to explore and understand their sexuality, feelings, values, responsibilities, needs, and behaviors. Topics include: changing family structure, alternative lifestyles, changing sex roles, an increasing older population, drug and alcohol abuse, and sexually transmitted diseases, including AIDS. PREREQ: Permission of adviser.

HEA 741: Strategies in Nutrition Education.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of current methods and materials used in nutrition education, including individual counseling and group instruction. Emphasis is on development, use, and evaluation of appropriate teaching strategies and materials. (Includes workshops and fieldwork.) PREREQ: Departmental permission.

HSD 606: Epidemiology.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Epidemiological principles and concepts are examined with respect to their application in measuring the distribution and determinants of disease. Research designs in experimental and observational epidemiologic studies aimed at identifying risk factors and disease etiology are evaluated and critiqued as well as the validity and reliability of screening programs. PREREQ: HEA 600 or equivalent.

HSD 608: Legal and Ethical Issues in Health Care.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification and examination of legal issues related to providers and consumers of health care. Health issues are examined in light of legal doctrines within health care environments.

Courses in Nutrition

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

DFN 520: Food Science.  
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Study of the composition, preservation, sensory evaluation and safety of foods. Particular emphasis on the chemical changes and interaction of foods. PREREQ: CHE 120 and 121, or equivalent. Departmental permission required.

4 hours, 4 credits. Discussion of nutrients on a cellular and organism level, emphasizing the biochemical and physiological aspects of nutrition. Cellular metabolism and tissue function in relation to nutrient requirements are discussed. PREREQ: DFN 445, BIO 181 and 182, CHE 244 and 245, or the equivalent.

DFN 620: Life-Cycle Nutrition.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Current concepts and principles in human nutrition, with application to the special needs at various stages in the life cycle in meeting nutritional problems. Includes conferences, fieldwork, and evaluation of fieldwork. PREREQ: 9 credits in nutrition and 6 credits in anatomy and physiology, or permission of Graduate Adviser.

DFN 621: Ethnic and Therapeutic Meal Patterns.  
3 hours, 3 credits. An in-depth study of ethnic food patterns and their influences on health, with emphasis on scientific principles of food preparation and meal planning for vulnerable population groups and those on medical nutrition therapy regimens.

DFN 630: Special Topics in Nutrition.  
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits (may be re-elected, as topics change, for a maximum of 6 credits). Consideration of recent developments in the field of nutrition. PREREQ: 9 credits of core nutrition courses, or permission of adviser.
DFN (HEA) 640: Nutrition and Chronic Diseases.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The relationship of diet to health promotion and disease prevention and management. Emphasis on current dietary patterns in the United States and other industrialized nations and the high incidence of degenerative diseases, such as arteriosclerosis, diabetes mellitus, diverticulosis, and cancer. PREREQ: BIO 181 and 182, or the equivalents of these courses.

3 hours, 3 credits. The relationship of diet to health promotion and disease prevention. The role of public, private, and voluntary organizations in providing nutrition-care services for ambulatory populations. Techniques for developing, funding, implementing, and evaluating projects in the community. PREREQ: DFN 43 or 620, or their equivalents.

DFN 651: Medical Nutrition Therapy.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Nutrition assessment, diagnosis, intervention, monitoring, and evaluation used to improve health and quality of life in patients with a variety of nutritionally-related conditions. Includes an exploration of evidence-based medical nutrition therapy in today's clinical practice. Case studies related to the pathophysiology and treatment of nutritionally relevant acute and chronic disease will be emphasized. PREREQ: DFN 448.

DFN 661: Food Service Management.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Management theory with application to the food service industry. Emphasis on the management of human and financial resources, the practice of optimal standards of safety, sanitation, and nutrition, and the role of the computer as a management tool.

3 hours, 3 credits (may be re-elected for a maximum of 6 credits). Independent study under the guidance of a faculty member.

DFN 693: Independent Study in Community Nutrition.  
3 hours, 3 credits (may be re-elected for a maximum of 6 credits). Independent study under the guidance of a faculty member. PREREQ: 9 credits of core nutrition courses.

DFN 730: Supervised Professional Practice.  
30 hours per week (minimum), 3 credits. (Course open only to those accepted into the Dietetic Internship. May be reelected for a maximum of 9 credits.) A minimum of 400 hours of supervised professional practice at approved health care and community sites. COREQ: DFN 731.

DFN 731: Concepts and Methods of Dietetics Practice.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Course open only to those accepted into Dietetic Internship. Examination of current concepts and methods of dietetics practice to prepare students for entry-level professional practice. Includes on-campus didactic activities, group discussions, and the use of case studies to analyze and expand upon the fieldwork experience. Completion of the Dietetic Internship requires participation in the seminar for three semesters. COREQ: DFN 730.

DFN 741: Workshop in Nutrition Education.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of current methods and materials used in nutrition education, including individual counseling and group instruction. Emphasis is on development, use, and evaluation of appropriate teaching techniques. Includes workshops and fieldwork. PREREQ: DFN 641.

*DFN 761: Nutritional Assessment.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods used to evaluate nutritional status, including the analysis and interpretation of assessment data and the identification of actual or potential nutritional problems. Emphasis on the significance of health history and anthropometric, dietary, laboratory, and physical findings in developing a clinically relevant assessment of the client’s nutritional status. PREREQ: DFN 445 or 610.

DFN 771: Nutritional Support.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The metabolic events associated with physiological stress and their importance in determining nutritional requirements. Identifying, assessing, and managing the patient at risk for protein calorie malnutrition. Emphasis on the use of enteral or parenteral nutrition support to achieve positive nitrogen balance, adequate nutrition status, or weight gain.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the design, methods, and tools used in nutrition research. PREREQ: Nine graduate credits in nutrition, plus HEA 600 or its equivalent.

DFN 792: Practicum in Clinical Nutrition.  
6 hours, 3 credits. Supervised placement in health care agencies. Conferences will be conducted to integrate theory with fieldwork experience. PREREQ: 18 credits of the core nutrition courses and adviser’s permission.

DFN 793: Practicum in Community Nutrition.  
6 hours, 3 credits. Supervised placement in health care or community care agencies. Conferences will be conducted to integrate theory with fieldwork experience. PREREQ: 18 credits of the core nutrition courses and adviser’s permission.

3 credits (may be re-elected for a maximum of 6 credits). Individual research, under supervision, in clinical nutrition or nutritional biochemistry. Credit granted upon completion and acceptance of thesis. PREREQ: DFN 791 and Graduate Adviser’s permission.

3 credits (may be re-elected for a maximum of 6 credits). Individual research, under supervision, in community or public health nutrition. Credit is granted upon completion and acceptance of thesis. PREREQ: DFN 791 and Graduate Adviser’s permission.

Courses in Public Health

PHE 600: Biostatistics in Public Health.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Application and interpretation of basic descriptive and inferential statistical methods in the analysis of public health data.
PHE 606: Public Health Epidemiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification, analysis, interpretation, and presentation of epidemiological data for improving the public health of communities. Emphasizes practical public health applications. PREREQ: PHE 600.

PHE 608: Ethics in Public Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Ethical principles, values, and controversies in public health. Historical development of public health professional and ethical issues and current topics in the field.

PHE 680: Topics in Public Health.
1-3 hour, 1-3 credits. Examination of variable issues and current topics of interest in public health.

PHE 685: Independent Study in Public Health.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. Readings in, and critical in-depth examination of, a topic in public health. PREREQ: Faculty permission.

PHE 700: History and Philosophy of Public Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of historical development and philosophical concepts underlying the practice of public health; social, political, and institutional forces shaping public health policy and the commitment to monitor, protect, and promote the public's health; emphasis on the relationship between public health knowledge, values, and actions.

PHE 701: Public Health Policy and Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical concepts, practice, and implementation of public health programs in organized settings; external environment analysis of government structure, laws, and regulations, private sector managed care, and collaborative academic-community partnerships; and examination of internal organizational functions.

PHE 702: Environmental Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Impact of human activities on environmental quality and human health; effect of environment on health and disease; examination of ecological principles, environmental health assessment, health policy/law and environmental justice; human population dynamics; and types and sources of pollutants and approaches to prevention and control. Environmental disease monitoring and health risk assessment are examined using GISc.

PHE 703: Social and Behavioral Dimensions of Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Overview of social and behavioral aspects of health, the influence of social and behavioral factors in the distribution of health and illness among populations, and emphasis on how social science theory informs public health. Based on a social ecological perspective, this course offers an introduction to major theories of behavior change in health promotion, with a focus on applications to public health programs.

PHE 704: Environmental Health GISc Lab.
1 hour, 1 credit. Application of GISc to examine and analyze environmental health, population, and natural and built environmental data for planning and research. COREQ: PHE 702.

4 hours, 3 credits. The use of Geographic Information Systems relating to public health in the teaching of social, earth, and life sciences. Demographic studies and graphic presentation of demographic analysis. The use of modern mapping techniques in studies of the Earth Environment with emphasis on environmental health and environmental justice.

6 hours, 4 credits. Use of Geographic Information Systems for conducting research and spatial analysis in the natural and social sciences with emphasis on public health. The advanced use of computer mapping and spatial analysis technologies for studying the physical and human components of the earth's environment. PREREQ: PHE 705 or Departmental permission.

PHE 708: Health Informatics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Principles and concepts of informatics; access to key epidemiological databases; research and information retrieval sources; database analysis and design; resource evaluation, management, decision-making, and planning; legal and ethical issues; and the application of computer information systems to public health issues.

PHE 709: Health Equity and Social Justice.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of health disparities and exploration of social, economic, political, and historical determinants of health, including unequal access and treatment by race and ethnicity, patterns of immigration, cultural bases of health, strategies for communicating with diverse populations, and interventions for reducing and eliminating ethnic and racial health disparities from an ethics and public policy perspective.

PHE 710: Applications of Research Methods in Public Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Principles of statistical and other research methods applied to design of public health studies; analysis, interpretation, and reporting of epidemiological data to public health professionals and lay audiences. PREREQ: PHE 600 and PHE 606.

PHE 715: Planning and Evaluation of Community-based Public Health Programs.
3 hours, 3 credits. Fundamental approaches and methods for planning and evaluating public health programs. Application of theory and the empirical literature as a means of developing skills in evidence-based public health practice.

PHE 717: The Geography of Urban Health.
4 hours, 3 credits (2, lecture; 2, lab). A geographical examination of urban health including the historical perspective of health geography; mapping and spatial analysis of health and health impacts; the social and spatial patterning of health; the geography of health inequalities and disparities; health and social/spatial mobility; and the effects of urban segregation, overcrowding, and poverty on disease illustrated through GISc laboratory exercises. PREREQ: PHE 705 or Departmental permission.
PHE 720: Chronic Disease Epidemiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Overview of causative factors and demographic distribution of major chronic diseases in the western world. Epidemiological concepts, methods, and research design as applied to chronic disease prevention. Role of screening in controlling chronic disease. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core courses, including HSD 606.

PHE 721: Infectious Disease Epidemiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Natural history, methods of control, and current perspectives of infectious diseases; epidemiological methods for the investigation of infectious diseases; epidemic models; bioterrorism. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core courses, including HSD 606.

PHE 722: Globalization and International Health.
3 hours, 3 credits. Epidemiological aspects of major global public health problems. Focus on principles, basic statistical analysis, public health surveillance, field investigation, and surveys and sampling. Governmental responses to epidemics, disasters, and outbreaks. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core courses, including HSD 606.

PHE 723: Advanced Methods in Epidemiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Design, conduct, analyze, and interpret epidemiologic studies using experimental (community intervention trials), non-experimental, and observational (cohort, case-control) methods. Study of research designs, including subject selection, measurement, methodology, data analysis, and practical application of statistical concepts. PREREQ: 6 credits from PHE 720, 721, or 722.

PHE 724: Maternal and Child Health: A Life Course Perspective.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the social determinants of and inequities in maternal and child health from a life course perspective. PREREQ: PHE 606.

PHE 730: Healthcare Financing and Economics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Financial management principles and concepts in public health organizations, including resource allocation and funding sources; government and private/market sector budgeting processes and analyses; economic and outcome analysis of public health interventions. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core, including PHE 701.

PHE 731: Community Participation and Advocacy.
3 hours, 3 credits. Role of advocacy in advancing public health, including techniques and strategies for organizing, educating, and effecting change; identifying common needs and interests, community participation, collaboration, and coalition-building; analysis of political environments and proposed legislation. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core, including PHE 701.

PHE 732: Healthcare Policy and Politics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Role of government and political institutions in American health policy, including concepts, theories, and analysis of social, economic, and political power in relation to health policy; public and private sector relationships in delivering health services; the formulation, process and implementation of public health policy and program development. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core, including PHE 701.

PHE 733: The Practice of Quality Management.
3 hours, 3 credits. Conceptual bases for quality assessment, improvement, and assurance. Measures of efficiency and effectiveness, including evaluation of performance, evaluation of outcome studies, and applications of quality management to public health practice and programs. PREREQ: 18 credits from PHE core courses, including PHE 701.

PHE 770: Public Health Internship.
6 hours, 3 credits. Supervised field experience (90 hours) in an approved public health agency or community health organization. PREREQ: Completion of PHE Core (28 credits and 6 credits in specialization courses.) COREQ: PHE 790 and Graduate Adviser’s permission.

PHE 790: Public Health Practice Capstone Seminar.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. Examination of academic, community, government, and private sector public health partnerships from an interdisciplinary perspective, culminating in a seminar project. PREREQ: PHE 770.

3 or 4 hours, 3 or 4 credits (course may be repeated for a total of 8 credits). An advanced examination of mapping and of new computer-aided technologies in the natural and social sciences, including research design and methodology and designing and conducting an independent GIS public health research project, conforming to generally acceptable professional geographical practices and techniques, under the supervision of faculty. PREREQ: PHE 706 or Departmental permission.

PHE 792: Public Health Capstone Project.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis and writing of a public health capstone project. This project is completed with the approval and under the supervision of M.P.H. faculty. PREREQ: PHE 770.

Courses in Recreation

REC 640: Therapeutic Recreation and Disabilities.
3 hours, 3 credits. Characteristics, functional limitations, implications for therapeutic recreation services, and overall impact of disabilities on the individual’s health and leisure from an ecological perspective.

REC 680: Special Topics in Recreation.
3 hours, 3 credits (may be re-elected for credit as the topic changes, with Graduate Adviser’s permission). Consideration of recent developments in the field of recreation, with special emphasis on interdisciplinary contributions. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

REC 700: Recreation and Leisure in Modern Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines basic concepts of play and recreation, with emphasis on changing leisure trends and the provision of organized recreation programs by public, voluntary, therapeutic, and commercial agencies.

REC 701: Research Methods and Evaluation in Recreation.
3 hours, 3 credits. Presentation of research designs, methods, and instruments. Examination of goals and techniques of evaluation in organized recreation service. PREREQ: HEA 600.
REC 702: Recreation Program Planning and Leadership.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Program planning, scheduling, and operation in public, voluntary, therapeutic, and commercial settings. Basic principles and practices in group leadership.

REC 703: Administrative Process in Recreation and Parks.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Analyzes the administration of recreation and park programs in varied settings, including goal setting and policy development, personnel and facilities management, fiscal operations, and public and community relations.

REC 704: Therapeutic Recreation Service.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines conceptual bases, goals, and practices of therapeutic recreation service for diverse populations and settings, including philosophical foundations, historical and professional development, models of practice, ethics, trends, and issues.

REC 705: Community Recreation and Park Facilities.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examines design, construction, and maintenance of varied recreation and park facilities: parks, playgrounds, centers, pools, athletic complexes, and other special structures.

REC 706: Outdoor Education and Recreation.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Environmental education and nature-oriented recreation programs, as part of the program of schools and community recreation and parks departments. Analyzes goals, methods, and resources; includes field trips.

REC 707-712: Specialized Programs in Therapeutic Recreation Service.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of therapeutic recreation services for individuals with disabilities in a variety of settings. PREREQ: Permission of Graduate Adviser.  
707: Therapeutic Recreation in Geriatric Settings  
708: Therapeutic Recreation in Psychiatric Rehabilitation  
709: Therapeutic Recreation and Developmental Disability  
710: Therapeutic Recreation Applications to Social Problems  
711: Therapeutic Recreation Programs and Physical Disability  
712: Leisure Counseling and Community Programs

REC 714: Therapeutic Recreation Program Design.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the design of therapeutic recreation services and the application of the therapeutic recreation process, with emphasis on the standards for practice and assessment as the basis of treatment planning, documentation, developing diagnostic, and program protocols and evaluation.

REC 715: Clinical Practice and Internship.  
6 hours, 3 credits. Field placement in approved institution or community agency, including therapeutic, public, or voluntary settings. Required for graduate recreation majors without professional experience. PREREQ: REC 700, 702, and either 703 or 704, and permission of Graduate Adviser.

REC 724: Advanced Therapeutic Recreation Processes.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of therapeutic recreation practice with emphasis on therapeutic use of self, design and implementation of therapeutic groups, therapeutic recreation program leadership, and evaluation and selection of appropriate intervention modalities.

REC 781: Research Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Students examine published research and develop thesis proposals. Those who receive committee approval of proposals during the semester may begin actual research. PREREQ: Nine graduate credits in recreation, including REC 700 or 701, and approval of Graduate Adviser.

REC 790: Independent Study in Recreation.  
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be reelected for a maximum of 6 credits.) Planned program of individual study under the guidance and supervision of a member of the department. PREREQ: Permission of Graduate Advisor and 6 credits in Recreation.

REC 791: Thesis.  
3 credits. Individual research under faculty supervision. Credit gained upon completion and acceptance of thesis. PREREQ: REC 701 and 781.

Course in Exercise Science

EXS 680: Selected Topics in Exercise Science.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be reelected for a maximum of 6 credits.) Examination of various topics in exercise science. Topics to be announced each semester.
History

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The Department of History offers a Master of Arts degree in History that is intended primarily for students who anticipate that the master’s degree will be their highest earned degree. The course of study is designed to offer an introduction to the professional study of history and to provide mastery of a broad area of history. In addition, the Department offers courses designed to meet the needs of students in the programs for Middle and High School Teachers of Social Studies and for Elementary School Teachers. Students with a specialization in History (see Program for Middle and High School Teachers of Social Studies) should consult the Department chair early in their course of studies.

M.A. Program in History

Admission Requirements

- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university
- Have demonstrated the potential to successfully pursue graduate study—that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in History courses and a minimum grade average of B- in the undergraduate record as a whole
- Have taken a minimum of 18 credits of coursework in History, acceptable to the department.
- Submit two letters of recommendation.
- Submit scores on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).
- Submit a 1-2 page essay consisting of responses to application-packet questions.
- Submit a sample of college-level writing
- If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year

Degree Requirements

The general requirements for the M.A. Degree in History consist of 36 credits of coursework:
- HIS 780 and 781 in the first year (6 credits)
- Other coursework at the 700-level (24 credits)
- Comprehensive oral or written examination (0 credits)
- HIS 797 (master’s thesis) (6 credits)

Or:
- HIS 780 and 781 in the first year (6 credits)
- Other coursework at the 700-level (27 credits)
- Comprehensive oral or written examination (0 credits)
- HIS 795 (approved capstone project) (3 credits)

After successfully completing 30 credits of coursework with a 3.0 average, candidates for the M.A. degree who plan to write a thesis must pass a comprehensive oral or written examination in two fields. These candidates for the M.A. degree must then present a master’s thesis, prepared under the direction of a thesis supervisor from the Department of History and an approved second reader, and accepted by the thesis supervisor.

Students who plan to do a capstone project first must successfully complete 33 credits of course work with a 3.0 average. They then must pass a comprehensive oral or written examination in two fields. These candidates for the M.A. degree must then present an approved capstone project, prepared under the direction of an adviser from the Department of History.

Special Track for Secondary School Teachers of Social Studies

Degree Requirements:

The general requirements for the Special Track in History for Secondary School Teachers of Social Studies consist of 36 credits of coursework:
- HIW 533 and HIU 534 in the first year (6 credits)
- ESC 533 and ESC 534 in the first year, or acceptable alternative ESC courses for students who have already passed equivalents of these with a minimum grade of B+ (6 credits)
- HIS 780 and 781 in the second year (6 credits)
- Other History coursework at the 700-level (12 credits)
- Comprehensive oral or written examination (0 credits)
- HIS 797 (master’s thesis) (6 credits)

Or:
- HIW 533 and HIU 534 in the first year (6 credits)
- ESC 533 and ESC 534 in the first year, or acceptable alternative ESC courses for students who have already passed equivalents of these with a minimum grade of B+ (6 credits)
- HIS 780 and 781 in the second year (6 credits)
- Other History coursework at the 700-level (15 credits)
- Comprehensive oral or written examination (0 credits)
- HIS 795 (approved capstone project) (3 credits)

Courses in History of Ancient and Medieval Civilization

HIA 706: History of Religions in the Ancient World.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIA 306.) A survey of religious beliefs and practices of the Ancient Near Eastern and Mediterranean worlds. Religious customs of the ancient Mesopotamian cultures; Mycenaean, Minoan, and Classical Greek myth and ritual; Hellenistic religions and mystery religious cults; private household worship in the Roman Republic; and public religious faith in the Roman Empire.
HIE 714: Classical Myth and Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIA 314.)
A comparison of the origins and development of classical mythology and heroic legend as religious beliefs, their relation to other mythologies, and their adaptation in literature and art from Hesiod and Homer through the present. A comparative analysis of Near Eastern and Nordic myth will be provided.

HIA 720: History of Ancient Greece.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIA 320.)
The Ancient Greeks from prehistoric times through the development of the City-State to the death of Alexander the Great. The political, economic, social, and cultural achievement during the Bronze and the Dark Ages, the Archaic and the Classical Period, and the Hellenistic Era.

HIA 721: History of Rome.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIA 321.)
Foundation and development of the Roman state, including the rise and decline of the Roman Republic and the establishment and the fall of the Empire, with emphasis on its political, economic, social, and cultural achievements.

HIA 750: Topics in Ancient and Medieval History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated as often as the topic changes.)
Various sections in topics in Ancient History. (For specific topics and sections each semester, consult the Department.)

Courses in History of Modern Europe

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

HIE 702: Europe in the Renaissance and Reformation.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 302).
Major developments in Western Europe in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, including Renaissance humanism, the rise of the printed book, reformations of religion, overseas exploration, and empires.

HIE 705: Golden-Age Spain.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 305).
Survey of secondary literature of early modern Spanish history, including classic works and recent contributions to the field, with special attention to interdisciplinary approaches.

HIE 707: Europe in the Age of Enlightenment.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 307).
Society, politics, and economy in Europe from 1689 through the Napoleonic Wars.

HIE 708: The French Revolution and Napoleon.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 308.)
Preconditions of discontent in late eighteenth-century France; the origin and unfolding of the French Revolution; the Thermidorean Reaction; and the rise of Napoleon and his influence in Europe.

HIE 709: Europe, 1815-1914.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 309.)
Political, economic, social, and intellectual ideas and developments from the Congress of Vienna to World War I.

HIE 710: History of European Diplomacy.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 310.)
Survey of European diplomacy, with special emphasis on nineteenth-and-twentieth-century developments.

HIE 714: Europe in the Twentieth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 314.)
World War I; the rise and fall of communism in Russia and Eastern Europe; fascism; World War II; postwar prosperity; European union; and the impact of immigration.

HIE 716: Nineteenth-century European Intellectual History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 316.)
The social and intellectual formation of liberalism, conservatism, nationalism, socialism, and anarchism, and their impact on political and social change in modern Europe.

HIE 717: The History of Ideas and Ideologies in Twentieth-Century Europe.
3 hours, 3 credits (Not open to students who have taken HIE 317).
The social movements and ideas that have shaped our modern consciousness, including communism, fascism, existentialism, feminism, revolution, and total war.

HIE 721: Tudor-Stuart England.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 321.)
The advent of the Tudor dynasty, Henry VIII, the divorce, and the church; Queen Elizabeth’s government and the church; Elizabethan society; poverty and vagrancy in the Tudor state; the divine right of kings and mass political attitudes in early Stuart England; the origins of the civil war; the execution of Charles I; Oliver Cromwell and the saints; restoration England; and the Glorious Revolution.

HIE 722: Britain in the Age of Industrialization and Empire.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 322.)
Modern Britain in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. The impact of the industrial revolution on British society; the American Revolution; democratization; depression, imperialism, and the new liberalism; and the Irish question in British politics.

HIE 723: Britain in the Twentieth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 323.)
World War I and its effects on politics and society; the economic crisis of 1931 and the National Government; depression; Churchill and the war effort; the Labour Party, nationalization, and the welfare state after 1945; decolonization; economy and society under Thatcher; the rise of New Labour.

*HIE 725: Italy from Napoleon through Mussolini.
3 hours, 3 credits.

HIE 730: History of Modern France.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 330.)

HIE 733: Modern Ireland.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 333.)
The political, economic, social, and cultural history of Ireland from the late eighteenth century to the present.
*HIE 735: History of Spain.
3 hours, 3 credits.

HIE 736: Early Russian History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 309 or HIE 336.) Origins of Russian history, Kievan, Muscovite, and early Imperial Russia to 1855.

HIE 737: Modern Russian History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 310 or HIE 337.) Russia from 1855 to the present, including the late Imperial and Soviet eras.

HIE 741: Germany from Bismarck through Hitler.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 341.) Study of Germany from Bismarck and the unification through Hitler, the Nazi regime, and the Second World War, with a brief survey of postwar development.

HIE 743: The Holocaust.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE [HCU] 343.) Study of the destruction of Jews of Europe during World War II. Political anti-Semitism in modern Europe; the rise of Hitler and Nazism. The interwar period in Europe and the spread of anti-Semitism. World War II, ghetto, deportation, and liquidation. Problems of rescue and resistance. Selected readings from the literature of the Holocaust.

HIE 750: Topics in European History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated as often as the topic changes.) Various sections in topics in European history. (For specific topics and sections each semester, consult the Department.)

Courses in Special and Comparative Historical Topics

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

HIS 701: History of Science from Descartes and Newton to Darwin and Einstein.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIE 301.) This course examines the nature and significance of scientific thinking in the work of Descartes, Leibnitz, and Newton; the conflicts between science and religion in the seventeenth century; materialism's penetration of biology from physics; the revolution in chemistry associated with Priestley and Lavoisier; the interface between science and the industrial revolution; the work of the French biologist Claude Bernard, illustrating the development of biology and experimental medicine; the startling work of Charles Darwin; and twentieth-century topics, such as field and atomic theory, relativity, and quantum theory and their important philosophical implications.

HIS 702: Science and Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS 302.) Social aspects of the growth of modern science from the seventeenth century to the present. Religion and science in Galileo's Italy, science and technology during the industrial revolution, scientific institutions during the French Enlightenment, Darwin and Social Darwinism, eugenics and racial hygiene, big science, and the human genome project.

3 hours, 3 credits.

HIS 727: World Revolutions.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS 327.) The nature, causes, and results of revolutionary change, including the French, the American, the Haitian, the Russian, and the Chinese revolutions, and the depiction of revolutionary change in art, theater, and literature.

HIS 734: The Irish Diaspora.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS 334.) A survey of the circumstances and consequences of Irish immigration from the eighteenth century to the present, including the patterns of settlement and assimilation of Irish immigrants in the West Indies, the United States, Canada, England, Scotland, Wales, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa.

*HIS 735: The Rise of Fascism.
3 hours, 3 credits.

HIS 742: Anti-Semitism from Early Christianity to Hitler.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS [HCU] 342.) The origin of conflict between Christianity and Judaism, and the fate of Jews in Medieval Europe. The gradual liberation and assimilation of the Jews of Western Europe, 1789-1870. The rise of modern racism and anti-Semitism in Europe, 1889-1939. Hitler, the Nazis, and the destruction of European Jewry during World War II. Anti-Semitism in the contemporary world. Social-psychological and cultural theories of anti-Semitism will be considered.

HIS 745: Science in the Twentieth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS 304.) A multidisciplinary survey of scientific and technological development in the twentieth century, emphasizing the ethical issues and social implications arising from them.

HIS 749: History of Slavic Cultures.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIS 309.) A survey of the circumstances and consequences of Jewish immigration from the eighteenth century to the present, including the patterns of settlement and assimilation of Jewish immigrants in the West Indies, the United States, Canada, England, Scotland, Wales, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa.

HIS 750: Topics in Comparative History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated as often as the topic changes.) Various sections in topics in comparative history. (For specific topics and sections each semester, consult the Department.)

*HIS 764: Topics in Medieval History.
3 hours, 3 credits.

HIS 780: Seminar in History.
3 hours, 3 credits. Research in selected topics and historical problems.

HIS 781: Advanced Tutorial Project in History.
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced individual reading and research paper on a specific topic in history, under faculty direction. PREREQ: Satisfactory completion of HIS 780.

HIS 795: Independent Reading.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated with permission of the chair.) Reading on special topics chosen in consultation with a member of the Department.

HIS 797: Master's Thesis Preparation.
6 credits. (Open only to students matriculated for the M.A. degree. Six credits may be offered toward the M.A. degree.)
Courses in History of the United States

HIU 534: U.S. History and Historiography. 3 hours, 3 credits. Important themes in U.S. history from the Colonial period to the present, with a focus on the content and critical thinking needed to teach this topic at the middle and high school level.

HIU 701: Colonial British America, 1586-1763. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 301.) The British colonies in North America from the lost English settlement at Roanoke to the treaty ending the French and Indian War. The collision of Europeans and Native Americans, conflicts between the European colonial powers, the establishment of slavery in North America, and political, social, and religious development.

HIU 704: The Era of the American Revolution, 1763-1789. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 304.) American development from the mid-eighteenth century through the framing of the Constitution, with emphasis upon the American Revolution, the interrelation of European and American affairs, and the growth of American institutions and ideals.

HIU 705: The Early Republic, 1789-1824. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 305.) The founding and development of a republican form of government: the evolution of political parties, the economic growth of the nation and its impact on politics, and the transition from a republic to a democracy engendered by economic growth and the search for political power.

HIU 708: Democracy, Sectionalism, and Slavery in the U.S., 1810-1825. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 308.) The age of the common man in politics, increasing sectional tensions, and the prominence of the slavery issue in American life. Abolitionism, workingmen's agitation, women's rights, westward expansion, states' rights, the defense of slavery, and the coming of the Civil War.

HIU 709: The Civil War and Reconstruction, 1861-1877. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 309.) Key events of the Civil War and its aftermath, including emancipation and the status and role of newly freed Black Americans.

HIU 710: The Gilded Age and the Progressive Era, 1877-1914. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 310.) Industrialization and the rise of the corporation, the importance of the transcontinental railroads, immigration, urbanization, black disfranchisement, Jim Crow and the emergence of the New South, populism, the integration of the Far West, Progressivism, and trust busting.

HIU 714: The United States, 1914-1945. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 314.) Domestic and foreign affairs, including the two World Wars, the Roaring Twenties, the Great Depression, and Franklin Roosevelt and the New Deal.

HIU 715: Recent United States History, 1945 to the Present. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 315.) Domestic and foreign affairs since the end of World War II. The Cold War and anti-Communism at home and abroad, and changes in American social, economic, and political values and institutions.

HIU 716: The American Constitution in Historical Perspective. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 316.) The American constitutional system from the American Revolution to the present. The evolution of legal structures, the growth of rights and remedies, the changing content of justice, organization of government, the balance of freedom and order.

HIU 717: History of American Foreign Relations, 1750-1912. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 317.) A history of American foreign relations from colonial times to the early twentieth century, with emphasis on the diplomacy of the American Revolution; foreign affairs and the Constitution; the War of 1812; the Monroe Doctrine; expansion, sectionalism, and the coming of the Civil War; and America's emergence as a world power.

HIU 718: History of American Foreign Relations, 1912-Present. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 318.) American foreign relations from the early twentieth century to the present. The U.S. role in World Wars I and II; the Cold War; and the growth of presidential power in foreign affairs.

HIU 719: The United States and the Vietnam War. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 319.) The reasons why the United States became involved in the Vietnam War, the methods employed, and the consequences of U.S. involvement.

HIU 720: Early American Cultural and Intellectual History. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 320.) The major ideas, institutions, and individuals in American cultural and intellectual life from the mid-seventeenth through the late-nineteenth centuries. Puritanism; the Enlightenment in America; republicanism and romanticism; and the professionalization of letters and learning.

HIU 729: History of Sexuality and Sex Roles in America. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 329.) The social history of sexual roles as they have developed and changed in America from colonial times to the present.

HIU 731: History of Women in America. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 331.) Historical study of women's conditions, statuses, and roles in American society from colonial times to the present.

HIU 732: History of Health Care in the United States. 3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 332.) Examination of health care in America from colonial times to the present. Topics include the development of the medical profession, the rise of the public health movement, the growth of hospitals, and popular attitudes toward health and disease.
HIU 733: American Urban History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 343.)
The formation, growth, and transformation of American cities from the wilderness village to the megalopolis. Emphasis on the changing political and economic roles of cities, patterns of social stratification, power, and mobility; and trends in recent urban social and cultural life.

HIU 735: Immigration in America.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 335.)
The motives and aspirations of immigrants, their contributions to the effects on American social structure, and the tensions between assimilation and ethnicity.

*HIU 736: American Religious History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 336.)
Religious belief and behaviors of Americans from the seventeenth century to the present. Encounters among European, African, and indigenous religions; Christianization, evangelicalism, and revivalism; church and state relations; and religiously based movements for social reform.

HIU 738: The Family in American History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 328.)
Historical study of the family in America, including its European roots and its relationship to the frontier, slavery, immigration, and current developments in industrialism, urbanization, and technology.

*HIU 740: The Industrial Revolution in America.
3 hours, 3 credits.

HIU 741: American Business History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 341.)
The rise of business enterprise in America from its earliest commercial origins to giant corporations and conglomerates. Themes include the rise of early commerce; emergence of consolidated industry; prominent businessmen and business techniques; analysis of business philosophy and entrepreneurial attitudes; reactions to corporate power by labor and government; evolution of business forms and structures; and the impact of business enterprise on the political, legal, and cultural development of America.

3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 342.)
The American worker from colonial times to the present, with emphasis on the period since the Civil War. Themes include the origins and character of the American labor movement; the impact of industrialization on the worker; slavery and wage labor; the growth and development of the major American labor unions; the impact of social reformers and radicals on the labor movements and the American worker; public employees and collective bargaining; and the changing attitudes of the American worker.

HIU 745: American Economic History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 345.)
Studies in American economic development from the agricultural and commercial economy of the colonies to contemporary U.S. preeminence as an industrial nation. Attention will be given to the economic institution and policy with regard to political and social developments.

HIU 746: History of the American Presidency.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 346.)
America’s presidents and how the presidency has developed from George Washington to the present.

HIU 747: The Mainland Borough: The Bronx as a City in History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 347.)
The urban history of the Bronx from the seventeenth century to the present. Major emphasis on 1874-1945, the period of the borough’s most rapid growth and experience with modern urban problems. Topics include ethnic in-migration and mobility; the effects of mass-transit development; Prohibition; and the ways various external events, such as wars and depression, have influenced the borough and its people.

HIU 748: History of New York — City and State.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIU 348.)
Examination of the interaction between the urban center and the State from their respective origins as New Amsterdam and New Netherland to the twentieth century. Special emphasis is placed on the socioeconomic reasons for the cosmopolitan nature of the metropolis and its uniqueness as a major urban entity.

HIU 750: Topics in American History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated as often as the topic changes.)
Various sections in topics in American history. (For specific topics and sections each semester, consult the Department.)

Courses in Asian, African, and Latin American History

HIW 533: World History and Historiography.
3 hours, 3 credits. Important themes in world history, with a focus on the content and critical thinking needed to teach this topic at the middle and high school level.

HIW 701: Ottoman History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 301.)
Political, socio-economic, and cultural history of the Ottoman Empire from its fourteenth-century beginnings to its demise at the end of World War I.

HIW 702: Modern Middle Eastern History.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 302.)
Societies and politics of the Middle East in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. The Islamic and Ottoman legacies, reforms and reforming elites, changing roles of religion, nationalist ideologies, Great Power intervention, regional politics, and the Arab-Israeli conflict.

HIW 703: Contemporary Islamic Movements.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 303.)
Contemporary movements of Islamic resurgence and activism in the Middle East, North Africa, Central and South Asia, and beyond.

HIW 705: The Arab-Israeli Conflict.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 305.)
The Arab-Israeli conflict from the late nineteenth century to the present: political, military, diplomatic, economic, cultural, and psychological dimensions.
HIW 716: East Asia in the Modern World.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 316.) 
The making of modern East Asia from the Manchu invasions of 
the seventeenth century to the present-day rise of China, Japan 
and Korea as military, economic, and cultural powers.

HIW 723: History of Africa to 1800.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 323.) 
Survey of African history from the earliest times to 1800. 
Beginning with the development of early human societies, the 
course will cover environmental, social, economic, political, and 
religious transformations before 1800.

HIW 725: History of Modern Japan.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The emergence of Japan as a world power, 
focusing on its relationship with the United States. Topics include 
samurai and warfare, Shinto, the fragility of democracy, World 
War II, the U.S. occupation of Japan, Japan’s role in Asia, and 
Japanese perspectives on globalization.

3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 
323.) Survey of African history from the earliest times to 1800. 
Beginning with the development of early human societies, the 
course will cover environmental, social, economic, political, and 
religious transformations before 1800.

HIW 727: History of Africa 1800 to the Present.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 
327.) Survey of African history from 1800 to the present. Beginning 
with large-scale internal transformations in the nineteenth 
century, the course will address social, economic, political, and 
religious transformations on the continent since 1800.

HIW 730: Nineteenth-Century Latin American History.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 330.) 
Examination of the broad changes and continuities in Latin 
America over the course of the “long nineteenth century,” from 
political independence in the 1820s to the rise of nationalist 
challenges to liberalism in the 1930s.

HIW 731: Modern Latin America.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 331.) 
Examination of the nations of Latin America from the beginning 
of the twentieth century to the present, with a focus on political 
reform and revolution, economic development, and social 
movements.

HIW 737: Latin America and the United States from 1823 to the 
present.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 337 
or LAC 337.) Relations between the United States and Latin 
American countries since their creation as independent republics.

HIW 738: Colonial Latin America.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 330 
or HIW 338.) Examination of the construction and development 
of colonial societies in Latin America from the encounters of the 
sixteenth century to the crisis of the Iberian empires in the late 
eighteenth century.

HIW 745: History of South America.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the pre-Columbian and colonial 
foundations of the nation-state and the construction of modern 
 nations in South America in the post-independence period. 
Special emphasis on the challenge of creating viable political 
systems in the context of geopolitical pressures and local 
complexities.

HIW 748: Europe and the Non-Western World in the 
Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (Not open to students who have taken HIW 348.) 
Imperialism and colonialism in Africa and Asia, the growth of 
nationalism, decolonization, revolution, independence, and 
globalization.

HIW 750: Topics in Non-Western History.  
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated as often as the topic changes.) 
Various sections in topics in non-Western history. (For specific 
topics and sections each semester, consult the Department.)
Journalism, Communication, and Theatre

Chair: Miguel Perez (Carman Hall, Room 259)

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The Department of Journalism, Communication, and Theatre offers a graduate program leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Theatre. Registration in all courses requires Departmental permission. Upon admission to the program, students must see the Graduate Coordinator, who will assign an area adviser to guide the student's course of study.

M.A. Program in Theatre

Admission Requirements*

- A bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to successfully pursue graduate study, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B+ in the field selected for the graduate major and a minimum grade average of B+ in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Students accepted for matriculation in the M.A. Program in Theatre must have completed the Lehman College undergraduate major in Theatre, or its equivalent at another institution, or have completed 27 credits of prerequisite coursework.
- Two letters of recommendation.

*Note: Students are not being accepted into this program in the period 2013-2015.

Degree Requirements

Each candidate must complete an approved program of study of at least 30 credits, which shall include SPE 700 (Introduction to Research Methods). Up to nine hours of related courses in other departments may be counted toward the 30 credits, with permission of the Graduate Coordinator.

In addition to the course requirements, the candidate must (1) present an acceptable thesis in the student's area of specialization and/or (2) complete and satisfactorily pass an oral and/or written comprehensive examination. The student's choice requires approval by a faculty committee in the area of specialization. A student who does not write a thesis may not take THE 799 (Thesis Seminar). Instead, the student must earn 3 credits in another course, to achieve a total of 33 credits.

Courses in Theatre

THE 670: Advanced Oral Interpretation.
3 hours, 3 credits. Oral interpretation of poetry, prose, and dramatic literature in the English language.

THE 671: Seminar in Oral Interpretation.
3 hours, 3 credits. Research in the theory and practice of oral interpretation. PREREQ: THE 670 or Graduate Adviser’s permission.

THE 676: Creative Dramatics and Theatre for Children.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and practice of producing plays for and with children, including the techniques of creative play and story improvisation.

3 hours, 3 credits. (Required of all students specializing in Theatre.) Examination of major historical and contemporary theories concerning the origins of theatre, its social and aesthetic functions, and its relationship to other art forms.

THE 725: Independent Study.
3 hours, 3 credits. Directed study under the supervision of a member of the faculty. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

THE 730: Theatre Criticism I.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Required of all students specializing in theatre.) Study of chief critical methods. Analysis of major critics from Aristotle to the present, and evaluation of the impact of these critics on theatre trends.

THE 731: Theatre Criticism II.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Required of all students specializing in theatre.) Continuation of Theatre Criticism I, with emphasis on contemporary critical trends.

THE 733: Tragedy in Theatre.
3 hours, 3 credits. Problems in staging for contemporary audiences; Greek, Elizabethan, and neoclassic tragedy.

THE 734: Comedy in Theatre.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of major comedic devices employed in the theatre with relation to historical-contemporary comic genres.

3 hours, 3 credits. (May be elected for credit as often as the topic changes.) Intensive study of a particular period, playwright, or style of drama.

THE 761: Nonverbal Theatre.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and practice of traditional and contemporary theatre forms that emphasize pantomime, dance, ritual, music, and song.

THE 763: Styles of Acting.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and technique of historical and presentational acting styles. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

THE 765: Directing.
3 hours, 3 credits. Major theories of directing, and problems of relationship between director and actor.
THE 796: Special Problems.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be reelected for credit up to maximum of 6 credits.) Directed study under supervision of a member of the faculty. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser's permission.

3 credits. Individual research supervision.

Courses in Mass Communication

COM 502: Speech in the Language Arts Program in the Elementary and Junior High Schools.
3 hours, 3 credits. The employment of choral speaking, dramatics, radio and TV, group discussion, and other forms of oral communication.

COM 600: Philosophical Foundations of Speech Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of the philosophical foundations of speech education and of the background of scientific and artistic thought in various areas of speech and its impact on present-day speech education.

3 hours, 3 credits. Teaching and learning problems in contemporary high school speech communication curricula. PRE- or COREQ: Student teaching or teaching experience.

COM 744: Mass Communications and Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. Mass media of communication. Analysis of the effects of broadcasting on the individual and society. The philosophy of aesthetics and the psychology of mass communication.

COM 760: Form and Style in Communication.
3 hours, 3 credits. Consideration of form and style in communication.

COM 746: British Public Address.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of British public address, with emphasis on the orators of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries.

COM 763: American Public Address.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of representative American oratory, from colonial times to the present.

COM 765: Seminar in Public and Group Communication.
3 hours, 3 credits. Special topics and issues in public and group communication.

COM 766: Persuasion Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Survey of descriptive and experimental research in persuasion.

COM 767: Communication Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Major concepts, theories, and models of the communication process.

COM 768: Small Group Communication.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theories, models, and research findings in communication in small-group interaction.

COM 769: Communication Acquisition.
3 hours, 3 credits. Speech and language learning in the child; major theories and research findings on communication acquisition by the child.

COM 770: Seminar in Communication Theory and Research.
3 hours, 3 credits. Special topics and issues in contemporary research and theory construction in communication.

COM 771: History and Development of Rhetorical Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Contributions made to rhetorical theory by classical and medieval rhetoricians.

COM 772: Contemporary Rhetorical Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Contributions made to rhetorical theory by British and American rhetoricians.

COM 775: Speech Criticism.
3 hours, 3 credits. The bases of rhetorical criticism; application to selected speeches.

COM 790: Radio and Television in Society.
3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of the effects of broadcasting on the individual and society. The nature of the media and their relationship with government and other social institutions.
Languages and Literatures

Department Chair: Thomas Ihde (Carman Hall, Room 257)
Deputy Chair: María del Carmen Saen de Casas (Carman Hall, Room 276)
Director: María Cristina Guíñazú

The Department of Languages and Literatures offers a Master of Arts in Spanish.

M.A. Program in Spanish

Admission Requirements

- A bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study. (Above-average academic achievement in general and in Spanish course work is required.)
- Have completed 18 credits in advanced (300-level and above) undergraduate Spanish courses (including a minimum of 9 advanced credits in literature courses conducted in Spanish). If these requirements are not met, additional undergraduate courses must be completed before admission to the program and after consultation with the Department of Languages and Literatures.
- If conditionally admitted, make up not more than 12 credits of specified undergraduate course work, starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Report to the department for consultation with the adviser and assessment of Spanish language skills prior to matriculation.

Nonmatriculants

Nonmatriculants are also required to report to the Department of Languages and Literatures for assessment of skills prior to registration.

Degree Requirements

The M.A. in Spanish requires a total of 30 credits distributed as follows: 24 credits in Spanish, including SPA 601, with a minimum of 3 credits in Peninsular literature and 3 credits in Spanish American literatures. Six (6) elective credits with the permission of the adviser.

All students in the program must pass a comprehensive examination.

Courses in Spanish

SPA 601: Workshop in Spanish Grammar.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Open to qualified undergraduates with Departmental permission.) Grammatical analysis and selected readings dealing with the evolution of the Spanish language. Emphasis on syntax and lexical experience.

SPA 610: Hispanic Women Authors.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Open to qualified undergraduate students with Departmental permission.) Works of women writers from Spain and/or Spanish America.

SPA 701: Principles of Literary Analysis and Criticism.
3 hours, 3 credits. Critical approaches to the reading and understanding of literary texts.

SPA 711: Spanish Literature of the Middle Ages.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of a medieval genre, a subgenre, or a literary topic. The selection may include epic and romance, ballads, “mester de clerecia and mester de juglaria,” short fiction, courtly love, etc.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the poetic traditions of the Renaissance and the Baroque.

3 hours, 3 credits. Narrative prose of the Renaissance and the Baroque.

SPA 723: Spanish Drama of the Golden Age.
3 hours, 3 credits. The “Comedia”: its antecedents and its major playwrights.

SPA 724: Cervantes.
3 hours, 3 credits. Don Quixote and the birth of the modern European novel, with attention to the many literary genres, narrative and lyric, that converge in the work.

SPA 731: Spanish Literature of the Nineteenth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. Romanticism and Realism in Spain.

3 hours, 3 credits. Selected works of representative authors from the turn of the century to the Spanish Civil War.

SPA 742: Spanish Literature after the Civil War.
3 hours, 3 credits. Selected works written in Spain and in exile after 1939.

SPA 743: Spanish Poetry of the Twentieth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course will offer students extensive understanding of the poetry of twentieth-century Spain. Surrealism, the Generation of 27, the Generation of 36, the new poetry of the 70s, and the diverse currents of the end of the century will be presented in relation to political, social, and economic trends.

SPA 751: Colonial Spanish-American Literature.
3 hours, 3 credits. Prose and poetry from the discovery of America through 1800.
SPA 752: Spanish-American Literature of the Nineteenth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. The study of topics, such as the wars of independence, national identity, slavery, and democracy, as manifested in literary texts.

SPA 753: ‘Modernismo’ in Spanish America.
3 hours, 3 credits. The concept of modernity and Modernism in literary works.

SPA 754: Twentieth-Century Spanish-American Narrative.
3 hours, 3 credits. Tradition, innovation, and experimentation in the prose narrative of this century.

3 hours, 3 credits. Analysis of selected texts.

SPA 761: Topics in Hispanic Literatures.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Course may be repeated for credit.) Offerings vary from semester to semester.

SPA 771: Readings in Hispanic Literatures.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. Independent study of Peninsular and/or Spanish-American literary works, carried out by individual students under the guidance of Departmental faculty.

Courses in Romance Languages

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*RLG 701: Introduction to Romance Linguistics I (in English).
3 hours, 3 credits. Comparative study of the evolution of French, Italian, and Spanish. Study of principles underlying the development of the Romance languages and present methods of analysis.

*RLG 702: Introduction to Romance Linguistics II (in English).
3 hours, 3 credits. Continuation of *RLG 701. Phonology and morphology of Old French, Old Italian, and Old Spanish, with their development through Vulgar Latin.

*RLG 705: Studies in Comparative Romance Literature I (in English).
3 hours, 3 credits. The sources, nature, impact, and interdependence of the major literary currents in the various Romance literatures from the medieval period to the Renaissance.

*RLG 706: Studies in Comparative Romance Literature II (In English).
3 hours, 3 credits. The sources, nature, impact, and interdependence of the major literary currents in the various Romance literatures from the Enlightenment to the modern era.

*RLG 741: Old French.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study — descriptive and historical — of the grammar of Old French. Reading of selected poetry and prose texts.

Courses in Italian

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*ITA 712: Dante’s Vita Nuova and Inferno.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of Dante’s lyrical and mystical period; the Inferno as seen against the historico-political, social, and intellectual background of medieval Florence.

*ITA 713: The Purgatorio.
3 hours, 3 credits. Intensive study of the Purgatorio background, symbols, poetical significance, and place in the development of Dante’s art.

*ITA 714: The Paradiso.
3 hours, 3 credits. Dante’s final ascent to the “Source of All Being”; theology and beauty; the contents, episodes, and lyrical and mystical consummation of the comedy’s Third Cantica.

*ITA 715: The Poetry and Humanism of Petrarch.
3 hours, 3 credits. “Canzoniere,” “Trionfi,” the “Secretum,” “De Viris Illustribus,” and the “Correspondence.”

*ITA 716: Boccaccio and the Italian Novella.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the genre and its development (novellino, Boccaccio, Sacchetti, Da Porto, Bandello, and Giraldi Cinhio through the contemporaries Soldati, Calvino, Moravia, Buzzati, and others).

*ITA 720: Italian Literature of the Fifteenth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. The development of humanism: Valla, Alberti, Pico della Mirandola, Ficino, and others. Also the poets Lorenzo il Magnifico and Poliziano.

*ITA 721: The Renaissance.
3 hours, 3 credits. The Reformation. The moralists Bembo, Castiglione (Cortegiano), Guicciardini (Ricordi Politici e Civili), and Della Casa (Galateo). The chivalric poem (Ariosto’s Orlando Furioso); Aretino.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the Istorie Fiorentine, the Correspondence, Mandragola, Il Principe, and the Discorsi.

*ITA 723: Italian Literature of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the works of Bruno, Campanella, Marino, Galileo, Vico, and Parini.

*ITA 724: The Italian Epic and Chivalric Poetry.

*ITA 741: The Commedia dell’Arte and the Theatre in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries.
3 hours, 3 credits. Metastasio, Gozzi, Goldoni, and Alfieri.

*ITA 752: The Novel in the Nineteenth Century.
3 hours, 3 credits. The “Romanzo storico, psicologico, nazionalista e verista.” Manzoni, the Romantics, and Verga.

*ITA 753: Romantic and Post-Romantic Literary Currents.
3 hours, 3 credits. Poetic trends and literary criticism through the works of Foscolo, Manzoni, Leopardi, and Carducci.
*ITA 754: Modern Italian Poetry.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Critical analysis of the poetry of Pascoli and D'Annunzio. Experimentation and achievement of the twentieth century (Saba, Ungaretti, Montale, and Quasimodo).

*ITA 761: Italian Philosophy and Literary Criticism since 1870.  
3 hours, 3 credits. De Sanctis, Settembrini, Croce, Gentile, Serra, Barbi, Momigliano, L. Russo, and Flora.

*ITA 762: The Italian Novel from 1920 to the Present.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The “Vociani,” “Futuristi,” and “Rondisti” (Palazzeschi, Baccelli, and Buzzati). The “Solariani” and the “Neo-Realisti” (Gadda, Pratolini, Vittorini, and Pavese).

*ITA 763: The Modern Italian Theatre.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The outstanding playwrights of the twentieth century from D'Annunzio and Pirandello to Niccodemi, Betti, and Fabbri.

Courses in Classics

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*CLA 611: Synthesis of Classical Culture.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Rapid survey of the culture of Greece and Rome, designed to enable students to effect a correlation of classical literature and art with their historical background. The course includes visits to The Metropolitan Museum of Art. Each student is required to make a special study of one important literary genre in its development through Greek and Latin literature.

*CLA 630: Greek and Roman Tragedy in English Translation.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of Greek tragedy against the background of its times, with some consideration of the validity of Aristotelian critical standards and of the Roman tragedy of Seneca the Younger as an important link between Greek tragedy and the drama of the Renaissance.

*CLA 640: Greek and Roman Comedy in English Translation.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the form and contemporary relevance of ancient comedy as seen through the plays of Aristophanes, Menander, Plautus, and Terence, with primary attention to its evolution and importance for later manifestations of the comic spirit in literature.
Latin American and Puerto Rican Studies

Department Chair: Licia Fiol-Matta (Carman Hall, Room 284)
Department Faculty: Distinguished Professor: Laird Bergad; Professor: Forrest Colburn; Associate Professors: David A. Badillo, Licia Fiol-Matta, Milagros Ricourt; Assistant Professors: Alyshia Gálvez, Teresita Levy; Distinguished Lecturer: Andrés Torres, Lecturer: Xavier Totti

The Department of Latin American and Puerto Rican Studies offers courses designed to meet the needs of: (1) qualified students who wish to take individual courses, (2) students who seek graduate credit in the field of Latin American and Puerto Rican Studies, and (3) those who are teachers in bilingual programs (Spanish-English) and wish to study the history and culture of Latin America and Puerto Rico.

Liberal Studies (Interdisciplinary)

The M.A. in Liberal Studies Program is an interdisciplinary 36-credit degree program that allows students to design and pursue an individual course of study among several different departments at Lehman College. Students take a 12-credit core of Liberal Studies courses and 18 credits of graduate electives from various departments. The final requirement is to write a master’s thesis under the supervision of a faculty member.

Admission Requirements

- A bachelor’s degree with at least a 3.0 grade point average or its foreign equivalent from an accredited college or university. In exceptional cases student with a cumulative undergraduate grade-point average below 3.0 may apply by special petition.
- Submission of an autobiographical letter.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Submission of a tentative course list related to the area intended to be pursued as a concentration.

Degree Requirements

Curriculum (36 credits)/ Core courses (12 credits):
MLS 701: Introduction to Liberal Studies
MLS 702: The Arts and Humanities
MLS 703: The Social Sciences
MLS 704: The Natural Sciences

Electives to be chosen by students and adviser (18 credits):
Students may select any graduate courses in the Liberal Arts offered by Lehman College (consult the list of departments below), or enroll in an independent study (MLS 795) with a supervisor approved by the Program adviser.

Thesis:
MLS 797: Master’s Thesis Preparation (6 credits). The program’s major requirements consist of a master’s thesis. A written thesis proposal must be approved by the Faculty Advisory Committee, assuming prior approval by the student’s first and second readers, by the time the student has completed 20 credits and is about to begin serious research or study related to the master’s thesis.

Comprehensive Examination. Upon completion of all course work and submission of the thesis, all students must successfully pass a one-hour comprehensive examination. The examination is the same as the student’s thesis committee. The chair of this committee and primary reader/adviser of the thesis is a faculty member in the field addressed by the thesis; two other members of the committee and second readers of the thesis will usually be program faculty advisers, but not necessarily in all cases.

Transfer credits. With appropriate permission, matriculated graduate students may apply to transfer up to 12 credits of graduate courses that have been earned within the last five years. A maximum of six credits can be transferred from courses applied toward a previously awarded master’s degree.

Credit for Life Experience. With appropriate permission, matriculated graduate students who have not earned any other life-experience credits within the last five years may earn up to 6 credits (to be treated as transfer credits) for Prior Learning Assessment. PLA is based on the student’s ability to demonstrate learning that has taken place through volunteer activities or employment services. This knowledge must fall within one or more of the academic disciplines of the college. PLA rewards students for the time and advancement they have achieved in alternative learning settings. PLA must be in an appropriate field and is approved by the Program director. Students interested in PLA may register for a non-credit Portfolio Development workshop offered by the Office of Continuing Education.

Curriculum. The liberal studies program offers students the opportunity to design a course of study reflecting specific interest in a particular area of concentration. Students may take graduate courses as part of an individualized course of study, designed by the students themselves in consultation with a faculty committee, and suited to their own interests and professional needs. In some

Courses in Puerto Rican Studies

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*PRS 500: Seminar on the Cultural History of Puerto Rico I. 3 hours, 3 credits. The cultural history of Puerto Rico, with special emphasis on the period 1800-1898.
*PRS 501: Seminar on the Cultural History of Puerto Rico II. 3 hours, 3 credits. The cultural history of Puerto Rico, with special emphasis on the period from 1898 to the present.
*PRS (ANT) 550: A Comparative Study of Puerto Rican Culture. 3 hours, 3 credits. Ethnographic analysis of modern communities in Puerto Rico and the effects of urbanization, industrialization, and tourism. Comparative analysis of Puerto Rican culture in New York, and evaluation of the educational process within each of the two cultures.
area of concentration, students should be prepared to meet basic foreign language requirements where appropriate.

Students may choose any graduate course offered by the following departments:

- Anthropology
- Art
- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry
- English
- Earth, Environmental, and Geospatial Sciences
- History
- Journalism, Communication, and Theatre
- Languages and Literatures
- Latin American and Puerto Rican Studies
- Mathematics and Computer Science
- Music
- Physics and Astronomy
- Political Science
- Psychology

Advisement. Upon admission, each student is assigned a faculty adviser with special knowledge of the student’s anticipated area of concentration. In consultation with his or her faculty adviser, a student develops a coherent course of study that must provide a balanced, interdisciplinary selection of courses in the spirit of the Liberal Studies Program. When a student is ready to choose a particular area of special research interest, he or she is assigned to an appropriate adviser with a particular interest in or special knowledge of the subject in question. Students who lack sufficient prerequisites for the particular area of study in which they choose to concentrate (e.g., the foreign languages required for focused historical or geopolitical study) are advised to add appropriate undergraduate courses to their graduate course-load.

Time Limit. Degree candidates must complete all requirements for the degree within a period of five years following matriculation.
Mathematics and Computer Science

Chair: Robert Schneider (Gillet Hall, Room 211).
Department Faculty and Staff: Distinguished Professors: Adam Koranyi and Victor Pan; Distinguished Lecturer: Anthony Cocchi; Professors: Robert Feiner, Melvin Fitting, Nancy Griffeth, Michael Handel, Nicholas Hanges, Leon Karp, Linda Keen, Nikola Lakic, Joseph Lewittes, Melvyn B. Nathanson, Robert Schneider, Christina Sormani, Katherine St. John, Zoltan Szabo; Associate Professors: Jason Behrstock, Gwang Jung; Assistant Professors: Brian Murphy, Robert Schneiderman; Lecturers: Joseph Fera; Sameh Fakhour; Rhys Rosholt; Math and Computer Science Learning Center Coordinator: Loric Madramootoo; IT Academic Technology Coordinator: Marvin Florin

The Department of Mathematics and Computer Science offers the following graduate degree programs: Master of Science in Computer Science, Master of Arts in Mathematics, and Master of Arts for Secondary School Teachers of Mathematics. The Department also offers courses in the program in Mathematics Education for Intermediate School Teachers, which is administered by the Department of Middle and High School Education.

M.S. Program in Computer Science

The Computer Science program is offered for (a) recent graduates who wish to continue their studies while beginning their professional careers; (b) individuals presently employed in computer-related fields who wish to qualify for advanced career opportunities or training; and (c) individuals who seek a career change.

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to successfully pursue graduate study by having attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in the field selected for the graduate major and a minimum grade average of B– in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Have taken the following courses: two semesters of calculus, one semester of linear algebra, two semesters of programming in high-level languages, one semester of programming in assembly language, and one semester in data structures. Admission may be granted with the provision that undergraduate courses will be taken to satisfy these course requirements.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year.

Degree Requirements

Students must complete the following requirements for the M.S. Program in Computer Science:

- A program of 36 credits (nine courses), chosen with permission of the Graduate Adviser. The following courses are required of all students: CMP 761, 692, and 697. The remaining six courses must be chosen from among all CMP courses numbered 683 and above.
- A master’s thesis or a written comprehensive examination. The thesis option is subject to approval of the Graduate Adviser.

M.A. Program in Mathematics

The Master of Arts Program in Mathematics is offered for (a) students who may eventually work toward a doctorate in mathematics; (b) those who seek the M.A. as a terminal degree; (c) graduates of the M.A. Program for Secondary School Teachers of Mathematics seeking additional graduate mathematics credits and who wish the structure of a formal degree program and the credential of a pure mathematics master’s degree; (d) qualified students who wish to take individual graduate mathematics courses.

Admission Requirements

- Have a bachelor’s degree or its equivalent from an accredited college or university.
- Demonstrate the potential to successfully pursue graduate study by having attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in mathematics courses and a B– in the undergraduate record as a whole. Alternatively, graduation from the Lehman Teachers Master’s in Mathematics program or an equivalent master’s degree with a B cumulative average may replace undergraduate grade requirements.
- Have completed at least calculus through vector calculus, at least 3 credits in linear algebra, at least 3 credits in modern algebra and at least 3 credits in advanced calculus/analysis. (Students with fewer than 12 credits in mathematics beyond calculus or lacking specific courses may be considered for conditional admission; however, any student admitted must be sufficiently advanced to take at least one course in the program the first semester of matriculation.)
- Submit two letters of recommendation and a personal statement explaining your career plans.
- If conditionally admitted, satisfy the conditions within one year. This can include taking undergraduate courses to satisfy the admission criteria.

Degree Requirements

The requirements for the M.A. Degree in Mathematics are as follows:

- A program of 30 credits of courses, chosen with the permission of the Graduate Adviser. Students should include in their combined current graduate and prior academic career the following courses: (a) MAT 751: Theory of Functions of a Real Variable, (b) MAT 753: Theory of Functions of a Complex Variable I, (c) MAT 613: Algebra.
- At least 18 of the credits must be taken as a matriculated student at Lehman. Students considering going on to a mathematics doctorate are encouraged to take some of their
M.A. Program in Mathematics and Instruction

The Department of Mathematics and Computer Science offers courses designed to meet the needs of students who are interested in increasing their skills in mathematics and teaching. This program is a master's program leading to New York State professional certification, developed for those holding New York State initial teacher certification in mathematics, grades 7-12.

Admission Requirements

An applicant must:

• hold a bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
• have initial New York State Teacher Certification in Mathematics Education, Grades 7 – 12.
• demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study. (Above-average academic achievement in general and in the teaching specialization is required).
• have completed a 3-4 credit course in vector calculus, a 3-4 credit course in linear algebra and a 3-4 credit course in discrete mathematics. The required math prerequisites should have an average of B- or above.
• have completed or be in the process of completing one year of supervised teaching and two or more years of teaching in content area.
• provide two letters of recommendation.

Degree Requirements

21-24 credits in MAT 600 courses and above including MAT 601 (Secondary School Mathematics from an Advanced Standpoint) and at least one course in each mathematical area: Analysis, Algebra, & Geometry

9 credits from School of Education with a GPA of B or better:

• ESC 740: Teaching Math, Grades 7-10
• ESC 748: Teaching Problem Solving in Mathematics in Middle and High School
• ESC 749: Teaching Math in Grades 11 and 12

Comprehensive exams based on four mathematics courses (3-4 credits each).

Courses in Mathematics Education

MAT 601: Secondary School Mathematics from an Advanced Standpoint.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course will cover topics chosen from the theory of arithmetic, logic, probability, and geometry that are of particular interest to teachers of secondary school mathematics. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

MAT 602: Introduction to Number Theory and Modern Algebra I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Topics from number theory that have special relevance to the intermediate school program will be considered. These include prime numbers, unique factorization, congruences, Diophantine equations, and Fermat's theorem. Abstract algebra, including equivalence relations and some group theory, will be interwoven in the development, but the primary emphasis is on the number systems that could be considered in the intermediate schools. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

MAT 603: Introduction to Number Theory and Modern Algebra II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Further study of the topics in MAT 602. Also, rational numbers, rings, integral domains, fields, ordered fields. PREREQ: MAT 602.

MAT 604: Application of the Real and Complex Number Systems.
3 hours, 3 credits. A study of irrational numbers, the algebraic properties of the complex numbers and polynomials over the integers, rationals, and reals through a concrete, nonabstract approach. Applications in the theory of equations and inequalities. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

Courses in Mathematics

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

MAT 582: Statistics for Students in Biological, Health, and Social Sciences.
4 hours, 4 credits. (Open to all graduate students except those in the education or M.A. programs in graduate mathematics.) Topics in statistics, with emphasis on needs of students in fields other than mathematics. The topics will include methods of central tendency and variability, probability theory, sampling, normal distribution, and large sample theory, t-test and small sample theory, chisquare test, correlation and regression, analysis of variance, and nonparametric methods. Statistical analysis using a computer package.

MAT 613: Theory of Numbers.
4 hours, 4 credits. Euclid’s algorithm and the fundamental theorems on divisibility; prime numbers and congruences; the theorems of Fermat, Euler, and Wilson; quadratic residues and reciprocity law, algebraic numbers, Pythagorian triples, other diophantine equations, Fermat’s Last Theorem, Pell’s equation and continued fractions, the distribution of prime numbers, and advanced topics. PREREQ: Three semesters of calculus or a course in Modern Algebra.
MAT 615: Modern Algebra.
4 hours, 4 credits. Mathematical induction. Introduction to group theory with examples-permutation groups, general linear group. Homomorphisms, subgroups, and congruences. Introduction to theory of rings and fields. Applications to number systems and number theory. PREREQ: A course in Linear Algebra.

MAT 616: Algebra.
4 hours, 4 credits. Group theory, including finitely generated Abelian groups, Sylow's theorem(s), simple groups, solvable groups. Ring theory, including integral domains, Euclidean rings. Field theory, including finite field extensions, Galois theory. PREREQ: One course in modern algebra.

MAT 630: Advanced Euclidean Geometry.
4 hours, 4 credits. Elementary Geometry from an advanced standpoint. Euclidean Geometry topics through the modern era. Solid Euclidean geometry, conics, and a modern perspective. PREREQ: A course in linear algebra.

MAT 631: Views of Geometry.
3 hours, 3 credits. Euclidean and solid geometry from multiple viewpoints including the classical system of postulates and axioms as well as a more modern transformation perspective applying advanced techniques from analytic geometry, linear algebra and coordinate geometry. NOTE: Not allowed for credit towards the M.A. in Mathematics. PREREQ: Three semesters of Calculus and a course in Linear Algebra.

MAT 634: Transformation Geometry.
4 hours, 4 credits. Geometry as the study of properties deduced from a set of axioms. Brief introduction to non-Euclidean geometries, synthetic projective geometry. Geometry as the study of invariants of a transformation group: analytic projective geometry and its sub-geometries. Methods from complex analysis, including linear fractional transformations and the Riemann sphere. PREREQ: Elements of linear algebra.

MAT 636: Non-Euclidean Geometries.
4 hours, 4 credits. Hyperbolic and elliptic geometry, with some trigonometry and calculus; circular models of the hyperbolic and elliptic planes; surfaces of constant curvature; and historical background of attempts to prove Euclid's parallel postulate. Spherical Geometry and Great Circles. PREREQ: A course in linear algebra.

MAT 637: Topics in Discrete Mathematics.
60 hours, 4 credits. Topics chosen from probability, combinatorics, decision making, game theory, graph theory, recurrence relations, linear programming, statistical inference. Problem solving using mathematical modeling. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

MAT 640: Topology and Analysis I.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May not be taken for credit by noneducation students.) Basic topics in continuity, compactness, and connectedness. Applications to simply stated but not trivial topological problems related to the geometry of mappings of segments, curves, circles, and disks. PREREQ: One semester of advanced calculus or instructor's permission.

MAT 641: Topology and Analysis II.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May not be taken for credit by noneducation students.) Continuation of the study of continuity, compactness, and connectedness with applications to n-dimensional Euclidean space. PREREQ: MAT 640 (Topology and Analysis I).

3 hours, 15, lecture; 30, lab), 2 credits. Use of tools of technology (such as Computer Algebra systems and graphing calculators) to explore ideas, concepts, and techniques in various areas of mathematics, such as calculus and probability. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

MAT 661: History of Mathematics.
4 hours, 4 credits. Historical development of mathematics through the calculus. The mathematics of Babylonian, Egyptian, Hindu, Greek, Arabic, Inca, and Chinese civilizations; some modern developments; contributions of diverse cultures; applications to secondary school teaching. PREREQ: A course in linear algebra.

MAT 670: Foundations of Mathematics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Sets, logic, nature of mathematical proof, and number systems. PREREQ: Three semesters of calculus or a course in modern algebra.

MAT 681: Probability.
4 hours, 4 credits. Probability models, combinatorial problems, random variables, expectation and variance, binomial, normal and Poisson variables, law of large numbers, central-limit theorem, Markov chains, and selected additional topics. PREREQ: Two semesters of calculus.

MAT 711: Topics in Algebra.
4 hours, 4 credits. Topics chosen from semigroups with operators, homomorphisms, ring and field extensions, modules and ideals, right and left vector spaces over division rings, linear transformations, and rings of linear transformations, Galois theory, matrix groups, nilpotent groups, centers, exponential maps, Lie algebras. PREREQ: One course each in linear and modern algebra.

*MAT 715: Advanced Linear Algebra.
4 hours, 4 credits. Vector spaces, linear transformations, bilinear quadratic forms, tensors, forms and wedge products, finite and infinite dimensional linear algebra, eigenvalues, eigenvectors, introduction to Hilbert Spaces and eigenfunctions, all studied from an abstract, proof-oriented approach. PREREQ: One course in linear algebra.

*MAT 719: Special Topics in Algebra.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit as often as the topic changes.)

MAT 733: Differential Geometry.
4 hours, 4 credits. Curves in E3, curvature, torsion, fundamental existence theorem for space curves, geometry of a surface, inverse and implicit function theorems, Gauss curvature, and Minimal Surfaces. PREREQ: One course each in advanced calculus and linear algebra.
MAT 734: Calculus on Manifolds.
4 hours, 4 credits. Inverse and Implicit Function Theorems,
Manifolds, Differential Forms, Fubini's Theorem, Partition of
Unity, Integration on Chains, Stokes' and Green's Theorems, and
an introduction to Riemannian geometry. PREREQ: One course
each in linear algebra and advanced calculus.

*MAT 739: Special Topics in Geometry.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit as often as the topic
changes.)

*MAT 741: Topology.
4 hours, 4 credits. Sets, functions, metric spaces, topological
spaces, neighborhoods, continuity, homeomorphisms,
connectedness, compactness, homotopy, fundamental group,
universal covers, Invariance of Domain Theorem. PREREQ: One
course each in modern algebra and advanced calculus.

*MAT 742: General Topology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Topological spaces, continuous functions,
separation, properties, induced topological structures,
compactness, and metrization. PREREQ: *MAT 741 (Topology)
or equivalent.

*MAT 743: Algebraic Topology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Homology theory, complexes, and homotopy.
Fixed-point theorems. PREREQ: *MAT 741 (Topology) or
equivalent, plus one course in modern algebra.

MAT 751: Theory of Functions of a Real Variable.
4 hours, 4 credits. Real number system, metric and Banach spaces;
applications; the Lebesgue integral; measurable sets and functions;
Lp spaces and Hilbert spaces; measure spaces and Daniell integral;
Riemann-Stieltjes integral; Radon-Nikodym theorem; and Stone-
Weierstrass theorem. PREREQ: A one-semester course in
advanced calculus.

MAT 753: Theory of Functions of a Complex Variable I.
4 hours, 4 credits. Algebra and geometry of complex numbers,
analytic functions, Taylor and Laurent Series, Abel's Limit
Theorem, meromorphic functions, residue calculus, Cauchy
integral theorem and applications, classification of functions by
singularities, analytic continuation, linear transformations, the
cross ratio, conformal mapping, the Riemann Sphere. PREREQ: One
semester of advanced calculus.

*MAT 754: Theory of Functions of a Complex Variable II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Selected topics in the theory of functions of a
complex variable. PREREQ: One first course in complex variables.

MAT 755: Ordinary Differential Equations.
4 hours, 4 credits. First Order, Second Order, and Higher Order
Linear Equations, Series Solutions, the Laplace Transform,
Systems of First Order Linear Equations, Numerical Methods,
Nonlinear Differential Equations and Stability, Existence and
Uniqueness Theorems. PREREQ: One course each in linear
algebra and advanced calculus.

MAT 756: Partial Differential Equations.
4 hours, 4 credits. First order equations and characteristics,
Laplace's Equation, Green's functions, Heat Equation and
Fundamental Solutions, Wave Equation and Domains of
Dependence and Influence, Wave Propogation, Elliptic,
Hyperbolic, and Parabolic Equations, Maximum Principal,
Existence and Uniqueness. PREREQ: One course each in linear
algebra and advanced calculus.

MAT 759: Special Topics in Analysis.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit as often as the topic
changes.)

*MAT 771: Mathematical Logic I.
4 hours, 4 credits. Development of the propositional calculus and
the predicate calculus, with special emphasis on their
mathematical aspects and applications. Semantics, axiom systems,
and tableau systems will be presented, and Godel's completeness
theorem will be proven. Further topics will be selected from
computer implementation, model theory, and
incompleteness/undecidability. PREREQ: One course in either
modern algebra or set theory.

*MAT 772: Mathematical Logic II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced topics in computability, first order
theories, higher-order logics, semantics, model theory, set theory,
analytic methods in proof theory, Gentzen systems, and cut
elimination. PREREQ: Any two courses
chosen from linear algebra, modern algebra, or advanced calculus.

MAT 782: Mathematical Statistics.
4 hours, 4 credits. Fundamental concepts of statistics. Point
estimation, maximum likelihood estimators, hypothesis testing,
confidence regions, t-test, analysis of variance, non-parametric
tests, chi-square goodness-of-fit tests, correlation, regression
analysis, and selected additional topics. PREREQ: A course in probability.

*MAT 785: Introduction to Applied Mathematics.
3 hours, 3 credits. Sets of orthogonal functions; Bessel's inequality,
Parseval's theorem; Fourier series, convergence criteria; the
Fourier integral; Laplace's equation, Bessel functions, Legendre
functions, spherical harmonics; and calculus of variations.
PREREQ: One course in advanced calculus.

MAT 786: Computer Applications to Mathematics and Science
I.
4 hours, including lab, 3 credits. Rapid introduction to high-level
language, such as Fortran or PL/1. Use of scientific packages
discussed. Projects on the College computer of a moderately
advanced nature in scientific and mathematical fields will be
tailored for the students. Some efficient techniques for these
projects taught. PREREQ: Three courses in calculus or instructor's
permission.
MAT 787: Computer Applications to Mathematics and Science II.
4 hours, including lab, 3 credits. Study of areas where time and storage limitations are imposed on the programmer. Uses of trees and heaps in sorting, and data organization discussed. Off-line and on-line algorithms compared and investigated as to time versus space considerations. Optimization of mathematical calculations and methods, such as graph theory, fast arithmetic, and matrix manipulation presented. Students of the class shall determine more specific topics on the College computer. PREREQ: *MAT 786 or instructor's permission.

MAT 789: Special Topics in Applied Mathematics.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit as often as the topic changes.)

Courses in Computer Science

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3-4 hours, 3-4 credits. Introduction to programming in BASIC on a microcomputer. Standard methods of computer-assisted instruction: drills, tests, tutorials, and demonstrations. Management topics, such as scorekeeping and record-keeping. Examples will be taken from a cross-section of disciplines. PREREQ: This course is intended for teachers with little or no programming background. No particular math background is required. Note: Students taking this course for 4 credits will be required to do an extra major project.

3-4 hours, 3-4 credits. Introduction to programming in LOGO on a microcomputer. LOGO graphics techniques. Standard methods of computer-assisted instruction: drills, tests, tutorials, and demonstrations. Discovery approach to geometry. PREREQ: This course is intended for teachers with little or no programming background. No particular math background is required. Note: Students taking this course for 4 credits will be required to do an extra major project.

*CMP 609: Programming in Pascal.
4 hours, 4 credits. An intensive introductory course in structured programming using the language Pascal on microcomputers. This course is intended for people wishing to teach Pascal at the high school level.

CMP 683: Numerical Analysis.
4 hours, 4 credits. Topics in numerical analysis chosen from number systems, error analysis, linear equations and matrices, differentiation and integration, nonlinear equations, interpolation and approximation, and ordinary and partial differential equations. PREREQ: linear algebra and one year of programming.

CMP 685: Computability Theory.
4 hours, 4 credits. Mathematical formulation of computability theory and abstract machine theory. Finite-state machines and Turing machines; Church's Thesis; recursive functions and recursively enumerable sets; unsolvability and the halting problem.

CMP 692: Programming Languages.
4 hours, 4 credits. A study of programming languages from abstract and concrete points of view. Syntax, semantics; data objects and typing; control structures; scope of names; storage classes; binding times; parameter passing, value, reference, name, value-replace; and procedures, side-effects, recursion, serial reusability, reentrancy. PREREQ: Assembly Language Programming.

CMP 695: Survey of Computer Hardware.
4 hours, 4 credits. A survey of currently available computer equipment, together with some historical context. CPU's, microcomputers, minicomputers, large computers, super computers. Computer architecture, hierarchical storage, virtual storage and relocation, caches. Peripheral devices, storage systems, I/O channels. Communication hardware.

CMP 697: Operating Systems.
4 hours, 4 credits. A study of the functions and implementation of operating systems for various sizes and types of computers. Processor, storage, and device management. Paging algorithms, thrashing. File systems, concurrency, deadlocking, semaphores, and synchronization. PREREQ: Assembly Language Programming.

CMP 717: Video Game Programming.
4 hours, 4 credits. General game architecture, asynchronous input, animated sprites, action-oriented AI, collision detection, scrolling, sound clips, 3D graphics. Student projects involving development of several video games, both individually and in teams. PREREQ: CMP 338 and a strong foundation in object-oriented programming techniques. PREREQ COREQ: MAT 226 or its equivalent. NOTE: Students should expect to devote a great deal of time working both individually and in teams to produce several video games written in Java. This is a "Programming Intensive" course.

CMP 731: Systems Analysis and Design.
4 hours, 4 credits. Examination of the stages of a computer system life cycle with a structured approach: problem definition, feasibility study, analysis, design, implementation, and maintenance. Techniques employed include data flow diagrams, data dictionaries, system flowcharts, cost/benefit analysis, decision tables, Warnier/Orr diagrams, HIPO charts, PERT, and the critical path method.

CMP 736: Introduction to Enterprise Computing.
4 hours, 4 credits. Technical issues and principles for building distributed enterprise systems. Applications of these principles using the Java EE framework: server-side distributed component models, such as Enterprise Java Beans and Web Services. PREREQ: CMP 338 and proficiency in Java.

CMP 737: Software Engineering.
4 hours, 4 credits. Structured coding techniques and coding style will be considered: single entry-single exit constructs, modularity (coupling, cohesion), data encapsulation, data abstraction, generic facilities, and type checking. Verification, validation, and testing techniques will be studied: static analysis, unit testing, input-output assertions, weakest precondition, structured induction, and symbolic execution.
CMP 738: Communicating Robots.
4 hours, 4 credits. Techniques and principles for building communicating robots; programming on resource-limited systems, designing communications protocols, and testing distributed algorithms. Project to involve building a robot to work/compete with other robots. PREREQ: CMP 338 or its equivalent.

CMP 743: Principles of Communications Networks.
4 hours, 4 credits. Digital and analog communication, system architectures, and connection-oriented and connectionless service. The OSI model as a conceptual framework, and actual communication models and their protocols. Selected contemporary topics, such as communications security and the World Wide Web. PREREQ: A course in operating systems.

CMP 747: Linear Programming and Operations Research.

CMP 758: Database Systems.
4 hours, 4 credits. Introduction to use and design of database systems. Topics include levels of extraction and views of data; data models, entity relationship, hierarchical, network, and relational data organization; data dependencies, normal forms; design algorithms; distributed databases; query languages.

CMP 761: Analysis of Algorithms.
4 hours, 4 credits. Techniques for the design and comparison of algorithms. Several models of computation will be considered. Topics chosen from: searching and sorting algorithms, algorithms on graphs, products involving polynomials and matrices, arithmetic complexity, fast Fourier transform, and NP-complete problems. PREREQ: A course in linear algebra and a course in data structures.

CMP 762: Automata Theory.
4 hours, 4 credits. Finite automata and related devices, the Chomsky hierarchy of formal grammars, equivalence of generative grammar characterizations of languages with recognition by restricted classes of machines, normal forms, computational complexity, intractable problems.

CMP 765: Artificial Intelligence.
4 hours, 4 credits. Topics in artificial intelligence from the areas of problem solving, pattern recognition, speech recognition, and natural language processing. Representations and search methods in artificial intelligence. Computer implementation. PREREQ: A course in data structures.

4 hours, 4 credits. Theory and applications of computer graphics. Graphics devices, line and circle drawing algorithms, two-dimensional transformations, clipping and windowing, interactive devices such as light pens and graphics tablets, three-dimensional graphics. PREREQ: A course in linear algebra and one year of programming in a high-level language.

CMP 768: Simulation and Modeling.
4 hours, 4 credits. An introduction to continuous and discrete simulation. System modeling, probabilistic methods, simulation languages. Simulation examples from science, industry, and computer systems. PREREQ: One course in data structures.

CMP 770: Compiler Construction.

CMP 773: Image Processing.

CMP 774: E-commerce Technologies.
4 hours, 4 credits. Advanced Java enabling technologies for developing distributed E-commerce applications. Topics to include: Introduction to J2EE, Remote Method Invocations (RMI), Java Server Page (JSP), Servlet, Java Database Connectivity (JDBC). Java API’s and tools for XML and XSLT, Design Patterns and Architectural issues, and Case Studies. Discussion of Web services, including Simple Object Access Protocol (SOAP), Web Service Definition Language (WSDL), and Universal Description Discovery and Integration (UDDI), as well as building Web services based on the advanced Java technologies. PREREQ: Object-Oriented Programming.

CMP 775: Combinatorial and Graph Algorithms.
4 hours, 4 credits. A study of some elementary and advanced combinatorial and graph algorithms, including dynamic programming, greedy methods, spanning and transversing graphs, shortest paths, maximum flow, matching and convex hulls. PREREQ: Course in data structures.

4 hours, 4 credits. Survey of parallel computer architecture and models of parallel computation. Design of parallel algorithms. Examples of specific parallel algorithms for searching and sorting and for numerical, algebraic, and combinatorial computations. PREREQ: A course in data structures.

CMP 788: Topics in Computer Science.
4 hours, 4 credits. (May be re-elected for credit as the topic changes.) Advanced, in-depth studies of specialized topics of current interests in computer science. PREREQ: Dependent on topic (see instructor).
Independent Study Courses in Computer Science

**CMP 793: Independent Study.**
1 hour, 1 credit (may be repeated up to a maximum of 3 credits). Program of individual study of various topics in computer science, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Graduate Advisor’s permission.

**CMP 798: Independent Study in Computer Science.**
4 hours, 4 credits. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Program of individual study of various topics in Computer Science, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s written permission.

**CMP 799: Master’s Thesis Research.**
4 hours, 4 credits. Preparation for the M.S. thesis under the guidance of a faculty thesis adviser. PREREQ: Permission of a faculty thesis adviser and the Graduate Adviser.

Seminar and Independent Study Courses in Mathematics

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**MAT 792: Seminar.**
3 hours, 3 credits. (To be taken in the final semester of the M.A. program.) Designed to give candidates for the M.A. an introduction to the methods and literature of mathematical research.

**MAT 793: Independent Study.**
1 credit. (May be reelected for credit with the Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

**MAT 794: Independent Study.**
1 credit. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Adviser’s written permission.

**MAT 795: Independent Study.**
2 credits. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Adviser’s written permission.

**MAT 796: Independent Study.**
2 credits. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Adviser’s written permission.

**MAT 797: Independent Study.**
3 credits. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.

**MAT 798: Independent Study.**
3 credits. (May be reelected for credit with Graduate Adviser’s permission.) Planned program of individual study of various topics in mathematics, under the guidance and supervision of a member of the Department. PREREQ: Graduate Adviser’s permission.
Middle and High School Education

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For advisement about teacher certification in these and other areas, check with the School Certification Officer (Carman Hall, Room B33).

The Department of Middle and High School Education offers the following programs described below:

- M.S.Ed. in Business and Technology Education (Students are not currently being accepted into this program.)
- M.S.Ed. in English Education
- Advanced Certificate: English Education (21-24 credits)
- M.S.Ed. in Mathematics Education (5-9 or 7-12)
- Advanced Certificate: Mathematics Education (21-24 credits)
- M.S.Ed. in Science Education
- Advanced Certificate: Science Teacher (21-24 credits)
- M.A. for Secondary School Teachers of Social Studies
- Advanced Certificate: Social Studies Education (21-24 credits)
- M.S.Ed. in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
- Advanced Certificate: TESOL
- M.A. Teaching Spanish
- Advanced Certificate: Teaching Languages Other than English (LOTE) (15-18 credits)
- Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension (Birth-Grade 12)

The Department of Middle and High School Education offers graduate programs in English Education, Foreign Language Education, Mathematics Education, Science Education, Social Studies Education, Teaching English to Speakers of other Languages (TESOL), and Bilingual Education.

Students interested in obtaining a master's degree in other secondary-school certification areas should also consult information contained within this Bulletin under the relevant department(s) and meet with an adviser in the Department of Middle and High School Education.

In addition, individual programs may require the fulfillment of undergraduate-level prerequisites. These prerequisites cannot be used to fulfill degree requirements in graduate programs and must be taken in addition to degree requirements. See individual program advisers for information and guidance.

As of Fall 2011, students matriculated into all graduate certification programs shall be required to take ESC 506 or the equivalent in addition to all other degree and certification requirements, as per the New York State Education Department.

Middle and High School Education programs engage students in work that relates to their experiences as classroom teachers and expands their horizons to new opportunities in their schools and districts. The programs provide both theory and hands-on techniques for instruction and classroom management. An experiential, problem-solving approach to instruction combines time-honored methods with the latest technologies for building broad, transferable personal and occupational skills. Programs provide a background in theories of learning, the social and philosophical foundations of education, curriculum design, methods of teaching, and research techniques critical for all teachers.

M.S.Ed. Program in Business and Technology Education*

*Students are not currently being accepted into this program.

This program leads to a master’s degree in Business and Technology Education. It can also provide initial certification in teaching business and marketing subjects. Upon completion of additional requirements, candidates will be eligible to receive New York State professional certification to teach business and marketing subjects. The M.S.Ed. program in Business and Technology Education is designed for two groups of students:

- Sequence 1 (33-36 credits). Holders of bachelor’s degrees who majored in an area of business and are seeking initial certification as teachers of business and marketing.
- Sequence 2 (30 credits). Holders of bachelor’s degrees who majored in an area of business and are seeking a master’s degree but not certification. Students in this sequence may wish to teach in adult learning settings, such as private business schools, community colleges, and training institutes.

Business and Technology Education Admission Requirements

- A bachelor's degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university with a major in business and marketing or its equivalent and an overall index of 2.7 or better.
- Business and technology coursework to include at least one course from 6 of the following areas: Accounting, Business Law, Career Development, Communications, Computation, Economics and Personal Finance, Entrepreneurship, Information Systems, International Business, Interrelationships of Business Functions, Marketing, and Management; with an overall index of 3.0 or better in business and technology courses.
- Submit scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).
- Two letters of recommendation, at least one from a college or university instructor of business, technology, and marketing.
- Personal interview.
Business and Technology Education Degree Requirements

All courses must be selected in consultation with, and with the approval, of an adviser in business and technology education. All students will complete the 30-credit program listed below. Sequence 1 students will complete the basic program plus student teaching or its equivalent: ESC 595 (3) or ESC 596 (6).

Business and Technology Education

Program Overview

The basic, 30-credit curriculum, in three instructional modules, is as follows:

Core Education Sequence (15 credits): ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 520 (3), ESC 529 (3), ESC 536 (3)

Research or Curriculum Development (15 credits): Students follow either the research sequence (A) or the curriculum sequence (B).

- Research Sequence A (15 credits): Advanced Pedagogical Sequence (choose 9 from the following): ESC 722 (3), ESC 782 (3), ESC 788 (3), ESC 790 (3). Plus each of the following (6 credits): ESC 705 (1), ESC 706 (2), ESC 707 (3).
- Curriculum Sequence B (total 15 credits): Advanced Pedagogical Content (12 credits): ESC 772 (3), ESC 782 (3), ESC 788 (3), ESC 790 (3). Plus the following (3 credits): ESC 789 (3).

Internship or Student Teaching (for students in Sequence 1 and working toward teacher certification) (3-6 credits): ESC 595 (3) or ESC 596 (6).

M.S.Ed. Program in English Education

This program is designed for students seeking a master's degree in English Education, grades 7-12. Upon successful completion of additional certification requirements, including specified teacher examinations, candidates will also be eligible to receive both Initial and Professional Certification to teach English in New York State in Grades 7-12.

English Education Admission Requirements

- Possess a bachelor's degree in English or its equivalent from an accredited college or university.
- Have earned a minimum cumulative index of 3.0 in the undergraduate record.
- Submit scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST)
- If conditionally admitted, make up undergraduate coursework starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
- Submit a 500-word essay outlining career goals.
- Submit two to three letters of recommendation.
- Participate in an individual interview.
- For Sequence 2 only, possess Transitional B certificate in Teaching English grades 7-12.

English Education Degree Requirements

All students will complete one of the following sequences: Sequence 1 (36-45 credits) or Sequence 2 (33 credits). All courses must be selected in consultation with, and with the approval of, an adviser in English Education. Application for this degree include the following:

Sequence 1 (36-45 credits)

- Candidates with an undergraduate degree in English or the equivalent who lack education courses and who seek initial certification in English Education grades 7-12.
- Core Education (18-21 credits): ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 529 (3), ESC 506 or the equivalent (3), ESC 522 (3), and for interns, ESC 595 (2) and ESC 611 (1) or, for student teachers, ESC 596 (3) and ESC 612 (3).
- Teaching of English (6-9 credits): Selected from: ESC 720 (3), ESC 721 (3), ESC 722 (3), ESC 723 (3), ESC 724 (3), ESC 730 (3), or ESC 772 (3).
- English Electives (9-12 credits): Consult with an adviser in the English Education program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement.
- Master’s Project (6 credits): ESC 708 (3), ESC 788 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Sequence 2 (36 credits)

- Teachers who hold a valid Transitional B certificate in English Education grades 7-12 from New York State.
- Core Education (15 credits): ESC 501 (3), ESC 529 (3), ESC 506 or the equivalent (3), ESC 522 (3), ESC 595 (2), and ESC 611 (1).
- Teaching of English (9 credits): Selected from: ESC 720 (3), ESC 721 (3), ESC 722 (3), ESC 723 (3), ESC 724 (3), ESC 730 (3), or ESC 772 (3).
- English Electives (9 credits): Consult with an adviser in the English Education program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement.
- Master’s Project (3 credits): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

English Education Admission Requirements

1. Possess a bachelor's degree in English or its equivalent from an accredited college or university.
2. Have earned a minimum cumulative index of 3.0 in the undergraduate record.
3. Submit scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST)
4. If conditionally admitted, make up undergraduate coursework starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
5. Submit a 500-word essay outlining career goals.
6. Submit two to three letters of recommendation.
7. Participate in an individual interview.
8. For Sequence 2 only, possess Transitional B certificate in Teaching English grades 7-12.
English Education Degree Requirements

All students will complete one of the following sequences: 36-45 credits (Sequence 1) or 33 credits (Sequence 2). All courses must be selected in consultation with, and with the approval of, an adviser in English Education. Application for this degree include the following:

**Sequence 1 (36-45 credits):** Candidates with an undergraduate degree in English or the equivalent who lack education courses and who seek initial certification in English Education grades 7-12.

1. **Core Education (18-21 credits):** ESC 501 (3), 502 (3), 529 (3), ESC 506 or the equivalent (3), 522 (3), 595 (3) or 596 (6).
2. **Teaching of English (6-9 credits):** Selected from: ESC 720 (3), 721 (3), 722 (3), 723 (3), 724 (3), 730 (3), or 772 (3).
3. **English Electives (9-12 credits):** Consult with an adviser in the English Education program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement.
4. **Master’s Project (6 credits):** ESC 708 (3), ESC 788 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

**Sequence 2 (36 credits):** Teachers who hold a valid Transitional B certificate in English Education grades 7-12 from New York State.

1. **Core Education (15 credits):** ESC 501 (3), 529 (3), ESC 506 or the equivalent (3), 522 (3), and 595 (3).
2. **Teaching of English (9 credits):** Selected from: ESC 720 (3), 721 (3), 722 (3), 723 (3), 724 (3), 730 (3), or 772 (3).
3. **English Electives (9 credits):** Consult with an adviser in the English Education program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement.
4. **Master’s Project (3 credits):** ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Advanced Certificate Program in English Education (24-27 Credits)

This program is designed for candidates who already have a master’s degree in English or a related field and who seek New York State certification.

Students must consult with an adviser in the English Education program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with an English Education adviser. All students must complete the 21-24 credit curriculum below. In order to be recommended for NYS certification at the completion of the Certificate Program, candidates must pass the LAST, the CST in English, and the Written Assessment of Teaching Skills (ATS-W), and meet all additional New York State foreign language, arts, and science requirements.

English Education Advanced Certificate Program Admission Requirements

- Possess an approved bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university that meets the State requirements for a general education core in liberal arts and sciences.
- Possess a master’s degree in English or a related field.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having a master’s Grade Point Average of 3.0 or better.
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on career goals.
- Participate in an interview.
- Meet additional Departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.
- If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

The 24-27 credit certificate curriculum consists of three instructional areas:

**I. Foundations of Education (12 credits)**
ESC 501: Psychological Foundations of Education (3 credits)
ESC 502: Social Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective (3 credits)
ESC 529: Language, Literacy, and Technology in Education (3 credits)
ESC 506: or the equivalent (3 credits)

**II. Methods, Curriculum, and Instruction (9 credits)**
ESC 522: Teaching English in Middle and High School (3 credits) and 6 additional credits to be selected in consultation with the program coordinator from the courses below:
ESC 720: Reading and Reading Materials in the Middle and High School
ESC 721: Literature for Middle and High School Students
ESC 724: Methods of Teaching Writing in the Middle and High School

**III. Practicum (3-6 credits)**
ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching (2 credits) and ESC 611 (1) OR
ESC 596: Student Teaching in Middle and High School Grades (3 credits) and ESC 612 (3).

M.S.Ed. Program in Mathematics Education, Middle Childhood Education (5-9) or Adolescent Education (7-12).

The graduate program for middle and high school mathematics teachers leads to a Master of Science in Education degree. Registered with the State Education Department, this program leads to both initial and professional certification to teach mathematics in grades 5-9 or 7-12, provided all other requirements have been satisfied.

To be eligible for the Master’s in Mathematics Education for Grades 5-9, candidates must fall into one of the following categories:
Sequence 1 (36-42 credits). For liberal arts and sciences graduates who have completed 18 credits in mathematics, including Calculus I and Calculus II, but who lack professional education coursework.

Sequence 2 (35-38 credits). For teachers who hold a Transitional B certificate in Mathematics from New York State through special CUNY and NYCDOE programs.

Mathematics Education, Middle Childhood Education (5-9) or Adolescent Education (7-12)

Admission Requirements
1. A bachelor's degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university with an overall index of 2.7 or better.
2. For Sequence 3: Mathematics course work to include Statistics; Calculus I; Calculus II; Linear Algebra; and History of Mathematics; with an overall index of 2.7 or better in all mathematics courses taken.
3. For Sequence 4: Mathematics major
4. For Sequence 5: Mathematics major and NYS Transitional B Certificate
5. Submit scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST) and the New York State Content Specialty Test (CST) in Mathematics.
6. State Content Specialty Test (CST) in Mathematics.
7. If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
8. Two letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from a college or university instructor of mathematics.
9. A 500-word essay on career goals.
10. A personal interview.

Middle Childhood Education Degree Requirements (5-9)
Students must consult with a Mathematics Education adviser before starting their master’s program and must plan their overall program with the adviser during their semester of attendance. Students must complete one of the two sequences outlined below.

Sequence 1. (1) 33 credits of prescribed course work; (2) 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork; (3) A comprehensive examination OR research project (3); and (4) Maintain B average.
Sequence 2. (1) 33 credits of prescribed course work; (2) 2 credits of supervised fieldwork; (3) A comprehensive examination OR research project (3); and (4) Maintain B average.

Middle Childhood Education Overview of the Program (5-9)
Sequence 1 students must successfully complete the following:
• 15-18 credits of Core Education courses, including 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork and 3 credits of special education coursework.
• 9 credits in pedagogical content in mathematics education.
• 12 credits in mathematics.
• A comprehensive written examination or research project after all course work has been completed. Students who elect to conduct a research project must enroll in 3 additional credits of research-related course work.

Sequence 2 (Transitional B-Sequences for Grades 5-9) students must successfully complete the following:
• 14 credits of Core Education Courses, including 2 credits of supervised fieldwork and 3 credits of special education coursework.
• 9 credits in pedagogical content in mathematics education.
• 12 credits in mathematics.
• A comprehensive written examination or research project after all course work has been completed. Students who elect to conduct a research project must enroll in 3 additional credits of research-related course work.

Curriculum Sequence 1 (Grades 5-9) 36-42 Credits

Core Education Courses: (15-18 credits)
ESC 501: Educational Psychology (3)
ESC 502: Historical and Social Foundations of Education (3)
ESC 506: Special Needs Education in Secondary Settings (3)
ESC 532: Teaching Mathematics in Middle and High School (3)
ESC 595: Internship in Mathematics (3) OR ESC 596: Student Teaching in Mathematics (6)

Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (9 credits)
ESC 740: Teaching Mathematics in Grades 7-10 (3)
ESC 742: Research in Mathematics Education (3)
ESC 748: Teaching Problem Solving in Mathematics in Grades 7-12 (3)

Mathematics (12 credits)
MAT 601: Secondary Mathematics from an Advanced Standpoint (3)
MAT 602: Introduction to Number Theory & Modern Algebra (3)
MAT 655: Exploring Mathematics Using Technology (2)
MAT 661: History of Mathematics (4)

Culminating Experience (0-3 credits)
ESC 706: Research in Problems of Teaching a Specialized Subject (1)
ESC 707: Project Seminar (2) OR Comprehensive Examination (0 credit)

Sequence 2 (Transitional B Sequence for Grades 5-9) 35-38 credits

I. Core Education Courses: (14 credits)
ESC 501: Educational Psychology (3)
ESC 502: Historical and Social Foundations of Education (3)
ESC 506: Special Needs Education in Secondary Settings (3)
ESC 532: Teaching Mathematics in Middle and High School (3)
ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching (2)

II. Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (9 credits)
ESC 740: Teaching Mathematics in Grades 7-10 (3)
ESC 742: Research in Mathematics Education (3)
ESC 748: Teaching Problem Solving in Mathematics in Middle & High School (3)

III. Mathematics (12 credits)
MAT 601: Secondary Mathematics from an Advanced Standpoint (3)
MAT 602: Introduction to Number Theory & Modern Algebra (3)
MAT 655: Exploring Mathematics Using Technology (2)
MAT 661: History of Mathematics (4)

IV. Culminating Experience (0-3 credits)
ESC 706: Research in Problems of Teaching a Specialized Subject (1)
ESC 707: Project Seminar (2) OR Comprehensive Examination (0 credit)

Middle Childhood Education Continuation Requirements
Students must maintain a 3.0 Grade Point Average throughout the course of study.

To be eligible for the Master’s in Mathematics Education for Grades 7-12, candidates must fall into one of the following categories:

Sequence 3 (42-48 credits). For liberal arts and sciences graduates who do not hold a bachelor’s degree in mathematics but who have completed 15 credits in mathematics, including Statistics, Calculus I, Calculus II, Linear Algebra, and History of Mathematics, but who lack professional education coursework.

Sequence 4 (36-42 credits). For candidates who hold a bachelor degree in mathematics only, but who lack professional education coursework.

Sequence 5 (35-38 credits). For teachers who hold a bachelor’s degree in mathematics and a Transitional B Certificate in Mathematics from New York State through special CUNY and NYCDOE programs.

Middle Childhood Education Admission Requirements
1. A bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university with an overall index of 2.7 or better.
2. Mathematics course work of at least 18 credits that include Calculus I and II, with an overall index of 2.7 or better in all mathematics courses taken.
3. For Sequence 2, must hold a valid Transitional B Certificate from NYSED.
4. Submission of scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST) and the New York State Content Specialty Test (CST) in Mathematics.
5. If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
6. Two letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from a college or university instructor of mathematics.
7. A 500 word essay on career goals.
8. A personal interview.

Adolescent Education Degree Requirements (Grades 7-12)
Students must consult with a Mathematics Education adviser before starting their master’s program and must plan their overall program with the adviser during their first semester of attendance. Students must complete one of the three sequences outlined below:

Sequence 3. (1) 39 credits of prescribed course work including 3 credits of special education coursework; (2) 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork; (3) A comprehensive examination OR research project (3); and (4) Maintain B average.

Sequence 4. (1) 33 credits of prescribed course work including 3 credits of special education coursework; (2) 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork; (3) A comprehensive examination OR research project (3); and (4) Maintain B average.

Sequence 5. (1) 33 credits of prescribed course work including 3 credits of special education coursework; (2) 2 credits of supervised fieldwork; (3) A comprehensive examination OR research project (3); and (4) Maintain B average.

Adolescent Education Program Overview
Sequence 3 (Grades 7-12)
Students must successfully complete the following:
• 15-18 credits of Core Education Courses, including 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork and 3 credits of special education coursework.
• 12 credits in pedagogical content in mathematics education.
• 15 credits in mathematics. Students who lack History of Mathematics as a prerequisite must register for MAT 661.
• A comprehensive written examination or research project after all course work has been completed. Students who elect to conduct a research project must enroll in three additional credits of research-related course work.

Note: Students who lack full-time experience as a mathematics teacher in grades 7-12 prior to completion of the program must...
register for 6 credits of supervised student teaching in lieu of the 3 credits of supervised fieldwork.

Sequence 4 (Math majors who do NOT hold a NYS Transitional B Certificate, 7-12)

Students must successfully complete the following:
- 15-18 credits of Core Education Courses, including 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork and 3 credits of special education coursework;
- 12 credits in pedagogical content in mathematics education.
- 9 credits in mathematics electives to be chosen in consultation with a program adviser.
- A comprehensive written examination or research project is required after all course work has been completed. Students who elect to conduct a research project must enroll in three additional credits of research-related course work.

Note: Students who lack full-time experience as a mathematics teacher in grades 7-12 prior to completion of the program must register for 6 credits of supervised student teaching in lieu of the 3 credits of supervised fieldwork.

Sequence 5 (Math Majors who hold a NYS Transitional B Certificate, 7-12)

Students must successfully complete the following:
- 15-18 credits of Core Education Courses, including 3-6 credits of supervised fieldwork and 3 credits of special education coursework;
- 12 credits in pedagogical content in mathematics education.
- 9 credits in mathematics electives to be chosen in consultation with a program adviser.
- A comprehensive written examination or research project after all course work has been completed. Students who elect to conduct a research project must enroll in three additional credits of research-related course work.

Adolescent Education Curriculum

Sequence 3 (Grades 7-12) 42-48 credits
- Core Education Courses (15-18 credits): ESC 501 (3); ESC 502 (3); ESC 506 (3), ESC 532 (3); AND ESC 595 (3) OR ESC 596 (6);
- Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (12 credits): ESC 740 (3); ESC 742 (3); ESC 748 (3); ESC 749 (3);
- Mathematics (15 credits): MAT 601 (3); MAT 604 (3); MAT 637 (4); MAT 655 (2); MAT 615 (3).
- Culminating Experience (0-3 credits): Research project or comprehensive examination. Students who elect to write a Master's thesis must concurrently enroll in ESC 706 (1) and ESC 707 (2).

Sequence 4 (Grades 7-12) 36-42 credits
- Core Education Courses: (15-18 credits): ESC 501 (3); ESC 502 (3); ESC 506 (3), ESC 532 (3); AND ESC 595 (3) OR ESC 596 (6);
- Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (12 credits): ESC 740 (3); ESC 742 (3); ESC 748 (3); ESC 749 (3);
- Mathematics (9 credits): Three graduate electives in mathematics chosen in consultation with a program adviser;
- Culminating Experience (0-3 credits). Research project or comprehensive examination. Students who elect to write a Master's thesis must concurrently enroll in ESC 706 (1) and ESC 707 (2).

Sequence 5 (Math Majors who are eligible for a NYS Transitional B Certificate, 7-12) 35-38 credits
- Core Education Courses: (14 credits): ESC 501 (3); ESC 502 (3); ESC 506 (3), ESC 532 (3); ESC 595 (2);
- Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (12 credits): ESC 740 (3); ESC 742 (3); ESC 748 (3); ESC 749 (3);
- Mathematics (9 credits): Three graduate electives in mathematics chosen in consultation with a program adviser;
- Culminating Experience (0-3 credits): Research project or comprehensive examination. Students who elect to write a Master's thesis must concurrently enroll in ESC 706 (1) and ESC 707 (2).

Sequence 6 (Non Math Majors who are eligible for a NYS Transitional B Certificate-Grades 7-12) 38-41 credits
- Core Education Courses (11 credits): ESC 501 (3); ESC 502 (3); ESC 532 (3); AND ESC 595 (2);
- Pedagogical Content in Mathematics Education (12 credits): ESC 740 (3); ESC 742 (3); ESC 748 (3); ESC 749 (3);
- Mathematics (15 credits): MAT 601 (3); MAT 604 (3); MAT 637 (4); MAT 655 (2); MAT 615 (3).
- Culminating Experience (0-3 credits): Research project or comprehensive examination. Students who elect to write a Master's thesis must concurrently enroll in ESC 706 (1) and ESC 707 (2).

Extension to the New York State Initial Certificate to Teach Mathematics in Grades 5-9 (Middle Childhood Education)

Extension Program in Mathematics Education (17 credits)

This program is designed for candidates who hold New York State initial certification to teach Mathematics in grades 5-9 (Middle Childhood Education) and wish to extend their certification to include grades 7-12 (Adolescent Education).

Admission Requirements
- Possess New York State initial certification to teach mathematics in grades 5-9.
- Have at least two semesters of successful experience teaching mathematics in grades 7, 8, or 9; or one semester of supervised student teaching in mathematics in grades 7, 8, or 9 (with a grade of B or better).
- Present coursework in Calculus I, Calculus II, Linear Algebra, Statistics, and History of Mathematics with a GPA of 3.0 or better.
- Submit scores on the NYS Content Specialty (CST) Test in Mathematics.

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Submit two (2) letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from a college or university instructor of mathematics.

Submit a 500-word essay on career goals.

Participate in an interview.

Meet additional departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.

If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Continuation Requirements

Students must maintain a 3.0 grade point average throughout the course of study.

Certificate Requirements

The Extension Program in Mathematics Education consists of 17 credits, as outlined below. A minimum of a B average must be maintained throughout the course of the Program. All students are to consult with an adviser in Mathematics Education before starting the Program.

Overview of the Program

Curriculum

1. Curriculum and Instruction (6 credits): ESC 748 (3) and ESC 749 (3).
2. Mathematics Content (11 credits): MAT 604 (3), MAT 615 (4), and MAT 637 (4).

Advanced Certificate: Middle Childhood Extension, Grades 5-6

This program is designed for teachers who hold New York State certification in one of the academic content areas grades 7-12 and who seek an extension to teach that subject in grades 5-6.

Admission Requirements

New York State initial or professional certification in one of the following academic content areas, Grades 7-12: Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, English, Foreign Language, Mathematics, Physics, or Social Studies. Candidates holding provisional or permanent certification must submit passing scores on the Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST), the Assessment of Teaching Skills-Written (ATS-W), and the Content Specialty Test (CST) in their subject area.

Certificate Requirement

Candidates must consult with an adviser in their subject area before beginning their studies.

Curriculum

The 6-credit curriculum consists of two instructional areas:
1. Introduction to Middle Childhood Education: ESC 711 (3); Perspectives on Middle School Education.
2. Curriculum and Instruction: ESC 509 (3); Instructional Practices Across the Middle School Curriculum.

Advanced Certificate in Mathematics Education (24-27 Credits)

This program is designed for candidates who hold a bachelor’s degree in mathematics and a master’s degree in mathematics or in an approved mathematics-related field, and who seek New York State Certification in mathematics, grades 7-12.

Advanced Certificate in Mathematics Education Admission Requirements

Candidates wishing to enter the Mathematics Education Certificate Program must meet the following conditions as determined by the program coordinator:

- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university which meets New York State requirements for a general education core in the liberal arts and sciences. This degree shall include a mathematics major, with a minimum of 36 credits in mathematics.
- Possess a master’s degree in mathematics or an approved mathematics-related field.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having a master’s grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or better.
- Satisfy the content requirements for New York State initial certification.
- Submit scores on the NYS LAST Teacher Examination and the NYS Content Specialty Test in Mathematics (CST).
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from a college or university instructor of mathematics.
- Submit a 500-word essay on career goals.
- Participate in a personal interview.
- Meet additional departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.
- If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Advanced Certificate in Mathematics Education Requirements

The Certificate Program in Mathematics Education consists of 24-27 credits, as outlined below. Students must maintain a minimum B average throughout the course of the Program. All students are to consult with an adviser in Mathematics Education before starting the Program. In order to be recommended for NYS certification at the completion of the Program, candidates must have passed the LAST, the CST in Mathematics, and the NYS Written Assessment of Teaching Skills (ATS-W); they must also meet any additional requirements set by New York State.
Advanced Certificate in Mathematics Education Curriculum

I. Foundations of Education (9)
ESC 501 (3); ESC 502 (3) ESC 506 (3).

II. Curriculum and Instruction (12)
ESC 532 (3); ESC 740 (3) plus 6 additional credits in mathematics education to be selected in consultation with the program coordinator.

III. Practicum (3-6)
ESC 595 (2) and ESC 611 (1) OR ESC 596 (3) and ESC 612 (3)

M.S.Ed. Program in Science Education

This program leads to a master’s degree in Science Education. Upon completion of additional requirements, candidates will be eligible to receive New York State Initial Certification to teach one or more of the following sciences at the level of adolescent education (Grades 7-12): biology, chemistry, earth science, general science, and physics.

To be eligible for the Science Education Master’s Program, potential students must fall into one of the following categories:

Sequence 1: For candidates who have, or are eligible for, Initial Certification in subjects other than science and who seek certification as science teachers.

Sequence 2: For candidates who have completed at least 36 credits in biology, chemistry, geology, or physics, but who lack professional education coursework and who seek Initial Certification.

Sequence 3: For candidates who hold a valid Transitional B certificate in biology, chemistry, earth science, general science, or physics, Grades 7-12, from New York State.

Science Education Admission Requirements

- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university with an overall index of 3.0 or better.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study. (Above-average achievement in academic work and in the teaching specialization is required).
- Submission of scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST) and Content Specialty Test (CST).
- For Sequence 1 admission: An undergraduate science major or the equivalent and a minor in middle and high school education or the equivalent.
- For Sequence 2 and 3 admission: At least 36 credits in biology, chemistry, geology, or physics. Matriculants may be asked to complete undergraduate and/or graduate prerequisite coursework in addition to degree requirements, based on the evaluation of their credentials by an adviser in the Science Education Program.

- Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and health standards.
- Submit two letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from a college or university science instructor.
- Personal interview.

Science Education Degree Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the Science Education Program before starting their master’s program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their graduate program with an adviser in the Science Education Program.

Students must complete one of the two sequences outlined below.

Curriculum

The curriculum for each sequence is distributed in four instructional modules as follows:

Sequence 1 (33-36 credits)
- Core Education Sequence (3-6 credits): ESC 529 (3) Based on the Program Coordinator’s assessment of prior experience and qualification, candidates may also be required to take ESC 519 (3).
- Curriculum and Instruction (12 credits): ESC 506 (3), ESC 755 (3), ESC 767 or equivalent (3), ESC 770 (3).
- Research and Culmination Projects (6 credits): ESC 705 (3), ESC 706 (1), ESC 707 (2) or ESC 705 (3) and ESC 708 (3).
- Science Content (12 credits): Science content course requirements must align with undergraduate science preparation and with intended certification subject area. Consult with an adviser in the Science Education Program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement. Such courses may include but are not limited to:
  - Biology: BIO 501, BIO 502, BIO 618.
  - Physics: PHY 601, PHY 605, AST 601, AST 602.

Sequence 2 (39-48 credits)
- Core Education Sequence (15-18 credits): ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 519 (3), ESC 529 (3), AND ESC 595 (2) and ESC 611 (1) or ESC 596 (3) and ESC 612 (3).
- Curriculum and Instruction (12 credits): ESC 506 (3), ESC 755 (3), ESC 767 or equivalent (3), ESC 770 (3).
- Research and Culmination Projects (6 credits): ESC 705 (3), ESC 706 (1), ESC 707 (2) or ESC 705 (3) and ESC 708 (3).
- Science Content (6-12 credits): Science content course requirements must align with undergraduate science preparation and with intended certification subject area. Consult with an adviser in the Science Education Program for the appropriate course(s) to satisfy this requirement. Such courses may include but are not limited to:
  - Biology: BIO 501, BIO 502, BIO 618.
  - Physics: PHY 601, PHY 605, AST 601, AST 602.
Science Education Admission Requirements

Admission Requirements

- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university that meets New York State’s requirements for a general education core in liberal arts and sciences.
- Possess an approved master’s degree in an appropriate content area. Have completed a minimum of 36 credits in biology, chemistry, geology, or physics.
- Demonstrate the ability to pursue graduate study successfully by having a master’s Grade Point Average of 3.0 or better.
- Satisfy the content requirements for New York State initial certification.
- Submit scores on the NYS LAST Teacher Examination and the NYS Content Specialty Test (CST).
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on career goals.
- Participate in an interview.
- Meet additional Departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.
- If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Science Education Degree Requirements

Curriculum

The 21- to 24-credit certificate curriculum consists of two instructional areas:

I. Core Education Sequence (12 -15 credits)

- ESC 501: Psychological Foundations of Education (3 credits)
- ESC 502: Social Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective (3 credits)
- ESC 529: Language, Literacy, and Technology in Education (3 credits)
- ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching (2 credits)

II. Methods, Curriculum, and Instruction (9 credits)

- ESC 519: Teaching Science in Middle and High School (3 credits)
- ESC 506: Social Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective (3 credits)
- ESC 570: Methods of Teaching Science in Secondary School: Special Topics (3 credits)

Advanced Certificate in Science Education (21-24 Credits)

This program is designed for candidates who already have a bachelor’s and a master’s degree in biology, chemistry, geology, or physics and who seek New York State certification in one of the following content areas: biology, chemistry, earth science, and physics, Grades 7-12.

Program Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the Science Education program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with a Science Education adviser. All students must complete the 21- to 24-credit curriculum below. In order to be recommended for NYS certification at the completion of the Certificate Program, candidates must pass the LAST, the CST in one of the sciences, the Written Assessment of Teaching Skills (ATS-W), and meet any additional New York State requirements.

Advanced Certification in Science Education Curriculum

The 21- to 24-credit certificate curriculum consists of two instructional areas:

I. Core Education Sequence (12 -15 credits)

- ESC 501: Psychological Foundations of Education (3 credits)
- ESC 502: Social Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective (3 credits)
- ESC 529: Language, Literacy, and Technology in Education (3 credits)
- ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching (2 credits)

II. Methods, Curriculum, and Instruction (9 credits)

- ESC 519: Teaching Science in Middle and High School (3 credits)
- ESC 506 (3) and 3 additional credits to be selected in consultation with the Program Coordinator from the following courses: ESC 570: The Museum as a Resource for Teaching Science (3 credits) or equivalent; ESC 570: Methods of Teaching Science in Secondary School: Special Topics (3 credits)

M.A. Program in Social Studies Education

To be eligible for the Master of Arts degree in Social Studies, students must successively complete the following 39-42 credit sequence:

I. Content Core

Students must satisfy the following required areas of study. These requirements may be met by either graduate courses or by undergraduate coursework taken prior to or after commencement of graduate study. Undergraduate transcripts will be evaluated on an individual basis as part of the admissions process. Lehman undergraduates can satisfy these requirements prior to admission in the master’s program by choosing courses for their distribution requirements in the areas listed.

- Anthropology
- Sociology
- Geography
- Political science
- Economics
• Psychology
• Two history survey courses, one in U.S. history and one in European or world history.

History courses (15 credits)

All students must take: HIU 534 and HIW 533. The remaining 9 credits to be chosen in consultation with the Program Adviser.

II. Pedagogical Core. A total of 21 graduate credits (or equivalent) in the following sequences:

12 credits in the General Education sequence:

ESC 501 (3): Psychological Foundations of Education.
ESC 506 (3) or the equivalent (3): Special Needs Education in TESOL and Secondary Settings.
ESC 529 (3): Language, Literacy and Educational Technology.

9 credits in the Social Studies Education sequence:

(Candidates must have submitted passing scores to the Program Coordinator from the ALST prior to enrolling in ESC 533: Teaching World History in Middle and High School and/or ESC 534: Teaching U.S. History and Government.)
ESC 533 (3): Teaching World History in Middle and High School.
ESC 534 (3): Teaching U.S. History and Government.
ESC 708 (3): Project Seminar in Curriculum, Materials, and Assessment in Specialized Areas.

Successfully complete a culminating project in ESC 708. See Program Coordinator for culminating project requirements.

III. Practicum

Candidates must obtain a B or better in each methods course as well as have passed the remaining certification examinations to be eligible to enroll in ESC 595 and ESC 612 OR ESC 596 and ESC 611.

ESC 595 (2): Internship in Classroom Teaching and ESC 611 (1): Teaching Seminar OR ESC 596 (3): Student Teaching in Middle and High School (1 full-time semester supervised student teaching) and ESC 612 (3): Student Teaching Seminar.

To graduate, students must complete all degree requirements, including educational core courses, and any additional requirements including pedagogical, content area and/or distribution courses with an overall GPA of 3.0 or better.

Social Studies Education Admissions Requirements

• A bachelor's degree or equivalent from an accredited college or university, with a Grade Point Average of 3.0 in the undergraduate major and a cumulative Grade Point Average of 2.7 in undergraduate work. If conditionally accepted, must earn 3.0 in courses designated by the Program Coordinator.
• Bachelor’s degree must be in History or any of the social sciences.

Students must have at least one undergraduate course in the following areas: Lehman undergraduates can satisfy these requirements prior to admission in the master’s program by choosing courses for their distribution requirements in the areas listed.

Anthropology
Sociology
Geography
Political science
Economics
Psychology

Two history survey courses, one in U.S. history and one in European or world history.

• The New York State ALST must have been taken and scores submitted to the Program Coordinator. If conditionally accepted, scores must be presented by the end of the first semester student is matriculated.
• Candidates must schedule an interview with the Social Studies Program Coordinator that includes a transcript review.
• If conditionally accepted, make up deficiencies by the end of the third consecutive semester of matriculation.
• Two letters of recommendation.
• 500-word application essay on interest in the program as it relates to long-term career interests.

Social Studies Education Degree Requirements

To be eligible for the Master of Arts degree in Social Studies, students must successively complete the following 39-42 credit sequence:

I. Content Core

Students must satisfy the following required areas of study. These requirements may be met by either graduate courses or by undergraduate coursework taken prior to or after commencement of graduate study. Undergraduate transcripts will be evaluated on an individual basis as part of the admissions process. Lehman undergraduates can satisfy these requirements prior to admission in the master’s program by choosing courses for their distribution requirements in the areas listed.

Anthropology
Sociology
Geography
Political science
Economics
Psychology

Two history survey courses, one in U.S. history and one in European or world history.

History courses (15 credits)

All students must take: HIU 534 and HIW 533. The remaining 9 credits to be chosen in consultation with the Program Adviser.

II. Pedagogical Core

A total of 21 graduate credits (or equivalent) in sequence:
12 credits in General Education sequence:
ESC 501 (3): Psychological Foundations of Education.
ESC 506 (3) or the equivalent (3): Special Needs Education in TESOL and Secondary Settings.
ESC 529 (3): Language, Literacy and Educational Technology.
9 credits in the Social Studies Education sequence:
(Candidates must have submitted passing scores to the Program Coordinator from the LAST (Liberal Arts and Science Test) prior to enrolling in ESC 533: Teaching World History in Middle and High School and/or ESC 534: Teaching U.S. History and Government.)
ESC 533 (3): Teaching World History in Middle and High School.
ESC 534 (3): Teaching U.S. History and Government.
ESC 708 (3): Project Seminar in Curriculum, Materials, and Assessment in Specialized Areas.
Successfully complete a culminating project in ESC 708. See Program Coordinator for culminating project requirements.

III. Practicum
Candidates must obtain a B or better in each methods course as well as have passed the ATS-W to be eligible for Student Teaching (ESC 596) or Student Internship (ESC 595).
ESC 595 (3): Internship in Classroom Teaching OR ESC 596 (6): Student Teaching in Middle and High School (1 full-time semester supervised student teaching).
To graduate, students must complete all degree requirements, including educational core courses, and any additional requirements including pedagogical, content area and/or distribution courses with an overall GPA of 3.0 or better.
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Social Studies Education Certificate Requirements
- If other courses are taken, or equivalency requested, additional hours of classroom observations may be required in order to meet NYSED certification requirements of 100 hours of field observations prior to student teaching.
- Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and health standards.
- In order to be recommended for NYS certification, candidates must submit passing scores on all current certification examinations, any additional New York State requirements, and consult with the Certification Officer, Dean of Education Office, for other requirements, e.g., core liberal arts requirements, fingerprinting.

Advanced Certificate in Social Studies Education (24-27 Credits)
The 24-27 credit certificate curriculum consists of three instructional areas.
Social Studies Education Advanced Certificate Curriculum

The 24-27 credit certificate curriculum consists of three instructional areas.

I. Foundations of Education (12): ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 506 (3) or the equivalent, ESC 529 (3).

II. Methods, Curriculum, and Instruction (9): ESC 534 (3) and 6 additional credits to be selected in consultation with the Program Coordinator.

III. Practicum (3–6): ESC 595 (3) or ESC 596 (6)

ESC 501, 502, 529, and 534 require 25 hours of fieldwork each and 15 hours of field work for ESC 506 or the equivalent.

ESC 534 and all other Social Studies teaching methods courses include a combined total of 25 hours of fieldwork.

ESC 595 (2): Teaching Internship for in-service teachers and will include a weekly seminar, ESC 611 (1).

ESC 596 (3): Student Teaching will be taken by pre-service teachers and will include a weekly seminar, ESC 612 (3).

M.S.Ed. Program in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

This program is designed for students seeking a master’s degree in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL). It can also provide initial New York State certification in English to speakers of other languages (ESOL) for teachers (Pre-K–Grade 12), or additional ESOL certification for those already certified. Holders of this master’s degree can obtain professional certification in ESOL upon completion of additional requirements. Applicants for this degree include:

Sequence 1 (33 credits). Students who already possess New York State certification and who seek additional certification as teachers of ESOL Pre-K–Grade 12.

Sequence 2 (39-42 credits). Liberal arts and sciences graduates who lack education courses and who seek initial certification in ESOL Pre-K–Grade 12.

Sequence 3 (30-33 credits). Teachers and prospective teachers of adult education and others who desire advanced study in TESOL but are not seeking Pre-K–Grade 12 certification.

Sequence 4 (33-36 credits). Graduates of linguistics programs or others who have met requirements for linguistics and foundations courses and who seek Pre-K–Grade 12 ESOL certification.

Sequence 5 (36 credits). Teachers who hold a valid Transitional B certificate in ESOL from New York State.

TESOL Admission Requirements

Admission Requirements

- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) with an overall index of 3.0 or better, and a liberal arts and sciences major of at least 30 credits from an accredited college or university. In order to be recommended by Lehman College for ESOL certification, candidates must have successfully completed a liberal arts and sciences core specific to TESOL teachers (see "Additional Requirements for Initial and Professional Certification in ESOL" below).

- Demonstrate the ability to pursue graduate study successfully by having an undergraduate index of B or a master's degree.

- For Sequence 1, possess New York State teacher certification. For Sequence 5, hold a valid New York State Transitional B certificate in TESOL.

- For Sequences 2 and 4, submit scores on the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).

- Candidates seeking matriculation in Sequence 4 must meet with the adviser prior to applying for matriculation to determine eligibility.

- Demonstrate the study of a language and culture other than English (12 credits) or an equivalent experience.

- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on career goals.

- Participate in an interview that requires producing a writing sample in English, or, if the applicant resides abroad and cannot participate in an interview, present a Test of Spoken English (TSE) score of at least 55.

- If the undergraduate degree was earned in a language other than English, present a paper-based TOEFL score of at least 600 and a Test of Written English (TWE) score of at least 6, a computer-based TOEFL score of at least 250, an internet TOEFL score of at least 100, or evidence of a master's degree earned in English.

- Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and health standards.

- Meet additional departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.

- If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

TESOL Degree Requirements

Curriculum: Sequence 1 (33 credits):

- The 33-credit curriculum for Sequence 1 consists of six instructional areas.

- Language Education (12): ESC 757 (3), ESC 725 (3), ESC 759 (3), and ESC 760 (3).

- Cultural Perspectives (3): ESC 762 (3) or another course in cultural perspectives selected in consultation with the adviser.

- Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (9): EDC/EDE 727 (3), ESC 761 (3), and ESC 766 (3).

- Practicum (3): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1).

- Master's Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.
Curriculum: Sequence 2 (39-42 credits):
The 39-42 credit curriculum for Sequence 2 consists of six instructional areas.

- Foundations (9): ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), and ESC 506 (3).
- Language Education (12): ESC 757 (3), ESC 725 (3), ESC 759 (3), and ESC 760 (3).
- Cultural Perspectives (3): ESC 769 (3) or another course in cultural perspectives selected in consultation with the adviser.
- Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (9): EDC/EDE 727 (3), ESC 761 (3), and 766 (3).
- Practicum (3-6): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1) OR ESC 798 (3) and ESC 612 (3).
- Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Curriculum: Sequence 3 (33 credits):
The 30-33 credit curriculum for Sequence 3 consists of six instructional areas.

- Foundations (6): ESC 501 (3) and 502 (3) or 3-6 credits of TESOL electives selected in consultation with the adviser.
- Language Education (9): ESC 757 (3), ESC 725 (3), and ESC 760 (3).
- Cultural Perspectives (3): ESC 769 (3) or another course in cultural perspectives selected in consultation with the adviser.
- Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (6): ESC 761 (3) and 766 (3).
- Practicum (3-6): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1) or ESC 798 (3) and ESC 612 (3).
- Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Curriculum: Sequence 4 (30-33 credits):
The 30-33-credit curriculum for Sequence 4 consists of six instructional areas.

- Foundations (3): ESC 506 (3).
- Language Education (9): ESC 725 (3), ESC 759 (3), and ESC 760 (3).
- Cultural Perspectives (3): ESC 769 (3) or another course in cultural perspectives selected in consultation with the adviser.
- Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (9): EDC/EDE 727 (3), ESC 761 (3), and ESC 766 (3).
- Practicum (3-6): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1) or ESC 798 (3) and ESC 611 (3).
- Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Curriculum: Sequence 5 (36 credits):
The 36-credit curriculum for Sequence 5 consists of six instructional areas.

- Foundations (6): ESC 502 (3), and ESC 506 (3)
- Language Education (12): SPE 703 (3), ESC 725 (3), ESC 759 (3), and ESC 760 (3).
- Cultural Perspectives (3): ESC 769 (3) or another course in cultural perspectives selected in consultation with the adviser.
- Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (9): EDC/EDE 727 (3), ESC 761 (3), and ESC 766 (3).
- Practicum (3): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1),
- Master’s Project (3): ESC 708 (3). Culminates in an approved curriculum project.

Additional Requirements for Initial and Professional Certification in TESOL and ESOL are as follows:
In order to be recommended for initial certification in ESOL PRE-K-grade 12, students must: (a) complete the master’s degree (Sequences 1, 2, 4 or 5) with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better; (b) present passing scores on the following New York State examinations: LAST, ATS-W, and ESOL; and (c) demonstrate successful completion of a liberal arts and sciences core specific to TESOL teachers. Please see adviser for more information.

In order to qualify for professional certification in ESOL, in addition to the master’s degree (Sequences 1, 2, 4 or 5), teachers must complete one year of mentored, full-time teaching and two years of full-time teaching in a public or private school which serves PRE-K-grade 12, and must meet any additional New York State requirements.

Advanced Certificate: Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
This program is designed for students who already have a master’s degree, who possess New York State teacher certification, and who seek additional New York State certification in teaching English to speakers of other languages (ESOL) Pre-K-grade 12.

TESOL Certificate Admission Requirements
- Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) with an overall index of 3.0 or better, and a liberal arts and sciences major of at least 30 credits from an accredited college or university. In order to be recommended by Lehman College for ESOL certification, candidates must have successfully completed a liberal arts and sciences core specific to TESOL teachers (see “Additional Requirements for Initial and Professional Certification in ESOL” below).
- New York State teacher certification.
- A master’s degree appropriate for New York State professional certification.
- Demonstrate the study of a language other than English (12 credits) or an equivalent experience.
- The study of cultural perspectives of one or more ESL populations (at least 3 credits).
- Two (2) letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on career goals.
- Participate in an interview, which requires producing a writing sample in English.
- Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and health standards.

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• Meet additional Departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.
• If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

TESOL Certificate Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the TESOL program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with a TESOL adviser. All students must complete the 27-credit curriculum below.

In order to be recommended for ESOL certification, candidates must complete the Advanced Certificate: TESOL program with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better, present passing scores on the ESOL content area examination, (c) demonstrate successful completion of a liberal arts and sciences core specific to TESOL teachers (please see adviser for more information), and meet any additional New York State requirements.

TESOL Certificate Curriculum

The 27-credit certificate curriculum consists of four instructional areas:

• Foundations (3): ESC 506 (3) or equivalent.
• Language Education (12): ESC 757 (3), ESC 759 (3), ESC 760 (3), ESC 725 (3).
• Methods, Materials, and Evaluation (9): EDC/EDE 727 (3), ESC 761 (3), and ESC 766 (3).
• Practicum (3): ESC 797 (2) and ESC 611 (1).

M.A in Teaching Spanish 7-12

This program is designed for candidates seeking a Master’s degree in Teaching Spanish. Graduates of this program are eligible for New York State Certification in Teaching Spanish grades 7-12 upon completion of additional New York State Education Requirements. Applicants for this degree include the following:

Sequence 1 (33-36 credits). Candidates who seek initial New York State certification in Teaching Spanish grades 7-12

Sequence 2 (33 credits). Transitional B candidates who seek initial New York State certification in Teaching Spanish grades 7-12

Admission Requirements

• A bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university with an overall GPA of B or better.
• Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by earning a B or better in Spanish course work.
• Have completed 24 credits in advanced (300-level and above) undergraduate Spanish courses (including a minimum of 12 advanced credits in literature courses conducted in Spanish). If these requirements are not met, additional undergraduate courses must be completed before admission to the program and after consultation with the Department of Languages and Literatures.
• Submit evidence of having taken the New York State Liberal Arts and Sciences Test (LAST).
• If conditionally admitted, make up not more than 12 credits of specific undergraduate course work, starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
• For Sequence 2, be eligible for a valid New York State Transitional B certificate in Teaching Spanish grades 7-12.
• Two letters of recommendation.
• Report to the Department of Languages and Literatures for consultation with adviser and assessment of Spanish language skills prior to matriculation.
• Submit scores for the ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) prior to matriculation.

Degree Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the M.A. Teaching Spanish program before starting their master’s program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with a program adviser. All students must complete the curriculum corresponding to one of the two sequences below.

Sequence 1 (Teaching Spanish) requires a total of 33-36 credits distributed as follows:
15 credits in Spanish, including SPA 601, with a minimum of 3 credits in Peninsular Literature, and 3 credits in Hispanic American literatures.
18-21 credits in Education, including ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 506 (3), ESC 524 (3), ESC 562 (3), plus ESC 595 (for in-service teachers; 3 credits) or ESC 596 (for pre-service teachers, 6 credits).

Sequence 2 (Teaching Spanish: Transitional B) requires a total of 33 credits distributed as follows:
15 credits in Spanish, including SPA 601, with a minimum of 3 credits in Peninsular Literature, and 3 credits in Hispanic American literatures.
18 credits in Education, including ESC 501 (3), ESC 502 (3), ESC 506 (3), ESC 524 (3), ESC 562 (3), ESC 595 (3), ESC 611 (0), and ESC 612 (0).

Any student who did not obtain a passing score on the ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) must re-do the interview prior to completing 18 credits and obtain passing scores. All students in the program must pass a comprehensive examination.

Additional Requirements for Certification in Teaching Spanish 7-12:

In order to be recommended for Initial Certification in teaching Spanish 7-12, candidates in Sequence 1-2 must (a) have a bachelor’s degree that meets New York State requirements for a core in the liberal arts and sciences; (b) present passing scores on the following New York State examinations: LAST, ATS-W, and Content Specialty Test; and (c) meet any additional New York
State requirements.
In addition to completing a Master’s program, in order to qualify for Professional Certification in teaching Spanish 7-12, candidates in sequences 1-2 must have completed three years of full-time teaching in a public or private school which serves grades 7-12 and must meet any additional New York State requirements.

Nonmatriculants
Nonmatriculants must meet with an adviser from the Department of Middle and High School Education and must have their skills assessed by an adviser from the Department of Languages and Literatures prior to registration.

Advanced Certificate for Teachers of Languages Other than English (LOTE) (15-18 Credits)
This program is designed for candidates who already have a master’s degree in a language other than English and who seek New York State Certification in the area of Languages Other than English (LOTE) grades 7-12.

Teachers of Languages Other Than English Advanced Certificate Admission Requirements
• Bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university that meets the State’s requirements for a general education core in the liberal arts and sciences.
• Master’s degree in a language other than English.
• Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study by having a master’s Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 or better.
• Satisfy the content requirements for New York State Initial Certification in education in a language other than English, grades 7–12.
• Present scores for the Content Specialty Test (CST) and LAST.
• Submit two (2) letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on career goals.
• Participate in an interview.
• Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and health standards.
• Meet additional Departmental, divisional, and New York State requirements, if any.
• If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.
• Submit scores for the ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) prior to matriculation.

Teachers of Languages Other Than English Advanced Certificate Requirements
Students must consult with the adviser in the LOTE Education Program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with the LOTE Education Program Adviser. All students must complete the 15-credit curriculum below. In order to be recommended for certification, candidates must pass the CST (if applicable) and LAST within the first semester following matriculation, complete the LOTE Education Certificate with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better, and meet any additional New York State requirements.

Teachers of Languages Other Than English Advanced Certificate Curriculum
The 15-credit certificate curriculum consists of three instructional areas:

I. Foundations of Education (6 credits)
ESC 501: Psychological Foundations of Education (3 credits) and ESC 502: Social Foundations of Education: A Multicultural Perspective (3 credits)

II. Methods, Curriculum, and Instruction (6 credits)
ESC 524: Teaching Foreign Languages in Middle and High School (3 credits).
ESC 562: Teaching Language Arts in Languages Other than English (3 credits).

III. Practicum (3-6 credits)
ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching (3 credits) or ESC 596: Student Teaching in Middle & High School Grades (6 credits).

Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension
This program is designed for Birth to Grade 12 teachers, who already possess New York State certification in the areas listed in Sequences 1-4 below, and who seek a bilingual extension to teach that subject in the native language as well as in English. Applicants for the Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension include:

Sequence 1 (12 credits): Those seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in early childhood education, childhood education, or Literacy Birth-grade 6 at the early childhood or childhood level.
Sequence 2 (15 credits): Those seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the early childhood or childhood level.
Sequence 3 (12 credits): Those seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in middle childhood education, adolescence education, or Literacy grades 5-12 at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.
Sequence 4 (15 credits): Those seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

Bilingual Extension Advanced Certificate Admission Requirements
• Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
• For Sequence 1, possess New York State certification in early childhood education, childhood education, or literacy Birth-grade 6 at the early childhood or childhood level.

• For Sequence 2, possess New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the early childhood or childhood level.

• For Sequence 3, possess New York State certification in middle childhood education, adolescence education, or literacy grades 5-12 at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

• For Sequence 4, possess New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

• Demonstrate the ability to pursue graduate study successfully by having an undergraduate index of B or a master’s degree.

• Demonstrate the study of a language and culture other than English (12 credits) or an equivalent experience.

• Demonstrate the study of a language and culture other than English (12 credits) or an equivalent experience.

• Meet additional departmental admission requirements, if any.

• If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Bilingual Extension Advanced Certificate Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension program before beginning their studies. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their graduate program with the adviser. To successfully complete the program, students must complete the curriculum as outlined below for Sequence 1 (12 credits), 2 (15 credits), 3 (12 credits), or 4 (15 credits).

New York State also requires candidates for the bilingual extension to pass the Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA). We expect our students to pass this exam before completing nine (9) program credits or the first two semesters of matriculation.

Overview of the Bilingual Extension Advanced Certificate Program

**Sequence 1:** Bilingual Extension: Early Childhood/Childhood General Education: EBS 701 (3), EDE/EDC 727 (3), EDE/EDC 738 (3), EDE/EDC 739 (3) Total: 12 crs.

**Sequence 2:** Bilingual Extension: Early Childhood/Childhood Special Education: EBS 701 (3), EDE/EDC 727 (3), EDE/EDC 738 (3), EDE/EDC 739 (3), EBS 741 (3) Total: 15 crs.

**Sequence 3:** Bilingual Extension: Middle and High School General Education: SPE 703 (3), ESC 759 (3), ESC 761 (3), ESC 763 (3) Total: 12 crs.

**Sequence 4:** Bilingual Extension: Middle and High School Special Education: SPE 703 (3), ESC 759 (3), ESC 761 (3), ESC 763 (3), EBS 741 (3) Total: 15 crs.

Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension—Intensive Teacher Institute

This program is designed for Birth-grade 12 teachers who already possess New York State certification in the areas listed in Sequences 1-4 below, and who seek a bilingual extension to teach that subject in the native language as well as in English. The Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension consists of four sequences:

• Sequence 1 (12 credits): For candidates seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in early childhood education, childhood education, or Literacy Birth-grade 6 at the early childhood or childhood level.

• Sequence 2 (15 credits): For candidates seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the early childhood or childhood level.

• Sequence 3 (12 credits): For candidates seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in middle childhood education, adolescence education, or Literacy grades 5-12 at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

• Sequence 4 (15 credits): For candidates seeking a bilingual extension to New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

Admission Requirements

1. Possess a bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.

2. For Sequence 1, possess New York State certification in early childhood education, childhood education, or literacy Birth-grade 6 at the early childhood or childhood level.

3. For Sequence 2, possess New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the early childhood or childhood level.

4. For Sequence 3, possess New York State certification in middle childhood education, adolescence education, or literacy grades 5-12 at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

5. For Sequence 4, possess New York State certification in teaching children with disabilities at the middle childhood or adolescence education level.

6. Demonstrate the ability to pursue graduate study successfully by having an undergraduate index of B or a master’s degree.

7. Demonstrate the study of a language and culture other than English (12 credits) or an equivalent experience.

8. Submit one (1) letter of recommendation.

9. Demonstrate the study of cultural perspectives of one or more bilingual populations (at least 3 credits). Candidates may take...
ESC 769 or another course selected in consultation with the adviser to meet this requirement.

10. Participate in an interview which requires producing a writing sample in English and in the native language.

11. Satisfy appropriate voice, speech, and hearing standards.

12. Meet additional departmental admission requirements, if any.

13. If conditionally admitted, make up requirements starting in the first semester and finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Certificate Requirements

Students must consult with an adviser in the Advanced Certificate: Bilingual Extension program before beginning their studies. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their graduate program with the adviser. To successfully complete the program, students must complete the curriculum as outlined below for Sequence 1 (12 credits), 2 (15 credits), 3 (12 credits), or 4 (15 credits).

Candidates for the bilingual extension are expected to pass the Bilingual Education Assessment (BEA) before completing nine (9) program credits or the first two semesters of matriculation.

Curriculum

Sequence 1: Bilingual Extension: Early Childhood/Childhood General Education
EBS 701 (3), EDE/EDC 727 (3), EDE/EDC 738 (3), EDE/EDC 739 (3)
TOTAL: 12 credits

Sequence 2: Bilingual Extension: Early Childhood/Childhood Special Education
EBS 701 (3), EDE/EDC 727 (3), EDE/EDC 738 (3), EDE/EDC 739 (3), EBS 741 (3)
TOTAL: 15 credits

Sequence 3: Bilingual Extension: Middle and High School General Education
ESC 757 (3), ESC 759 (3), ESC 761 (3), ESC 763 (3)
TOTAL: 12 credits

Sequence 4: Bilingual Extension: Middle and High School Special Education
ESC 757 (3), ESC 759 (3), ESC 761 (3), ESC 763 (3), EBS 741 (3)
TOTAL: 15 credits

Courses in Middle and High School Education

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

ESC 501: Psychological Foundations of Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Closed to students who have taken ESC 301 or equivalent.) Cognitive and emotional development from childhood through adolescence; learning theories; measurement and evaluation; inclusion of special student populations, and uses of relevant technology and software. Theories and research findings discussed in relation to classroom observations. Students will be responsible for assigned readings, lectures, class discussions, and field experiences.

3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the historical development of education and schools within the context of various communities and families. Emphasis on the school as a sociocultural institution: issues of equity and bias, and the contributions of the major racial and ethnic groups, especially in New York City schools. Presentation of relevant technology and software.

ESC 506: Special Needs Education in TESOL and Secondary Settings.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification, instruction, and assessment of special needs populations in secondary and TESOL settings. Laws and regulations pertaining to the education of special needs children; information on categories of disability, including autism; identifying and remediating specific learning disabilities; special education process; classroom management and positive behavioral supports and interventions; individualized and differentiated instruction; effective co-teaching and collaboration. Fieldwork required.

ESC 509: Instructional Practices Across the Middle School Curriculum.
3 hours, 3 credits. Principles, approaches, and strategies across the curriculum for teaching middle childhood students, grades 5-6, in accordance with local, State, and national standards. NOTE: May not be taken to fulfill the requirements of ESC 519-562.

ESC 519: Teaching Science in Middle and High School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Research and practice in the teaching of science at the secondary school level. A focus on inquiry-driven methods consistent with current standards in science education, uses of technology and relevant software, teaching strategies, assessment, inclusion of special student populations, and development of science literacy with an emphasis on the teacher-as-learner. Includes field experience. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 GPA overall; and Department permission.

ESC 520: Teaching Business Subjects in Middle and High School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching business subjects at the middle and high school levels. Curriculum development; current standards; lesson planning; instructional strategies; uses of technology; problem solving; assessment; inclusion of special populations; and literacy development in business subjects. Includes field experience. A research paper or curriculum project is required. Limited to master’s level students seeking initial certification. PREREQ: ESC 501 or equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; 3.0 GPA overall; and Departmental permission.
ESC 522: Teaching English in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Methods, materials, and assessment for teaching English at the middle and high school levels. Developing academic literacy through English language and literature. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology; current standards; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities. Includes field experience. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 422 and ESC 522. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 GPA overall; and Departmental permission.

ESC 524: Teaching Foreign Language in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Methods, materials, and assessment for teaching foreign languages at the middle and high school levels. Developing communicative competence, academic literacy through the four skills, and cross-cultural awareness in a language other than English. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology; current standards; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities. Includes field experience. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 424 and ESC 524. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 GPA overall; and Departmental permission.

ESC 529: Language and Literacies Acquisition in Secondary Education.  
3 hours, 3 credits. The teaching and acquisition of language and literacies through secondary content areas, including media literacy, with students of diverse language backgrounds and abilities. Curriculum development; current standards; inclusion of students with disabilities; and assessment. Includes field experience. A research paper or curriculum project is required. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 429 and ESC 529. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 GPA overall; and Departmental permission.

ESC 532: Teaching Mathematics in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching mathematics at the middle and high school levels. Curriculum development; current standards; lesson planning; instructional strategies; uses of technology; problem solving; assessment; inclusion of special populations; and literacy development in mathematics. Includes field experience. A research paper or curriculum project is required. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 432 and ESC 532. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 GPA overall; and Departmental permission.

ESC 533: Teaching World History in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and practice of curriculum, lesson planning, and national and State standards in middle and high school world history and geography courses. Uses of technology and relevant reviews of software, teaching strategies, assessment, and inclusion of special student populations. Includes supervised field work in middle and high school. PRE- or COREQ: ESC 501 (or equivalent) and/or ESC 502 (or equivalent), 3.0 GPA, and a passing score on the New York State LAST examination and the CST.

ESC 534: Teaching U.S. History and Government.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to current theory on curriculum, alternate views on scope and sequence, lesson planning, and national and State standards in middle and high school social studies. Uses of technology; relevant software; alternative teaching strategies; different types of assessment; inclusion of special student populations; and literacy development in social studies. Limited to master’s-level students seeking initial certification. Includes field experience. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 434 and ESC 534. PRE- or COREQS: ESC 501 and/or ESC 502 (or equivalent), a 3.0 GPA, and passing score on the New York State LAST examination. Pass the CST (Content Specialty Test) and ATS—W (Assessment of Teaching Skills-Written) before or during course.

ESC 536: Teaching Technology Subjects in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching technology subjects at the middle and high school levels. Curriculum development; current standards; lesson planning; instructional strategies; uses of technology; problem solving; assessment; inclusion of special populations; and literacy development in technology subjects. Includes field experience. A research paper or curriculum project is required. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. PREREQ: ESC 501 or equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; 3.0 G.P.A. overall; and Departmental permission.

ESC 562: Teaching Language Arts in Languages Other than English.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Methods, materials, and assessment for developing literacy through language arts and literature in a language other than English at the middle and high school levels. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology and software; current standards; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities. Includes field experience. A research paper or curriculum project is required. Limited to master’s-level students seeking Initial Certification. Students cannot receive credit for both ESC 462 and ESC 562. PREREQ: ESC 501 or the equivalent course in psychological foundations of education; a 3.0 cumulative Grade Point Average; Departmental permission; and passing score on the New York State LAST examination. PRE- or COREQ: ESC 524.

ESC 590: Staff Development Workshop for Teachers.  
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-credited for credit with change of topics.) A workshop for teachers and curriculum specialists in teaching and/or developing curriculum materials for topics in specialized areas.

ESC 595: Internship in Classroom Teaching.  
One semester full-time, two supervised/mentored experiences of 7 weeks each (or other Lehman College approved sequence), 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected once, with adviser’s permission). Designed for graduate students who teach full-time, the course provides on-site supervisory visits. Assigned in-school activities are required. PREREQ: A grade of B or better in the Content Area Teaching Methods course; an overall index of at least 3.0; a passing score on the ATS-W Teacher Certification Examination; Departmental permission; and approval from the Professional Development Coordinator. COREQ: ESC 611.
ESC 596: Student Teaching in the Middle and High School Grades.  
One semester full-time supervised student teaching, two experiences of 7 weeks each (or other Lehman College approved sequence), 3 credits.  
Student teaching in the middle and high school grades.  
PREREQ: A grade of B or better in the Content Area Teaching Methods course; an overall index of at least 3.0; a passing score on the ATS-W Teacher Certification Examination; Departmental permission; and approval from the Professional Development Coordinator.  
COREQ: ESC 612.

ESC 611: Seminar in Secondary and TESOL Education.  
2 hours, 1 credit.  Analysis of problems or practices in secondary school and TESOL teaching.  
Weekly seminar and assigned in-school activities required.  PREREQ: Departmental permission.  
COREQ: ESC 596 or ESC 797.

ESC 612: Seminar in Secondary and TESOL Student Teaching.  
2 hours, 3 credits.  Analysis of problems or practices in secondary school and TESOL student teaching.  
Weekly seminar and assigned in-school activities required.  PREREQ: Departmental permission.  
COREQ: ESC 611 or ESC 798.

ESC (EDE) 700: Psychology in Education, Group Dynamics.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  A laboratory course using here-and-now experiences in studying interpersonal perceptions, communication networks, group decision-making patterns, leadership, and structure. Development of skills in diagnosing and improving group functioning.  
PREREQ: Full-time teaching experience.

ESC 701: Advanced Educational Psychology.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Current psychological theory and research related to learning.  
PREREQ: Full-time teaching experience or Departmental permission.

ESC (EDE) 702: Foundations of Education.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Studies of critical periods and movements in American education history, with emphasis on social, political, and intellectual developments and the role of leading education theorists as agents of change in education.

ESC (EDE) 703: School and Community.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Analysis of the environmental influences on learning, with special emphasis on education as a social process and social institution in an urban setting. A minimum of 10 hours' community field experience is required.

ESC 704: Psychological Foundations of Adult Education, Advanced Educational Psychology.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  A study of the psychology, special needs, and developmental tasks of adulthood; applications to the teaching of students in continuing and adult education programs.  
PREREQ: Graduate standing or permission of the chair of the Department.

ESC 705: Methods of Educational Research.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Study of the methods, techniques, and strategies of research. Emphasis on educational research as a unique and necessary discipline and as a tool for solving educational problems. Development of a research proposal on a significant problem in candidates, field.  
PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ESC 706: Project Seminar I.  
1 hour, 1 credit.  Discussion of methods of measurement and evaluation of teaching and learning. Development of the content and structure of the research project.  
PREREQ: ESC 705 (ESC 742 for mathematics education candidates) with a B or better and Departmental permission.  
COREQ: ESC 707.

ESC 707: Project Seminar II.  
2 hours, 2 credits.  Completion of the research project (begun in ESC 705) related to teaching in the candidate's field.  
PREREQ: ESC 705 (ESC 742 for mathematics education students) with a B or better and Departmental permission.

ESC 708: Project Seminar in Curriculum, Materials, and Assessment in Specialized Areas.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Development of a culminating curriculum project in candidates' field that includes an analysis of contextual factors; integration of prior coursework and research; theoretical foundations of the discipline; learning goals; assessment plan; design of instruction; technology; analysis of student learning and reflection on teaching practice.  
PREREQ: Departmental permission.

ESC 709: Workshop in Pedagogy and Classroom Management.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Evaluating and dealing with behavioral problems in educational settings; theoretical study, simulation, and application of theory to problems.  
PREREQ: Provisional Certification and one year of full-time teaching experience.

ESC 710: Education Workshop for Secondary School Teachers.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  A workshop course designed to aid teachers in dealing with the situations and problems arising in their actual school experience. The activities of the course will vary with the demonstrated needs of the students.  
PREREQ: Employment as a teacher and undergraduate methods course in secondary education.

ESC 711: Perspectives on Middle School Education.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Overview of issues related to school environment in middle childhood education, grades 5-6. Characteristics of middle school students, school organization, and curriculum. Study of experimental programs and current research.

ESC 714: Teaching Art in Middle and High School.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Exploration of materials, processes, and techniques appropriate for teaching art for middle and high school students. Students design art experiences that incorporate expression, response, art history, and culture. Includes field experience.

ESC 720: Reading and Reading Materials for Adolescents.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  Remedial and developmental methods of reading instruction for teachers and reading specialists. Selecting, developing, and using appropriate materials.

ESC 721: Literature for Middle and High School Students.  
3 hours, 3 credits.  An exploration of literature —both classical and contemporary —relevant to middle and high school settings. The role of such literature in the secondary-school curriculum, with particular attention to literary response and its assessment. Review and analysis of selected related research.  
PREREQ: Permission of instructor.
ESC 722: Teaching Communication Skills in the Content Areas. 3 hours, 3 credits. An examination of the techniques, strategies, and procedures for developing in students the ability to improve their skills in writing, speaking, and listening in the content areas. Review and analysis of selected research and instruction in a variety of pedagogic techniques. PREREQ: Permission of the Program Adviser.

*ESC 723: Teaching Reading in the Content Areas. 3 hours, 3 credits. An examination of programs, strategies, and procedures for developing in students the ability to read books, articles, and other study materials in the content areas. Review and analysis of selected research related to content area reading. PREREQ: Provisional certification in a secondary-school subject, or permission of instructor.

ESC 724: Methods of Teaching Writing in Middle and High School. 30 hours plus cons. and group activities, 3 credits. Consideration of methods of teaching composition in the middle and high school English classroom, with attention to the linguistic, cognitive, and rhetorical theories that generate current practices in writing instruction. Review and analysis of selected research. PREREQ: ESC 722, ENG 785, or the equivalent.

ESC 725: Teaching English Grammar. 3 hours, 3 credits. Study of techniques and procedures for developing in students the ability to analyze the English language and to use standard written English. Consideration of linguistic analysis in the light of current school texts and practices. Includes field experience. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor.

ESC 727: Teaching English as a Second Language (Pre-K to Grade 6). 3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching second language skills for PreK-grade 6 English language learners. Role of family, home language, cultural and community orientation, and prior schooling; standards-based curriculum development and assessment; use of relevant technology; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities. Includes field experience. PREREQ: Permission of TESOL adviser.

ESC 730: Methods of Teaching English in Middle and High School: Selected Topics. 3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with adviser's permission, with change of topic, to a maximum of 6 credits.) Strategies and materials for teaching English in middle and high schools with change of topic permitting intensive study of the components of the English curriculum and the research related to them. PREREQ: Permission of the Department chair.

ESC 733: Teaching Music in the Middle Schools. 3 hours, 3 credits. Knowledge, skills, and abilities needed to teach music in middle schools in diverse neighborhoods and the role of national, State, and City standards in the assessments of student achievement. Includes supervised fieldwork in middle schools in a variety of socioeconomic areas. PRE- or COREQ: Admission to M.A.T. program in applied music and music teaching or permission of the Graduate Adviser.

ESC 740: Teaching Mathematics in Grades 7-10. 3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching mathematical concepts and skills in the contemporary intermediate grades that bridge middle- and high-school instruction; models of instruction; analysis of students' errors and misconceptions; strategies for teaching selected topics; problem solving; alternative assessments and technology in mathematics instruction; non-published classroom inquiry projects. Includes field experience (25 hours). PREREQ: Calculus I and II.

ESC 741: Current Issues in Mathematics Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Implications of current reform efforts pertaining to the teaching of mathematics, analysis of new curriculum projects and testing programs in the secondary school; use of materials and technological aids or instruction.

ESC 742: Research in Mathematics Education. 3 hours, 3 credits. Review of the research literature; theories of learning mathematics; alternative assessment; technology in mathematics instruction. A research paper is required.

ESC 748: Teaching Problem Solving in Mathematics in Middle and High School. 3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction and application of heuristic techniques to facilitate mathematical problem solving in Grades 7-12; use of technology as a problem solving tool; assessment. Problems will be analyzed on both teacher and pupil levels. (Includes 25 hours fieldwork in grades 10, 11, and 12 for those with 5-9 certification seeking 7-12 certification). PREREQ: Calculus I and II.

ESC 749: Teaching Mathematics in Grades 11 and 12. 3 hours, 3 credits. Methods and materials for teaching mathematical concepts (e.g., real number system, functions, mathematical induction, sequences and series, analytic geometry, transformations, probability, topics in calculus) in the upper grades of high school; problem solving; mathematical modeling; uses of technology (e.g. graphing calculators and computer software) including related social, legal and ethical issues. (Includes 25 hours fieldwork in grades 10, 11, and 12 for those with 5-9 certification seeking 7-12 certification). PREREQ: Calculus I and II.

ESC 750: Theory and Practice in the Social Sciences. 3 hours, 3 credits. Designed to acquaint the graduate student of Social Studies Education with advanced concepts and methodology of the social sciences and the manners in which these can be taught to high school students. PREREQ: Employment as a teacher and undergraduate methods course in secondary education.

ESC 755: Teaching the Historical Development of Science. 3 hours, 3 credits. Teaching the historical development of science from an interdisciplinary perspective. Critical analysis of different views of scientific knowledge and their implications for the classroom. PREREQ: ESC 502 or 702 and ESC 770.
ESC 757: Linguistics for TESOL/Bilingual Teachers
3 hours, 3 credits. The study of language, including phonetics/phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics, and sociolinguistics, applied to the teaching of language and content to linguistically and culturally diverse students. Includes field experience.

ESC 759: Foundations of Bilingual/Bicultural Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Bilingual/bicultural education, including history, goals, models, rationale, legal and legislative basis, linguistic principles, and language evaluation. Current issues and research findings in bilingual/bicultural education will be studied. Includes field experience. PREREQ: ESC 501, 502, or ESC 703 (or an equivalent) and permission of the adviser.

ESC 760: Second-Language Learning and Teaching.
3 hours, 3 credits. The psychological principles of second-language learning with their application to teaching. Similarities and differences between first- and second-language learning and teaching. PREREQ: One course in educational psychology. Includes field experience.

ESC 761: Teaching English as a Second Language to Adolescents and Adults.
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods, materials, and evaluation for developing the literacy skills of speaking, listening, reading, and writing in English for middle childhood, adolescent, and adult English language learners, including reading enrichment and remediation. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology and software; current standards; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities. Includes field experience.

ESC 762: Methods of Teaching Foreign Languages in Secondary Schools.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with adviser’s permission, with change of topic, to a maximum of 6 credits.) Selected topics reflecting current practices in language education. PREREQ: Provisional certification or permission of the Department chair.

ESC 763: Teaching Literacy through the Content Areas in the Secondary Bilingual Classroom.
45 hours, 3 credits. Methods, materials, and evaluation for teaching literacy through middle and high school level content areas, such as business education, mathematics, science, and social studies in the native language and in English. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology; current standards; lesson planning; instructional strategies; inclusion of special populations; and assessment. Includes field experience. PREREQ: ESC 759 (or an equivalent), a methods course in subject area, and permission of the adviser.

ESC 764-765: Workshop in Modern Materials and Methods of Foreign Language Teaching I and II (Secondary Schools).
Each 3 hours, 3 credits. (I) Study and discussion of recent research in the field and its application to language teaching. Practices and techniques for developing aural-oral competency and other communication arts and skills. Selection and utilization of materials in the field that meet current objectives in foreign-language teaching. (II) Study and demonstration of audiovisual teaching tools and devices. Preparation and demonstration of teacher-made materials. Newer techniques for evaluating a foreign language in the secondary schools.

ESC 766: Teaching English as a Second Language through the Content Areas.
3 hours, 3 credits. Methods, materials, and evaluation for developing the literacy skills of speaking, listening, reading, and writing in English to speakers of other languages through the content areas, including mathematics, science, and social studies. Curriculum development; use of relevant technology and software; current standards; instructional strategies; inclusion of students from diverse language backgrounds and students with disabilities; and assessment. Includes field experience. PRE- or COREQ: ESC 761 (or an equivalent) and permission of adviser.

3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to the use of the museum as a resource for teaching and learning science. PREREQ: ESC 502 or 702 and ESC 770.

ESC 768: Education Workshop for Teachers of Students of Puerto Rican and Latino Origin.
3 hours, 3 credits. A workshop designed to help teachers deal with the situations and problems arising out of their actual school experiences. Emphasis will be placed on the preparation, demonstration, and discussion of instructional materials needed for developing communications skills. PREREQ: Employment as a teacher and a course in methods of teaching in the secondary school.

ESC 769: Latinos in U.S. Schools.
3 hours, 3 credits. Interdisciplinary study of educational issues affecting Latinos in the United States, with a focus on the urban school setting: educational, historical, literary, linguistic, and sociological sources will be utilized to analyze issues. PREREQ: ESC 501 or 502 (or an equivalent) and permission of the adviser.

ESC 770: Methods of Teaching Science in Secondary Schools: Selected Topics.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be reelected for credit, with adviser’s permission, with change of topic, to a maximum of 6 credits.) Strategies for teaching a single science and interdisciplinary science topics at the secondary and postsecondary levels. Emphasis on research related to improving the teaching and learning of science and on techniques and materials that meet the needs of contemporary students. PREREQ: Provisional certification or permission of the Department chair.
ESC 771: Integrating Mathematics, Science, and Technology in Middle School Teaching and Learning.
3 hours, 3 credits. Identification and examination of key concepts and issues in the teaching of mathematics and science to high-need culturally and linguistically diverse middle school students. Modeling and design of effective instructional strategies that incorporate mathematics and science concepts with supporting technological applications.

ESC 772: Evaluation and Assessment of Student Learning.
3 hours, 3 credits. Systematic introductory course for graduate students. The fundamentals of evaluation and assessment of student learning in middle and high schools, including: writing objective test items, methods of evaluating and assessing student learning, up-to-date instruments for evaluating and assessing aptitude and achievement in the active, inquiry-based, cooperative classroom, and alternative assessment techniques, including use of portfolio assessment and rubrics.

ESC 775: Problems of Secondary Education in Metropolitan Areas.
3 hours, 3 credits. Social structures of urban life and their impact on the problems and future forms of the urban secondary school. Critical examination from a variety of viewpoints of major issues in curriculum, methods, pupil achievement, and organization of the secondary school, arising from urbanization. PREREQ: One course in educational foundations.

ESC 776: Multiethnic and Multicultural Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Multiethnic and multicultural education, including history, goals, models, rationale, legal, and legislative basis. Current issues and research findings in multiethnic and multicultural education and major ethnic and subcultural groups in urban school settings will be studied. PREREQ: ESC 701, or 702, or 703 (or an equivalent), and permission of adviser.

ESC 777: Philosophy of Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of alternative standards of judgment presented in the philosophies of experimentalism, realism, idealism, and existentialism, and in philosophical analysis. Central consideration given to the problems of educational goals and curriculum posed by conflicting philosophies of education.

*ESC 778: History of the American School.
3 hours, 3 credits. Public education from the colonial period to the present, with particular emphasis on the interrelationships between education and culture, political, and economic developments.

*ESC 779: European Backgrounds of American Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Cultural and institutional origin of American elementary, secondary, and higher education. Educational interchange between the United States and Europe in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

ESC (EDE) 780: Comparative Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Comparative study of school organization, curricular practices, and contemporary educational problems in selected foreign countries. Special attention will be given to the study of issues that have cross-cultural dimensions.

ESC (EDE) 781: Advanced Studies in Comparative and International Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Intensive and specialized studies in selected systems of education, using appropriate methodologies in comparative education. Review and evaluation of the work of bilateral and international technical assistance for educational development. PREREQ: ESC (EDE) 780 or instructor’s permission.

ESC 782: Methods of Teaching Business and Technology Education.
Selected Topics. 3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with adviser’s permission, with change of topic, to a maximum of 6 credits.) Strategies for teaching courses or special topics in business and technology education in adolescence and adult learning settings. Emphasis on research related to improvement of instruction in business and technology education areas and techniques and materials that meet the needs of contemporary students. PREREQ: Permission of the Department chair.

ESC 785: Methods of Teaching Music in the Secondary School and Adult Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. Strategies and materials for teaching music in secondary and continuing education settings, reflecting current practices in music education. PRE- or COREQ: Preadmission to the M.A. in Music Education program or permission of the Graduate Adviser in music education.

ESC 788: Curriculum Theory and Design.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study and analysis of curriculum theories, processes, and trends in middle and high school education. Focus on various philosophical positions as they influence curriculum development in middle and high schools and other educational settings. A curriculum project is required. PREREQ: Graduate standing or permission of the Department chair.

ESC 789: Independent Study in Curriculum Development.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with chair’s permission, with change of topic.) This course offers an opportunity for middle and high school teachers and curriculum specialists, under the guidance of a faculty member, to carry out an individual project in developing instructional materials adapted to specific groups. PREREQ: For business and technology education students only, ESC 782, 788, and Departmental permission.

ESC 790: Workshop in Curriculum Materials Development in Specialized Areas.
1-3 hours, 1-3 credits. (May be re-elected for credit, with chair’s permission, with change of topics.) A workshop for teachers and curriculum specialists interested in developing instructional materials for topics in specialized areas.

ESC 797: Internship in TESOL.
One semester full-time college-supervised experience (or other Lehman College approved sequence), 2 credits. Supervised teaching in ESOL in elementary and secondary education settings or in adult education settings for in-service teachers. Assigned in-class activities required. PREREQ: Completion of TESOL methods courses with a grade of B or better; an overall index of 3.0 or better; passing scores on the ESOL; and permission from the Professional Development Coordinator. COREQ: ESC 611.
ESC 798: Student Teaching in TESOL.
One semester full-time college-supervised experience (or other Lehman College approved sequence), 3 credits. Student teaching in ESOL in elementary and secondary education settings or in adult education for pre-service teachers. Assigned in-class activities required. PREREQ: Completion of TESOL methods courses with a grade of B or better; an overall index of 3.0 or better; passing scores on the ATS-W and ESOL; and permission from the Professional Development Coordinator. COREQ: ESC 612.
Music

Department Chair: Diana M. Battipaglia, (Music Building, Room 309)

Deputy Chair: Alan Hollander (Music Building, Room 326)

Department Faculty: Distinguished Professor: John Corigliano; Professors: Diana Battipaglia, Marta Ghezzo, Jack Hyatt, Bernard Shockett; Associate Professors: Alan Hollander, Molly Morkoski, Janette Tilley; Assistant Professors: David Claman, Penny Prince; Lecturer: Allan Molnar; Senior College Lab Technician: Karl Watson; College Lab Technicians: Darina Bejtja, Robert Windbiel

M.A.T. Program in Applied Music and Music Teaching

The combined Master's Degree in Applied Music and Music Teaching offers students who have already earned a bachelor’s degree and developed a professional level of performance ability the opportunity to continue serious music in public school careers. Students are supervised in their fieldwork and student teaching by faculty members in the Department of Music. Counseling is provided by the Graduate Advisers or Coordinators of the Department of Music and/or the School of Education.

Admission Requirements

To be admitted to the program, candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Have earned a bachelor’s degree in music from an accredited institution.
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study. Above-average academic achievement in general and music courses is required.
- Demonstrate, by audition, a professional level of performance ability. Auditions may be arranged by calling the Music Department at 718-960-8247.
- Have taken the following undergraduate courses or their equivalents: Music Theory (12 credits); Form and Analysis (including symphony and concerto) (3 credits); and at least 12 credits in Music History. Deficiencies must be made up for no credit toward the M.A.T.
- Demonstrate, by examination, proficiency in music theory and history.
- If conditionally admitted, make up not more than 12 credits of specified undergraduate coursework, finishing in no more than three consecutive semesters.

Degree Requirements

The program requires a minimum of 39-42 credits, including 18 credits in Music and 21-24 credits in Education, as follows:

- In Music: With the approval of a graduate adviser, 18 credits will be chosen from the following: MSH 700 (3), MSH 750 (6), MST 710 (3), MST 712 (3), MST 750 (3); MSP 722 (1), MSP 723 (1), MSP 724 (1), MSP 750 (3).  
- In Education: 21-24 credits will be chosen from the following: ESC 501 (3), *ESC 506 (3) or *EDS 701 (3) or the equivalent, ESC 529 (3), **ESC 595 (2) with **ESC 611 (1) or **ESC 596 (3) with **ESC 612 (3), ESC 733 (3), ESC 785 (3), EDE 755 (3).

* For students admitted in or after Fall 2011

** Effective Spring 2013

Courses in Music

MSP 720: Performance I.
4 hours, 3 credits. Intensive private instruction in principle instrument or in voice. Participation in at least one department ensemble as assigned. Public performance required. PREREQ: Audition demonstrating a professional level.

MSP 721: Performance II.
4 hours, 3 credits. Continued intensified private instruction in the student’s principal instrument or in voice. Participation in at least one department ensemble as assigned. Public performance required. PREREQ: MSP 720.

MSP 722: Vocal Pedagogy.
2 hours, 1 credit. The pedagogy, pathology of the voice. PREREQ: Admission to the M.A.T. program.

MSP 723: Secondary Instrument Laboratory Ensemble I.
2 hours, 1 credits. Study of secondary instruments in an elementary-level performing ensemble. Development of basic teaching, conducting, and composing skills relating to all standard instruments. All students will be required to conduct and coach as well as perform on secondary instruments. PREREQ: Admission to the M.A.T. program.

MSP 724: Secondary Instrument Laboratory-Ensemble II.
2 hours, 1 credits. This course will build on skills developed in MSP 723. PREREQ: MSP 723.

MSP 750: Special Topics in Music Performance.
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Topics vary from semester to semester. PREREQ: Consent of Department.

MSH 700: Performance Practice from the Baroque to the Present.
3 hours, 3 credits. A study of the historically correct methods of performing music from the Baroque, Classical, Romantic, and Contemporary periods. PREREQ: Professional-level performance ability and 12 hours of music history covering the four musical periods, from 1600 to the present.

MSH 750: Special Topics in Music History.
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Topics vary from semester to semester. PREREQ: Consent of Department.

MST 710: Advanced Musical Analysis.
3 hours, 3 credits. PREREQ: 12 credits of music theory and a 3-credit form-and-analysis course covering standard large forms, including symphony and concerto.

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MST 711: Composition.
3 hours, 3 credits. Supervised composition of original scores for both instruments and vocal combinations. PREREQ: 12 credits of music theory and a 3 credit form-and-analysis covering standard large forms, including symphony and concerto.

3 hours, 3 credits. The study of state-of-the-art electronic equipment and techniques used in both commercial and concert music. PREREQ: Admission to the M.A.T. program.

MST 730: Introduction to Music Therapy.
3 hours, 3 credits. Music as a therapeutic medium to meet communicative, cognitive, emotional, sensory-motor, perceptual-motor, and psychological needs in children, adolescents, and adults. The impact of music on behavior in special education, in rehabilitation programs, and for general health and wellness. Combines lectures with experiential activities.

MST 750: Special Topics in Music Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits (maximum 6 credits). Topics vary from semester to semester. PREREQ: Consent of department.
Nursing

Chair: Catherine Alicia Georges (Building T-3, Room 209)
Director of Graduate Studies:  Eleanor Campbell

Department Faculty: Distinguished Lecturer: Barbara DiCicco-Bloom; Professors: Keville Frederickson, C. Alicia Georges; Associate Professors: Linda Scheetz, Martha Velasco-Whetsell; Assistant Professors: Eleanor Campbell, Brigette Cypress, Cassandra Dobson, Alsacia Pacci, Ivreen Robinson, Scott Saccamano, Mary G. Tesoro; Lecturers: Alice Akan, Shirlee Cohen, Theresa Lundy

The Department of Nursing offers graduate programs in Advanced Nursing, Parent-Child Nursing, Adult Health Nursing, Nursing of Older Adults, Pediatric Nurse Practitioner and Family Nurse Practitioner as well as Post-Masters certificates in Nurse Education, Nurse Administration, Pediatrics and Family Nurse Practitioner. Creative and individualized programs of study are used to meet academic requirements and career objectives of graduate Nursing students. Students elect one functional area: nurse administrator, nurse educator, clinical specialist, or the practitioner (pediatrics and family). The programs lead to a Master of Science degree and prepare nurses for advanced practice with a variety of clients in community and health settings. Graduate Nursing students attend classes and seminars on Lehman’s campus in the Northwest Bronx. They also have access to selected graduate offerings in other units of the City University. Clinical experience is provided in a variety of settings throughout the metropolitan and tristate area. These include hospitals, community and mental health centers, and other facilities where health care is provided. The graduate nursing program is fully accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.

M.S. Program in Nursing

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor’s degree with a major in nursing from a CCNE/NLNAC accredited college or university.*
- Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in Nursing and also a minimum grade average of B in the undergraduate record as a whole.
- Registered nurse license in New York State.
- Names and addresses of two persons who can attest to the applicant’s scholastic or professional performance. One reference must be from a former instructor or academic adviser and the second from a recent employer or supervisor.
- Interview with a member of the graduate curriculum committee.
- Successfully complete the Department’s Graduate English Proficiency Exam.
- Submit a one-page essay outlining career objectives related to the Master of Science degree in Nursing.
- All students must complete a graduate level statistics course and earn a grade of B, 3.0 or better prior to matriculation. All students must complete the 45-credit curriculum with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better.

* Registered nurses with a bachelor’s degree who majored in other areas should consult the Department.

Curriculum Plan for 43-Credit Master of Science in Parent-Child Nursing, Adult Health Nursing, and Nursing of Older Adults

For Full-Time Students

First Year
Fall (10 credits): NUR 600 (4), **NUR 720 (3), **NUR 721 (3), NUR 732 (6) (Parent-Child), or NUR 738 (6) (Adult), or NUR 752 (6) (Older Adult).
Spring (6 credits): **NUR 723 (3), **NUR 726 (3), NUR 748 (3), or NUR 756 (3), or Cognate Course (3), NUR 733 (6) (Parent-Child), or 739 (6) (Adult), or NUR 752 (6) (Older Adult).

Second Year
Fall (10 credits): NUR 733 (6), NUR 739 (6), or NUR 752 (6).
Spring (6 credits): NUR 732 (6), NUR 738 (6), or NUR 751 (6).

Third Year
Fall (6 credits): NUR 749 (6).
Spring (6 credits): **NUR 726 (3), Elective (3).

Fourth Year
Fall (3 credits): **NUR 787 (3).
Students may attend full- or part-time and have up to five years after matriculation to complete the program.
**Core Courses

Master of Science in Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Curriculum

NUR 720: Concepts and Theories for Advanced Nursing Practice (3 credits)
NUR 721: Essentials of Clinical Research. (3 credits)
NUR 723: Strategies of Advanced Practice. (3 credits)
NUR 726: Health Planning and Policy: Leadership Issues. (3 credits)
NUR 766: Advanced Pathophysiology. (3 credits)
NUR 767: Advanced Pharmacology of Infants and Children. (3 credits)
NUR 769: Family Development Theory. (3 credits)
NUR 770: Advanced Clinical Practice I. (6 credits)
NUR 771: Advanced Clinical Practice II. (6 credits)
NUR 772: Advanced Clinical Practice III. (6 credits)
NUR 773: Advanced Health Assessment. (3 credits)
NUR 787: Advanced Professional Seminar. (3 credits)

Post-Masters Certificate in Pediatric Nurse Practitioner

Admission Requirements
• A master's degree in Nursing from an accredited college or university.
• Two (2) letters of recommendation.
• An interview with the director of the graduate program or his/her designee.

Family Nurse Practitioner

Admission Requirements*
• Bachelor's degree with a major in nursing from a CCN/NLNAC accredited college or university.*
• Demonstrate the ability to successfully pursue graduate study, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B in Nursing and also a minimum grade average of B in the undergraduate record as a whole.
• Registered nurse license in New York State.
• Names and addresses of two persons who can attest to the applicant's scholastic or professional performance. One reference must be from a former instructor or academic adviser and the second from a recent employer or supervisor.
• Interview with a member of the graduate curriculum committee.
• Successfully complete the Department’s Graduate English Proficiency Exam.
• Submit a one-page essay outlining career objectives related to the Master of Science degree in Nursing.

* Registered nurses with a bachelor's degree who majored in other areas should consult the Department.

Curriculum for M.S. in Family Nurse Practitioner Program (45 credits)

Basic Core Courses in Graduate Nursing Programs—Required for all the master’s degree programs in nursing.

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Curriculum

M.S./FNP Curriculum for Full-Time Study:

Fall Semester (12 credits): NUR 720, NUR 721, NUR 766, NUR 773

Spring Semester (12 credits): NUR 723, NUR 767, NUR 774

Fall Semester II (12 credits): NUR 726, NUR 769, NUR 775

Spring Semester II (9 credits): NUR 776, NUR 787

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M.S./FNP Curriculum for Part-Time Study:

Fall Semester (6 credits): NUR 720, NUR 721
Spring Semester (6 credits): NUR 766, NUR 767
Fall Semester II (6 credits): NUR 769, NUR 773
Spring Semester II (9 credits): NUR 723, NUR 774
Fall Semester III (9 credits): NUR 726, NUR 775
Spring Semester III (9 credits): NUR 776, NUR 787

Additional clinical hours as needed to meet regulatory requirements.

Post-Masters Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner

Admission Requirements
- A master's degree in Nursing from an accredited college or university.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation.
- An interview with the director of the graduate program or his/her designee.

Students must consult with an adviser in the Nursing Program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with an adviser. All students must complete the 30-credit curriculum with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better.

Curriculum

The Certificate in Family Nurse Practitioner program consists of a sequence of seven courses for a total of 30 credits as listed below:

Fall Semester (9 credits): NUR 766, NUR 767, NUR 773

Spring Semester (9 credits): NUR 769, NUR 774
Fall Semester II (6 credits): NUR 775
Spring Semester II (6 credits): NUR 776

Certificate in Nursing Administration

Admission Requirements
- A master's degree in Nursing from an accredited college or university.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation.
- An interview with the director of the graduate program or his/her designee.

Students must consult with an adviser in the Nursing Program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with an adviser. All students must complete the 15-credit curriculum with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better.

Curriculum

The Certificate in Nursing Administration program consists of a sequence of four courses for a total of 15 credits as listed below:

- NUR 748: Nursing Administration of Health Care Systems. 3 hours, 3 credits.
- NUR 749: Nursing Practice: Synthesis and Application. 2 hours, lecture; 8 hours, lab, 6 credits.
- NUR 730: Nursing Informatics. 3 hours, 3 credits.
- NUR 731: Total Quality Management (TQM). 3 hours, 3 credits.

Certificate in Nursing Education

Admission Requirements
- A master's degree in Nursing from an accredited college or university.
- Two (2) letters of recommendation.
- An interview with the director of the graduate program or his/her designee.

Students must consult with an adviser in the Nursing Program before starting their certificate program. During their first semester, matriculated students are required to plan their program with an adviser. All students must complete the 12-credit curriculum with a cumulative index of 3.0 or better.

Curriculum

The Certificate in Nursing Education program consists of a sequence of three courses for a total of 12 credits as listed below:

- NUR 756: The Nurse's Role in Professional Development. 3 hours, 3 credits.
- NUR 749: Nursing Practice: Synthesis and Application. 2 hours, lecture; 8 hours, lab, 6 credits.
- NUR 730: Nursing Informatics. 3 hours, 3 credits.

Courses in Nursing

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

NUR 561: Gender Issues and Stress. 3 hours, 3 credits. The women's movement has produced a variety of social and personal changes for both men and women. This course will review stress theories and their application to some of the developing and current stressors for women and their partners. Consideration given to dual roles, superwoman syndrome, and differing spousal expectations as well as to stress-reduction techniques, such as self-awareness, stress management, and coping strategies.

NUR 600: Biostatistics in Health Research. 3 hours, plus conference, 4 credits. Application of statistical techniques in the analysis of health data. Emphasis on interpretation of basic descriptive and inferential statistics in health research. Includes an introduction to computer software used in the statistical analysis of health data.
NUR 700: Transitional Issues in Nursing.
10 hours (3, lecture; 7, clinical lab), 6 credits. (Open only to non-nursing baccalaureate graduates with R.N. licensure and permission of Director of Graduate Studies.) This course focuses on the nursing process in the design and delivery of nursing care to clients/families within community settings. The matrices or organizing frameworks of professional nursing practice and the theoretical basis of the nursing process will be explored. Students will be introduced to the conceptual framework of the Department of Nursing as an organizing framework for practice. Various roles of the professional nurse will be analyzed. Clinical practice included.

NUR 720: Concepts and Theories for Advanced Nursing Practice.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course provides a base for graduate Nursing students by analyzing selected conceptual frameworks and theories. By utilizing these concepts and building on knowledge of the nursing process, the student explores a view of human beings, health, and health care. Emphasis on development of those concepts that have particular relevance for research and nursing practice. PREREQ: Successful completion of the Department’s Graduate English Proficiency Exam.

NUR 721: Essentials of Clinical Research.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course focuses on inquiry through research. Students will critique research reports and apply the research process as they develop their own proposal. PREREQ: NUR 720, NUR 600, or a graduate-level statistics course.

NUR 723: Strategies for Advanced Nursing Practice.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course introduces theoretical frameworks for advanced practice modalities such as consultation, education, management, collaboration, and independent practice. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 720.

3 hours, 3 credits. An identification and critical analysis of the major issues in leadership, health planning, and policy making that confront members of the healthcare discipline. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 720, 721, and a minimum of one course in the advanced Nursing clinical specialization.

NUR 730: Nursing Informatics.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course focuses on computer technology and its role in the present day nursing practice, applications of computer technology to advance nursing practice and research, and analysis and interpretation of nursing and health related databases.

NUR 731: Total Quality Management (TQM).
3 hours, 3 credits. Major concepts of total quality management/continuous quality improvement, including process of change, effective teams, and rapid improvement.

NUR 732: Parent-Child Nursing I.
15 hours (3, lecture; 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the first course in a two-semester sequence focusing on advanced practice in Health Care of Parents and Children. The course will emphasize concept analysis and critical evaluation of nursing theory in clinical applications. Assessment, diagnosis, and intervention will occur with a variety of clients. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 720, NUR 600, NUR 721.

NUR 733: Parent-Child Nursing II.
15 hours (3, lecture; 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the second course in a two-semester sequence that focuses on advanced practice in Health Care of Parents and Children. The emphasis of this course is on intervention with parents, children, and community groups in meeting their healthcare needs. PREREQ: NUR 732.

NUR 738: Adult Health Nursing I.
15 hours (3 lecture, 12 clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the first course in a two-semester sequence focusing on advanced practice in Adult Health Nursing. The course emphasizes analysis of selected concepts of adult health and critical evaluation of nursing theory in clinical applications. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 720, NUR 600, NUR 721.

NUR 739: Adult Health Nursing II.
15 hours (3 lecture, 12 clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the second course in a two-semester sequence that focuses on advanced practice in Adult Health Nursing. The emphasis of this course is on interventions with adults with actual and potential health problems. PREREQ: NUR 738.

NUR 748: Nursing Administration of Healthcare Systems.
3 hours, 3 credits. Cognate course required for nurse administrator role. This course is designed to introduce basic principles and methodologies of organizational management. Topics include organizational structure and management, human resource management, marketing, and budgeting, and quality assurance. Learners are expected to develop familiarity with essential management issues, e.g., organizational structure, management of resources, and quality control.

NUR 749:1: Nursing Practice Synthesis and Application, Section 01, Advanced Nurse Practice Role.
15 hours (3, lecture; 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. Clinical and didactic aspects of this course that prepare the student for advanced nursing practice. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 766 or 767 for Section 01 is related to the area of advanced practice nursing.

NUR 749:2: Nursing Practice Synthesis and Application, Section 02, Nurse Administrator Role.
15 hours (3, lecture; 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. Clinical and didactic aspects of this course prepare the student for a nurse administrator role. COREQ: NUR 748.

NUR 749:3: Nursing Practice Synthesis and Application, Section 03, Nurse Educator Role.
15 hours (3, lecture; 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. There are clinical and didactic aspects of this course that prepare the student for the Nurse Educator Role. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 756.
NUR 751: Nursing of Older Adults I.
15 hours (3, lecture: 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the first course in a two-semester course sequence focusing on advanced practice in Nursing of Older Adults. Emphasis is on the interaction between clients and caregivers in their social environment. PRE- or COREQ: NUR 720, NUR 600, NUR 721.

NUR 752: Nursing of Older Adults II.
15 hours (3, lecture: 12, clinical lab), 6 credits. This is the second course in a two-semester sequence focusing on advanced practice in Nursing of Older Adults. Nursing process is used to assess health changes and to design, implement, and evaluate interventions. Emphasis is on the management of elderly clients experiencing acute and chronic health conditions. PREREQ: NUR 751.

3 hours, 3 credits. (May be repeated once with permission of the instructor.) This course is designed to provide the student with an opportunity to develop and implement a research study with faculty guidance. PREREQ: NUR 721.

NUR 754: Cultural Perspectives in Healthcare.
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to anthropological concepts related to health and disease, including culturally diverse beliefs about disease etiology and treatment modalities. Emphasis on urban communities; includes a "mini-field experience," during which students will observe client-practitioner behaviors in clinical nursing settings in metropolitan New York. PREREQ: Graduate students, none; undergraduate students, ANT 341.

*NUR 755: Cultural Perspectives in Natality.
3 hours, 3 credits. The ideology of natality includes perceptions and values about sexuality, childbirth, contraception, and abortion. Natality can be used as a prism through which to view the social and economic history of women in modern America. Changing ideas about childhood, the home and domesticity, women’s place in education and in the world of work have all influenced and been influenced by concepts of natality. PREREQ: Graduate students, none; undergraduate students, ANT 341.

NUR 756: The Nurse’s Role in Professional Development.
3 hours, 3 credits. Cognate course required for nurse educator role. A course designed to provide an overview of the process of the dissemination of knowledge pertinent to nursing practice. Designed for nurses who are interested in providing continuing education programs, staff development offerings, or in preparing nursing students for clinical practice. Theories of adult learning, course development, preparation of objectives, teaching strategies, and evaluation methods are addressed.

1-6 hours, 1-6 credits. This course is designed to provide the student with an opportunity to develop selected areas of knowledge and expertise in nursing. Specific objectives and description of projects will be developed by students with faculty approval.

NUR 760: Topics in Nursing.
3 hours, 3 credits. (May be re-elected once if the topic changes.) The course provides various sections on topics in nursing. For specific topics and sections, consult the Department. PREREQ: Permission of the instructor.

NUR 765: Advanced Health Assessment.
3 hours, 3 credits. Advanced knowledge and classroom practice in physiological and psychosocial assessment skills. PREREQ: Admission to Nurse Anesthesia program (not currently being offered.) COREQ: NUR 766.

NUR 766: Advanced Pathophysiology.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course will examine abnormal biological processes that result in health deviations. Students will select modules specific to their chosen areas of practice. PREREQ: Admission to graduate program in Nursing.

NUR 767: Advanced Pharmacology.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course provides an in-depth understanding of pharmacology across all physiological systems. Mechanism of general drug actions provide a framework for discussion of content-specific drugs. Includes 3 hours of required laws and prescription writing. PREREQ: NUR 766.

NUR 768: Human Science in Nursing.
3 hours, 3 credits. Consideration of selected concepts from human science as they relate to the art and science of nursing. Emphasis is on exploration of the historical evolution of human science in nursing and the potential inherent in that now-accelerated evolution. Implications for nursing practice, education, and research are included. PREREQ: Admission to graduate program in Nursing.

NUR 769: Family Developmental Theory.
3 hours, 3 credits. Concepts common in family theory will be addressed from the perspective of the family as an adaptive system. The goal is to understand what will enhance individual and family functioning. Theoretical models that serve as the foundation for family interventions and family therapy are emphasized. PREREQ: NUR 720.

NUR 770: Advanced Practice I.
220 hours per semester (45 hours, lecture; 185 hours, clinical lab), 6 credits. This clinical course focuses on health assessment of infants, children, and adolescents. Clinical laboratory emphasizes primary health care maintenance and assessment skills for advanced practice nursing. PRE- and COREQ: NUR 766 and 767.

NUR 771: Advanced Nursing Practice II.
230 hours per semester (45 hours, lecture; 185 hours, clinical lab), 6 credits. This clinical course focuses on the management of primary healthcare of infants, children, and adolescents. Clinical laboratory focuses on management of common acute health problems, utilizing advanced practice nursing skills. PREREQ: NUR 770.

NUR 772: Advanced Nursing Practice III.
235 hours per semester (45 hours, lecture; 190 hours, clinical lab), 6 credits. This clinical course will focus on the management of infants, children, and adolescents with chronic conditions and special health needs. Legal, ethical, and health policy issues related to the role of the pediatric nurse practitioner are emphasized. PREREQ: NUR 771.
NUR 773: Advanced Health Assessment.  
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. Theories and methods of comprehensive assessment of clients across the life span, including physical, psychosocial, and pathophysiological signs and symptoms; refinement of ability to utilize sophisticated techniques to assess, identify, and differentiate deviations from normal; incorporate cultural and developmental variations and needs of client.

NUR 774 Advanced Family Nursing Practice I - Using a nursing science framework  
3 lecture, 12 clinical laboratory hours /week; 6 credits. Within a nursing science and family/community systems framework, the focus of this course is upon delivery of primary care to culturally diverse families during the childbearing years. Development from conception through young adulthood will be viewed from the perspective of urban family life. Concepts from epidemiology, community health, nursing and family theories will be incorporated throughout. Clinical experiences, will provide opportunities for students to promote health and prevent illness; diagnose, treat, and manage children’s health. Implementation of clinical decision making, interventions and health care protocols emphasizing early detection, control and/or resolution of the acute phase of children’ health problems in a variety of ambulatory care settings To provide knowledge and application of theory and skills of primary care of children’s levels of health required for the family nurse practitioner as a primary health care provider. Case studies and seminars will supplement the didactic instruction. PREREQ: NUR 773: Advanced Health Assessment, NUR 767: Advanced Pharmacology, NUR 766: Advanced Pathophysiology.

NUR 775 Advanced Family Nursing Practice II - Using a nursing science framework  
6 credits, 30 hours lecture, 200 hours clinical practice. Within a nursing science and family/community systems framework, discussions and clinical experiences, covering treatment and symptom management of adults and older adults’ health promotion, maintenance, and prevention of illness. Implementation of clinical decision making, interventions and health care protocols, emphasizing early detection, control and/or resolution of the acute phase of adults and older adults' health problems in a variety of ambulatory and acute care settings. PREREQ: NUR 774: Advanced Family Nursing Practice I.

NUR 776 Advanced Family Nursing Practice III - Using a nursing science framework  
6 credits, 30 hours lecture, 200 hours clinical practice. Within a nursing science and family/community systems framework, discussions and clinical experiences, covering treatment and symptom management of all family member’s acute, chronic and/or rehabilitation health care requirements. Implementation of clinical decision making, interventions and health care protocols, emphasizing care management strategies of children/adults/older adults within the context of the family nurse practitioner’s role. PREREQ: NUR 775: Advanced Family Nursing Practice II.

*NUR 780: Pharmacology of Anesthesia.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Clinical application of pharmacology to anesthesia, with emphasis on the application of pharmacologic principles of anesthetic and resuscitative processes essential to safe anesthesia nursing practice. PREREQ: NUR 767.

*NUR 781: Professional Aspects of Nurse Anesthesia.  
3 hours, 3 credits. This course provides an understanding of the regulatory agencies and their guidelines for the practice of nurse anesthesia. The ethical, professional, and legal aspects of nurse anesthesia are explored. PREREQ: Consent of instructor.

*NUR 782: Principles of Anesthesia I.  
3 hours, 3 credits. A study of the mathematical, chemical, physical, and pharmacokinetic principles as they apply to anesthesiology nursing practice. PREREQ: NUR 765 and 766 and consent of the instructor.

*NUR 783: Principles of Anesthesia II.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Continuation of *NUR 782, with a focus on scientific bases of anesthesiology nursing practice derived from biochemistry, cell physiology, biologic hazards, mechanisms of anesthesia, and principles of safe practice. Laboratory experiences at various clinical sites included. PREREQ: *NUR 782.

*NUR 784: Principles of Anesthesia III.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Integrates physiologic, pathophysiologic, and pharmacologic concepts with anesthesia management. Provides foundation for decision making in planning and implementing anesthesia care individualized to meet specific client needs. PREREQ: *NUR 783.

*NUR 785: Principles of Anesthesia IV.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Continuation of principles of anesthesia (I-III) with emphasis on endocrine, renal, and gastrointestinal systems. Principles of anesthesia for the obstetric, pediatric, and geriatric patients. PREREQ: *NUR 784.

*NUR 786: Principles of Anesthesia V.  
3 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis on complex clients having emergency surgery resulting from trauma, burns, or drug abuse. Includes anesthesia for patient with cancer, patient undergoing hypotensive anesthesia technique, plastic surgery, otolaryngological surgery, cardiac surgery, and ambulatory surgery. PREREQ: *NUR 785.

NUR 787: Advanced Professional Seminar.  
3 hours, 3 credits. This course provides the experience for graduate Nursing students to complete and present their clinical research project, including formal presentation (oral and written)of the results.

*NUR 799: Master's Project Seminar.  
1 hour, 1 credit. The master’s project seminar guides students to develop a proposal for their final project and to ready it for implementation. The final projects are based on specific areas of interest that have been identified in previous graduate courses and are congruent with master’s project objectives. PREREQ: At least the first advanced nursing specialization course (NUR 732, 738, or 751); PRE- or COREQ: NUR 721.
Physics and Astronomy

Chair and Adviser: Dimitra Karabali (Gillet Hall, Room 131A)
Department Faculty: Distinguished Professor: Eugene Chudnovsky; Professors: Christopher C. Gerry, Dimitra Karabali; Associate Professors: Dmitry Garanin, Daniel Kabat; Assistant Professor: Matthew O’Dowd; Chief College Laboratory Technician: Elpidio Jiménez

The Department of Physics and Astronomy offers courses designed to meet the needs of students in the programs for secondary-school teachers of natural science.

Courses in Physics and Astronomy

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

PHY 601: Advanced General Physics.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Intended primarily for graduate students in the teaching of science and mathematics.) A mature synthesis of basic concepts in classical and modern physics. PREREQ: One year of college physics.

PHY 602: Modern Physics.
5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. (Intended primarily for high school science and mathematics teachers, but open to other qualified graduate students.) Study of various aspects of the physics of the twentieth (and twenty-first) century. Emphasis will be on the theory of relativity and on quantum physics, including applications to technology. Relevant laboratory exercises will be performed. PREREQ: Two semesters of general physics and one semester of calculus.

PHY 603: Selected Topics in Physics for Biology Students.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Intended primarily for graduate students in the teaching of biology and general science.) Particular emphasis will be placed on the discussion and demonstration of those basic phenomena and laws especially useful to teachers of biology and general science. PREREQ: One year of college physics.

PHY 605: Physics for Teachers.
4 credits, 5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab). Fundamental physics concepts and related pedagogical practices. General principles, including symmetry and topology, dimensionality and phase space, determinism and chaos, quantum uncertainty and relativity, that underlie physical phenomena. Historical perspectives on physical sciences and their impact on society.

5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. (Intended primarily for high school science and mathematics teachers, but open to other qualified graduate students.) Nature, origins, and evolution of the sun, planets, and components of the solar system. Laboratory experiments and observations are integrated with lectures. A research paper is required. PREREQ: One year of college physics (or permission of the instructor).

AST 602: Stellar Astronomy.
5 hours (3, lecture; 2, lab), 4 credits. (Intended primarily for high school science and mathematics teachers, but open to other qualified graduate students.) Stars, interstellar matter, and stellar systems. Pulsars and laws of motion and gravitation. Techniques of astronomical observation. Basic concepts of astrophysics. Stellar evolution; special systems, including pulsars, black holes, and galaxies. Basic cosmology. Laboratory experiments and observations are integrated with lectures. A research paper is required. PREREQ: One year of college physics (or permission of the instructor).
Political Science

Chair: Elhum Haghighat (Carman Hall, Room 358)
Department Faculty: Professors: Ira Bloom, Stanley A. Renshon; Associate Professors: Elhum Haghighat, Young Kun Kim, Donna Kirchheimer; Assistant Professors: Alfonso Gonzales, Jeannette Graulau, Tomohisa Hattori, Chiseche Mibenge

The graduate courses in Political Science are designed to enrich the background of teachers of social studies and the humanities. These courses will develop an understanding of the democratic process, the U.S. political system, and global political change.

Courses in Political Science

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*POL 501: The United States in World Affairs.
3 hours, 3 credits. This course will analyze the most important political, military, and economic problems in the international competition for power and order, alliances, the East-West struggle, and the balance of power; war; nationalism and colonialism; diplomacy; the United Nations; regionalism; and problems of foreign aid and international trade.

3 hours, 3 credits. Selected problems: federalism, civil liberties, parties and pressure groups, Congress, the Presidency, and the Supreme Court.

*POL 503: Introduction to the Theory of Socialism and Communism.
3 hours, 3 credits. Selected problems in the origin and development of theory in the tradition of Marx, Engels, Lenin, and other socialist thinkers.

POL 504: Constitutional Law.
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to the study of the U.S. Constitution and key Supreme Court decisions bearing on equality, procedural law, federalism, the separation of powers, rights and liberties.

3 hours, 3 credits. Comparison and contrast of contemporary constitutional democracies, such as the U.S, the United Kingdom, France, and the German Federal Republic, with the focus on the sources of political stability and instability.

POL 610: Western Political Thought.
3 hours, 3 credits. The basic ideas and systems of western political thought from Plato through Marx.

POL 630: Contemporary Comparative Government.
3 hours, 3 credits. Government structures, ideological foundations, and the functioning of political institutions in selected European states.

3 hours, 3 credits. The government of modern cities, including New York City, its role in the metropolitan area, and its relationship to the local and national government. The impact of economic and social forces on the political process.

POL 660: International Politics.
3 hours, 3 credits. The basic factors in international politics and the struggle for power and order in world politics.

POL 703: Schools, Communities, and the Politics of American Public Education.
3 hours, 3 credits. The analysis of social and political influences on education policy and institutions. The impact of interaction among local, state, and national governments and interest groups upon education policy. PREREQ: POL 166 or equivalent.
Psychology

Chair and Adviser: Alan Kluger (Gillet Hall, Room 113)
Department Faculty: Professors: Alan Kluger, Fred D. Phelps;
Associate Professors: Jean Bresnahan, Gisela Jia, Humberto Lizardi,
David Manier, John McDonald, Vincent Prohaska, Kevin Sailor,
Suzanne Yates; Assistant Professors: Mia Budescu, Keith Happaney,
Anna Luerssen, Wingyun Mak, Ruby S.C. Phillips.

The Department of Psychology offers courses for students in the
master’s programs for elementary and secondary-school teachers.

Courses in Psychology

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.

*PSY 531: Psychology of the Physically Handicapped.
3 hours, 3 credits. Personality characteristics and problems arising
among various types of the physically handicapped, such as the
blind, the partially sighted, the deaf, the hard-of-hearing, the
crippled, cardiacs, speech deviates, those of lowered vitality, and
the cerebral palsied as well as those having multiple handicaps.
Attention will be given to educational and social problems, mental
tests, and the mental hygiene of the atypical, not only in the home
environment but also in hospitals, convalescent homes,
rehabilitation centers, and schools. PREREQ: General psychology.

*PSY 541: The Psychology of Adolescence.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of psychological development in
adolescence. Needs, interests, emotions, and attitudes; individual
differences in growth and development patterns. Current research
findings reviewed and applied to the problems of secondary-
school teaching. PREREQ: General psychology and 3 additional
credits in psychology.

*PSY 605: Abnormal Psychology-Advanced Course.
3 hours, 3 credits. Facts and theories about the etiology of mental
disorders. Consideration of deviations commonly found in the
school population, such as mental retardation and delinquency.
PREREQ: Undergraduate abnormal psychology or psychology of
personality.

*PSY 676: Psychology of Personality.
3 hours, 3 credits. An overview of various approaches to the
understanding of personality. Consideration of the major theories
of personality development. PREREQ: General psychology.

*PSY 720: Developmental Psychology I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and research on behavioral development
throughout the life span. Physical, mental, emotional, social, and
sexual aspects of psychological development from infancy to old
age. PREREQ: General psychology.
Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences

Acting Chair: Stephen Cavallo (Speech Bldg., Room 227)
Graduate Program Director: Liat Seiger-Gardner (Speech Bldg., Room 216)
Department Faculty: Professors: Mira Goral, John L. Locke; Associate Professors: Stephen A. Cavallo, Sandra Levey, Liat Seiger-Gardner, Joyce F. West; Assistant Professors: Cheryl Smith Gabig, Ryan Pollard; Lecturers: Jacqueline Aquilino-Jirak, Diana Almodovar-Salinas, Mary Boylan, Lynn Rosenberg, Christine Rota-Donahue. Clinical Director: Carolyn McCarthy

The Department of Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences offers a graduate program leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Speech-Language Pathology. Registration in all courses requires Departmental permission. Upon admission to the program, students must see the Graduate Coordinator, who will assign an area adviser to guide the student’s course of study.

M.A. Program in Speech-Language Pathology

The M.A. Program in Speech-Language Pathology, through coursework and clinical practicum, fulfills the requirements for the academic portion of the Certificate of Clinical Competence awarded by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

Admission Requirements

• A bachelor’s degree (or its equivalent) from an accredited college or university.
• Demonstrate the potential to successfully pursue graduate study, that is, have attained a minimum undergraduate grade average of B+ in the field selected for the graduate major and a minimum grade average of B+ in the undergraduate record as a whole.
• Students accepted for matriculation in the M.A. Program in Speech-Language Pathology must have completed the Lehman College undergraduate major in Speech Language and Hearing Sciences, or its equivalent at another institution. Students who have completed an undergraduate degree in a different major must complete 27 credits of core prerequisite course work: SPV 221, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 326, 327, 328 or the equivalent, to be eligible for admission into the M.A.
• Two letters of recommendation.
• Potential students must have a personal interview as well as complete a spontaneous writing sample during their department visit. The American Speech-Language-Hearing Association requires that students possess skills in oral and written or other forms of communication sufficient for entry into professional practice.
• Submission of Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores taken within five years.

Degree Requirements

To fulfill the requirements for the Certificate of Clinical Competence awarded by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, students must complete a curriculum consisting of 60 credits with a minimum of 400 hours of clinical practicum. Students will complete 20 hours of Audiology practicum in order to meet current New York State licensing requirements.

Curriculum in Speech-Language Pathology (60 credits)

Basic Science and Related Courses (9 credits): SPE 705 (3), SPE 700 (3), and SPE 717 (3).
Professional Courses (51 credits): SPE 701 (1), SPE 718 (3), SPE 719 (3), SPE 721 (3), SPE 722 (3), SPE 723 (3), SPE 724 (1), SPE 725 (3), SPE 726 (3), SPE 727 (3), SPE 729 (2 semesters, 3 credits each), SPE 730 (2 semesters, 2 credits each), and SPE 734 (2 semesters, 3 credits each), SPE 736 (3), SPE 739 (3), and one elective (3).

Coursework:
SPE 700: Introduction to Research Methods (3 credits)
SPE 701: Professional Issues (1 credit)
SPE 705: Speech Science (3 credits)
SPE 717: Advanced Anatomy, Physiology, and Neurology of Speech (3 credits)
SPE 718: Phonology and Articulation (3 credits)
SPE 719: Audiology for the Speech-Language Pathologist (3 credits)
SPE 721: Early Childhood Language Disorders (3 credits)
SPE 722: Language Disorders in School-Age Children and Adolescents (3 credits)
SPE 723: The Nature, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Fluency Disorders (3 credits)
SPE 724: Clinical Practicum in Audiology (1 credit)
SPE 725: Diagnostic Techniques in Speech-Language Pathology (3 credits)
SPE 726: Aphasia and Related Disorders (3 credits)
SPE 727: Voice Disorders (3 credits)
SPE 729: Clinical Practicum and Seminar in Speech-Language Pathology (3 credits)
SPE 730: Clinical and Classroom Externship in Speech-Language Pathology (2 credits)
SPE 734: Diagnostic Practicum (3 credits)
SPE 736: Motor Speech Disorders (3 credits)*
SPE 739: Dysphagia (3 credits)
*SPE 736 is a required course for students entering the program in January 2010 or later.

One 3-credit elective course:
A minimum of one elective course: SPE 748: Augmentative & Alternative Communication (3 credits), or SPE 735: Seminar in Speech-Language Pathology (3 credits), or SPE 796: Special Problems.

Bilingual Extension

Students who complete the degree requirements for the M.A. in Speech-Language Pathology and are interested in obtaining a
bilingual extension to the teaching certificate should contact the Department of Middle and High School Education.

**Department Grade Requirements/Progression Criteria**

To avoid academic probation, students must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 throughout their program. Students who achieve a GPA of 2.75 or lower in their first 12 credits cannot continue in the program, subject to appeal. A GPA of 3.0 or greater is required for enrollment in SPE 729 clinical practicum (two semesters) and for enrollment in SPE 730 (two semesters).

**Practica Prerequisites, Sequence, and Continuation Criteria**

- There are three prerequisite courses: (SPE 718, 721, 726), one PRE-REQ / CO-REQ course (SPE 725), and a pre-clinic orientation prior to the initial enrollment in SPE 729: Clinical Practicum and Seminar. Upon completion of 12 credits (with a GPA of 3.0 or greater), students must enroll in SPE 729: Clinical Practicum and Seminar.

- Prior to the initial enrollment in SPE 729, students are required to present signed and dated documentation of 25 clock hours of observation of clinical practice conducted and/or supervised by an A.S.H.A.-certified speech-language pathologist. Students are strongly encouraged to complete all four courses (SPE 718; 721; 725; and 726) prior to initial enrollment in SPE 729, although SPE 725 may be taken as a corequisite.

- Students who plan to enroll in the SPE 729 after-school (3-6 pm) clinics are required to take SPE 722: Language Disorders in School Age Children and Adolescents as a prerequisite or corequisite.

- Students enrolling in their first SPE 729 clinical practicum must attend a half-day clinic orientation session scheduled at the beginning of the semester of their first clinical practicum rotation.

- PREREQS for SPE 730: Clinical and Classroom Externship in Speech-Language Pathology include successful completion of two semesters of SPE 729 and one semester of SPE 734 and completion of coursework: SPE 717, 721, 722, 723, 725, 726.

**Clinical Training Sequence:**


- 3rd Semester Clinical Practicum: SPE 730 and 734 (OPTIONAL). PREREQ: Successful completion of two semesters of SPE 729 and at least one semester of SPE 734.

- 4th Semester Clinical Practicum: SPE 730 and 734 (OPTIONAL). PREREQ: Successful completion of two semesters of SPE 729 and at least one semester of SPE 734.

**Practica Grading**

No student will advance to a second clinical practicum (SPE 729), to a diagnostic practicum (SPE 734), or to a clinical and classroom externship (SPE 730) unless he/she earns a grade of B or better in the previous clinical practicum experience. If a student receives a practicum grade of B- or lower, he/she must re-enroll in the practicum course and earn a minimum grade of B. The student is permitted to enroll in only one additional graduate course during the semester in which he/she is retaking a practicum course.

**Courses in Speech-Language Pathology**

*Courses preceded by an asterisk are not expected to be offered in 2013-2015.*

**SPE 530: Organization of the Speech and Hearing Program in Elementary and Secondary Schools.**
3 hours, 3 credits. Problems of organizing and administering a program of rehabilitation in speech and language disabilities in public schools. PREREQ: SPV 326, 327, and 328, and Departmental permission.

**SPE 607: General Descriptive Phonetics.**
3 hours, 3 credits. Phonetic and phonemic analysis.

**SPE 620: Speech Pathology.**
3 hours, 3 credits. Organic, neurological, and psychological conditions underlying major language and speech disorders. Suggested therapeutic procedures.

**SPE 700: Introduction to Research Methods.**
3 hours, 3 credits. Critical, historical, and experimental methods used in speech-language-voice and audiology research.

**SPE 701: Seminar in Professional Affairs.**
1 hour, 1 credit. Professional issues surrounding the practice of speech-language pathology and audiology.

**SPE 702: The Nature of Speech, Language, and Communication Systems.**
3 hours, 3 credits.

**SPE 703: Language and Linguistics.**
3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to the scientific study of language with attention to the major component of linguistic theory: phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, pragmatics, psycholinguistics, and sociolinguistics. This course places emphasis on the multicultural and multilingual differences in the analysis and application of linguistic theory.

**SPE 704: Psychology of Speech.**
3 hours, 3 credits. The acquisition of speech and language; related normal and abnormal adverse behavior.

**SPE 705: Speech Science.**
3 hours, 3 credits. An introduction to speech perception and production; includes a review of basic acoustics and resonance models of the supralaryngeal vocal tract; an overview of select anatomical and physiologic principles relating to speech and voice production; and an introduction to acoustic and physiologic measurement of speech and voice. Students will be provided with direct experience in the clinical measurement of speech and voice.
*SPE 706: Experimental Phonetics. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of the experimental methods and literature used in research in voice and phonetics. PREREQ: SPE 705.

3 hours, 3 credits. An investigation of the origins and current status of the varieties of spoken English in the United States. PREREQ: *SPE 607 or Graduate Adviser’s permission.

*SPE 708: Comparative Phonetics. 
3 hours, 3 credits. The sound systems of selected modern languages compared with those of English. PREREQ: *SPE 607 or Graduate Adviser’s permission.

*SPE 710: Physiological and Psychological Acoustics. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Theoretical concepts and supporting data of processes of hearing.

*SPE 715: Semantics. 
3 hours, 3 credits. The study of meaning in communication; the evaluative processes underlying speech and language; the representation of information in languages; speech-language relationships; and a survey of semantic theories.

3 hours, 3 credits. An overview of the anatomical, physiological, embryological, and neurological bases of speech production across the lifespan; a detailed study of ventilatory, laryngeal, and supralaryngeal structure and function; discussion of physiologic and acoustic instrumentation for speech and voice measurement.

SPE 718: Phonology and Articulation. 
3 hours, 3 credits. The normal aspects of articulation and phonology, the factors associated with articulatory and phonological disorders, and the assessment and treatment of articulation and phonological disorders across the life span.


SPE 721: Early Childhood Language Disorders. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Assessment of, and intervention with, infants, toddlers, and pre-school-aged children with language disorders. Emphasis on multicultural and multilingualic differences, the role of families and caregivers, interdisciplinary views of children with language and communication challenges, and social-emotional and cognitive development related to early childhood language disorders. Focus on communicative processes, phonology, syntax, semantics, narrative skills, pragmatics, emergent literacy, and the environmental effects on language development. Assessment and intervention for children, including autism spectrum, mental retardation, and specific language impairment. PREREQ: None.

SPE 722: Language Disorders in School-Age Children and Adolescents. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Language disorders and the cognitive/linguistic processes involved in learning and in-class performance of listening, speaking, reading, and writing; emphasis on the similarities and differences between spoken and written language and the relationship between oral and written language disorders. PREREQ: SPE 721.

3 hours, 3 credits. Assessment and intervention with toddlers, preschool-aged children, school-aged children, and adults with fluency disorders. Current theories and research related to the onset and development of fluency disorders across the lifespan. Case studies related to the connection between theory and practice. Emphasis is placed on multicultural and multilingualic differences in assessment and intervention.

SPE 724: Clinical Practicum in Audiology. 
1.5 hours, 1 credit. Audiological assessment and management of children and adults with hearing loss appropriate for the speech-language pathologist. The practicum experience gives students the opportunity to screen for hearing difficulties, obtain case histories, select and administer appropriate tests, interpret findings and apply diagnoses, and perform administrative duties. COREQ: SPE 719.

SPE 725: Diagnostic Techniques in Speech-Language Pathology. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Theory and practice of tests and testing procedures designed to evaluate articulation, phonology, voice, language, and other communicative disorders in preschool children, school-aged children, adolescents, and adults. Includes assessment procedures to be used with clients from multilingual and multicultural backgrounds. PREREQ: Undergraduate major in speech pathology (or equivalent), or instructor's permission.

SPE 726: Aphasia and Related Disorders. 
3 hours, 3 credits. Symptoms, etiology, and management of acquired neurogenic language disorders in children and adults receiving services in educational and healthcare settings. Multicultural issues that may affect diagnosis and treatment are emphasized. Technology used in intervention will be discussed.

SPE 727: Voice Disorders. 
3 hours, 3 credits. A review of ventilatory, laryngeal, and supralaryngeal function during voice production; an overview of voice disorders, their classification, characteristics, prevention, diagnosis, and treatment; discussion of resonance-based voice disorders, alaryngeal speech and assistive speech alternatives for the laryngectomee; interpretation of basic physiologic and acoustic measures of voice and study of behavioral and/or medico-surgical intervention techniques. PREREQ: SPE 705 and SPE 717.

SPE 729: Clinical Practicum and Seminar in Speech-Language Pathology. 
5 clinical hours, 1 seminar hour, 3 credits.(May be taken up to three times). Supervised clinical practice in the diagnosis and treatment of speech-language disorders: taking of case histories, reviewing medical, clinical, and educational records, developing treatment plans, providing treatment services, preparing clinical documents, and counseling clients regarding their communication disorder. Seminar in theoretical, evidenced-based practices, and issues related to the clinical practice of speech-language pathology. PREREQ: SPE 718, 721, 726. PREREQ/COREQ: SPE 725.
4 hours, 2 credits. (May be re-elected for credit up to a maximum of 6 credits). Off-campus supervised field placements in clinical and classroom settings. Includes instructional and clinical planning and management, case conferencing, writing and documenting behavioral goals and objectives, and outcome assessments. Students enrolled in classroom practica will be required to obtain the certificates issued in child abuse and child violence by attending the seminars offered by the Division of Education. PREREQ: SPE 717, 721, 723, 725, 726, 729 (4 credits), 734 (2 credits).

*SPE 733: Advanced Diagnostic Techniques in Speech Pathology.
4 hours (2, lecture; 2, lab), 3 credits. In-depth examination of additional tests and test procedures; observation and practice in test administration and evaluation. PREREQ: SPE 725 or permission of the Program Director.

SPE 734: Diagnostic Practicum.
3 hours, 3 credits. (Must be taken a minimum of two times.) Provides students with clinical experiences in evaluating speech and language disorders of children and adults. PREREQ: SPE 725.

SPE 735: Seminar in Speech-Language Pathology.
3 hours, 3 credits. Special topics and issues in speech-language pathology.

SPE 736: Motor Speech Disorders.
3 hours, 3 credits. The effects of neuromotor disorders on the development of oral-motor and respiratory control for speech and feeding in children; the differential diagnosis of the dysarthrias/apraxia in adults; multidisciplinary assessment and treatment; intervention/management strategies, including home, clinical, and school settings. PREREQ: SPE 717 (Advanced Anatomy, Physiology, and Neurology of Speech) or permission of the Program Director.

SPE 739: Dysphagia.
3 hours, 3 credits. Review of normal and disordered swallowing function (dysphagia) in adults and children. Overview of instrumented and clinical procedures for the assessment of swallowing function. Focus on multicultural issues and attitudes toward disability, food, and feeding behaviors and their potential impact on children and adults with dysphagia; therapeutic techniques to improve swallowing function in children and adults; multidisciplinary approaches to the management of swallowing disorders in various clinical settings. PREREQ: SPE 717 (Advanced Anatomy, Physiology, and Neurology of Speech) or permission of the Program Director.

SPE 748: Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC).
3 hours, 3 credits. Description of minimally verbal individuals throughout the lifespan; assessment through standardized and naturalistic methods; selection of appropriate modes, symbols, response methods, devices, and intervention strategies for enhancement of communication in minimally verbal individuals.
Social Work
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M.S.W. Program in Social Work
The Master's of Social Work (M.S.W.) Program at Lehman College prepares social workers to assume positions of leadership in urban public and voluntary sector social service agencies and organizations. All students in the program complete an Advanced Generalist curriculum and gain the knowledge, values and skills of the competencies of the social work profession required for Advanced Generalist Practice with individuals, families, groups, communities, and organizations, as well as for supervision, administration, research, and policy practice. The M.S.W. program is registered with the New York State Education Department and is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE).

Students who earn their M.S.W. degree will also have completed all educational requirements and will be eligible to take the New York State licensing exam for the LMSW. Students who complete the two-year curriculum and earn their M.S.W. degree will have met the educational requirements for the New York State licensing exam for the Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW). Please note that the New York State Education Department has established additional requirements to be eligible to take the LCSW exam; these requirements must be met after graduation.

Three tracks are offered:

Track A: 2-Year Full-time Program
Classes meet two evenings per week. Students must complete three full days of fieldwork, at least two of which are weekdays, for a total of 21 hours per week. This totals 600 hours each academic year.

Year One: Full-time Student Status

Fall Semester
Course
Credits
SWK 611 Generalist Practice I 3
SWK 605 Human Behavior and the Social Environment 3
SWK 639 Social Welfare Institutions and Programs 3
SWK 671 Fieldwork and Seminar I 5

Spring Semester
SWK 612 Generalist Practice II 3
SWK 606 Human Diversity and the Social Environment 3
SWK 643 Social Welfare Policy Analysis 3
SWK 646 Social Work Research I 3
SWK 672 Fieldwork and Seminar II 5

Year Two: Part-time Student Status

Fall Semester
SWK 713 Advanced Practice in the Urban Environment 3
SWK 707 Understanding Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis 3
SWK 727 Supervision in Agency-Based Practice 3
SWK 773 Fieldwork and Seminar III 5
SWK 680 Special Topics in Social Work 3
OR one elective from SWK 681-686

Spring Semester
SWK 714 Advanced Practice in the Urban Environment II 3
SWK 729 Administration in Urban Agencies 3
SWK 745 Social Welfare Policy Practice 3
SWK 747 Social Work Research II 3
SWK 774 Fieldwork and Seminar IV 5

Track B: 3-Year Extended Program
Extended students are matriculated students and are subject to the same admissions process as full-time students. Extended students complete the first-year curriculum in two years and take the second year on a full-time basis.

• Year One: Part-time Student Status: Classes meet two evenings per week.
• Year Two: Part-time Student Status: Classes meet one evening per week. Students must complete three full days of fieldwork, at least two of which are weekdays, for a total of 21 hours per week. This totals 600 hours each academic year.
• Year Three: Full-time Student Status: Classes meet two evening per week. Students must complete three full days of fieldwork, at least two of which are weekdays, for a total of 21 hours per week. This totals 600 hours each academic year.

Track C: 1-Year Advanced Standing Program
Students enter as second year students.
• Full-time Student Status: Classes meet two evening per week. Students must complete three full days of fieldwork, at least two of which are weekdays, for a total of 21 hours per week. This totals 600 hours during the academic year.

Notes for all Tracks:
1. The program does not grant social work course credit for life experience or previous work experience.
2. Transfer credits are not accepted, except for the 3-credit elective with approval of the Social Work Graduate Advisor.
3. The program does not accept non-matriculated students

Admission Requirements for All Tracks:
• Bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university, including 45 liberal arts credits;
• Minimum undergraduate grade average of 3.0;
• Application to the program, including a personal statement that addresses preparation for the program, career goals, and
understanding of the profession and commitment to social work values;
• Three letters of recommendation addressing applicant’s suitability for the social work profession and preparedness to enter a rigorous academic program. At least two letters should be from college faculty and/or professionals in fields related to social work;
• Resume;
• An interview may be required.

Admission Requirements for Applicants to Track C, Advanced Standing Program
In addition to the above:
• Bachelor’s degree with a Social Work major from a Social Work program accredited by the Council on Social Work Education;
• Minimum 3.2 cumulative index in the major;
• Include, among the three references, one reference from the advisor in the baccalaureate Social Work program or from the Program Director, and another from a field supervisor;
• Additional essay question that focus on an illustration from the field.

Applicants for Advanced Standing must provide course descriptions for courses in the undergraduate Social Work major; the Graduate Advisor will determine exemption from courses in the Year One curriculum.

Selection Process
The Admissions Committee, consisting of the Social Work Graduate Advisor, M.S.W. Program Director, M.S.W. Admissions Coordinator, and at least two full-time faculty members, will review completed applications. Applications will be evaluated on:
• Academic history;
• Quality of personal statement, including degree of self-awareness, conceptual ability, understanding of the profession and commitment to social work values, and communication skills;
• Letters of recommendation.

Grade Requirements: Probation and Continuation Criteria

Academic Probation
Graduate students whose GPA falls between 2.7 and 3.0 will be placed on academic probation. Students on academic probation must raise their GPA to 3.0 within the next semester in order to continue in the M.S.W. program. Graduate students whose GPA remains below 3.0 at the end of the probationary semester will be allowed to continue in the M.S.W. program only upon successful appeal to the Graduate Studies Committee.

Continuation
M.S.W. students whose GPA falls below 2.7 will not be eligible for probation and may only continue in the M.S.W. program upon successful appeal to the Graduate Studies Committee.

Students who receive less than a C in Fieldwork and Seminar (SWK 671, 672, 773, 774) may only continue in the M.S.W. program upon successful appeal to the Graduate Studies Committee.

Students who receive a failing grade in a course may not continue in any course for which the failed course is a prerequisite. They may enroll in the course for which they received the failing grade in the next semester in which it is offered only if their GPA meets the criteria for probation and continuation.

Social Work Courses

Note: All 3-credit M.S.W. courses are 3-hour hybrid courses, requiring 2 hours of classroom instruction and 1 hour of graded asynchronous learning each week.

SWK 605: Human Behavior and the Social Environment. 3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of individuals, families, groups, and communities in relation to human biological, psychological, social, spiritual, and cultural factors. Theories and knowledge emphasizing critical life events from conception through later adulthood will provide a coherent framework for viewing human beings developing over time.

SWK 606: Human Diversity and the Social Environment. 3 hours, 3 credits. Exploration of theoretical perspectives of developmental processes as well as interactions at all levels of social organization. Impact of life situations, the physical environment, and social processes on client systems in the urban environment. Self-examination of one’s values and ethics. PREREQ: SWK 605.

SWK 611: Generalist Social Work Practice I. 3 hours, 3 credits. Introduction to generalist social work practice within a life model framework, including skills and techniques, integrated with professional values and ethics, for the beginning phase of generalist practice. COREQ: SWK 671.

SWK 612: Generalist Social Work Practice II. 3 hours, 3 credits. Generalist social work practice within an ecological systems perspective; emphasis is placed on skills and interventive strategies with populations at-risk during the middle and ending phases of practice. Case management skills in urban organizations. PREREQ: SWK 611; COREQ: SWK 672.

SWK 639: Social Welfare Institutions and Programs. 3 hours, 3 credits. History of social services in the United States and overview of services in key contemporary fields of practice are studied through the lens of social justice and professional ethics. Special attention to social welfare policies that impact negatively on populations at-risk in urban environments.

SWK 643: Social Welfare Policy Analysis. 3 hours, 3 credits. Understanding and analyzing social welfare policies, especially those negatively impacting on urban populations. Empowerment of students to act as agents of change in the pursuit of social justice within agency and societal systems. PREREQ: SWK 639.
SWK 646: Social Work Research I.
3 hours, 3 credits. Social work research skills, methods, and processes needed to conceptualize social problems; research project design; critical evaluation of research designs. Utilization of social work research to alleviate conditions contributing to the oppression of at-risk populations in an urban environment.

SWK 671: Fieldwork and Seminar I.
21 field, 1 lecture, 5 credits. 300-hour supervised internship in a social service agency as arranged by the program. Students integrate social work knowledge, values, and skills as they provide culturally sensitive services to diverse urban populations, and particularly to populations-at-risk. Integration of classroom content with agency practice. COREQ: SWK 611.

SWK 672: Fieldwork and Seminar II.
21 field, 1 lecture, 5 credits. 300-hour supervised internship continued in the same social service agency as in SWK 671. Students further develop knowledge, values, and skills in accordance with social work ethics as they provide increasingly complex services to diverse urban populations, particularly to populations-at-risk. Integration of classroom content with agency practice. PREREQ: SWK 671. COREQ: SWK 612.

SWK 680: Special Topics in Social Work.
3 hours, 3 credits. A variable topics course that enables students to pursue subjects particular to their interest. Course offerings will represent a range of issues relevant to social work practice in urban settings. Topics to be announced.

SWK 681: Social Work with Immigrants.
3 hours, 3 credits. Circumstances faced by individuals and groups that have immigrated, or will immigrate, to cities in the U.S.; diverse reasons that lead people to leave their homelands. Common and unique challenges of resettlement in the U.S. Clinical social work interventions and policy issues will be explored.

3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the U.S. criminal justice system in the context of social policy as well as intended/unintended consequences of policies for vulnerable urban populations. Knowledge, skills, and values for social workers providing clinical services to people transitioning from prison, their families, and their communities, and for the development of quality reentry programs.

3 hours, 3 credits. Understanding interrelationships between clinical social work practice and social welfare policies in the field of urban child welfare. Exploration of topics, such as child abuse and neglect, foster care, kinship care, adoption, and day care from historical and contemporary political, cultural, legal, and social work perspectives.

3 hours, 3 credits. Role of the social work profession in helping urban populations vulnerable to mass violence and terrorism, and those who have been affected by it. Clinical interventions with people experiencing trauma, preventive strategies, and self-care for social workers are studied, as are social welfare policies and issues related to social justice.

SWK 685: Gender Issues and the Practice of Social Work.
3 hours, 3 credits. Examination of the ways in which sex roles, gender relations, and identity development are constructed and experienced by individuals in contemporary urban societies. Issues emerging from the intersection of ethnicity, race, class, and sexuality with gender and their implications for clinical social work practice are explored.

SWK 686: Social Work Practice with Urban Older Adults.
3 hours, 3 credits. Study of knowledge, values, and skills required for clinical, supervisory, administrative, and policy practice in diverse urban gerontological social work settings.

SWK 687: Social Work in Urban Schools.
3 hours, 3 credits. Social work practice with students, families, school administration, and the community in urban school settings. An emphasis on the impact of policies and programming affecting delivery of social services in the schools. Special attention paid to diverse urban populations in school systems.

3 hours, 3 credits. An exploration of social work with substance abusing clients in an urban environment. Basic assessment of substance misuse, properties of different substances, modalities of treatment, and individual, group, and family interventions are addressed. A bio-psycho-social-spiritual model of conceptualizing issues of substance abuse is stressed. Issues of tobacco use are included.

SWK 689: Social Work Practice with Military Service Personnel, Families, and Communities.
3 credits, 3 hours. Social work practice with active duty military personnel, veterans, their families, and communities. This course will examine the unique challenges and opportunities for the social work profession in providing services and promoting policies reflecting social justice in the military and after discharge. Exploration of the rich historical relationship between military service, the understanding of relevant psychiatric diagnosis, the emergence of social welfare policies, and the development of social work as a profession.

3 hours, 3 credits. This course focuses on social work practice with urban children and adolescents, utilizing an ecological systems perspective. Emphasis is placed on knowledge, skills and values in engagement, assessment and intervention. Ethical issues associated with services to children and adolescents are explored.
3 hours, 3 credits. Practice issues with LGBT clients, and policy and social issues affecting the lives of LGBT populations in the U.S. and internationally are studied. Resilience of LGBT populations in the face of societal stigma and oppression is explored.

3 hours, 3 credits. Numerous theoretical models of addiction, chemical dependency assessment tools, and substance abuse treatment interventions useful in social work practice are studied. Addiction services and prevention programs for adults, youth, and families are explored. Basic concepts of social, political, and cultural systems and their impact on substance use are addressed.

SWK 693: Understanding Hispanic/Latino Communities: Implications for Social Work Practice.
3 hours, 3 credits. The origins and histories of various Hispanic/Latino/a communities in the United States and their implications for social work practice. Group demography, history, strategies for survival, the immigration experience, and other significant experiences important to consider when addressing the social needs of Hispanic/Latino/a populations.

SWK 694: Social Work Interventions with Diverse Urban Hispanic/Latino Individuals, Groups, Families, and their Communities.
3 hours, 3 credits. Emphasis on the strengths perspective, and values, knowledge, and skills needed for social work practice with diverse urban Hispanic/Latino/a individuals, groups, families and communities. Practice implications of inter- and intra-group differences. Impact of discrimination and oppression in understanding and assessing needs and in developing culturally competent interventions.

SWK 707: Understanding Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis.
3 hours, 3 credits. Definitions of mental health and mental illness in various cultures; assessment, DSM-IV-TR diagnosis, and clinical interventions. Implication of social welfare policies for clinical practice. PREREQ: SWK 606. COREQ: SWK 611 and SWK 671, or SWK 713 and SWK 773.

SWK 713: Advanced Social Work Practice in the Urban Environment I.
3 hours, 3 credits. First course in a two-semester advanced integrated practice sequence. Empowerment approach with urban populations-at-risk. Emphasis on intervention in a larger community context. PREREQ: SWK 612, SWK 672; COREQ: SWK 727, SWK 773; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 707.

SWK 714: Advanced Social Work Practice in the Urban Environment II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Builds on the application of advanced social work practice skills, knowledge, and values. Deepens understanding of the social worker’s role in mobilizing power and building relationships with diverse systems of various sizes. Particular attention to content on multiculturalism, diversity, social justice, value dilemmas, and social change issues. PREREQ: SWK 713, SWK 773; COREQ: SWK 729, SWK 774; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 745, SWK 747.

SWK 727: Supervision in Agency-Based Practice.
3 hours, 3 credits. Principles of agency-based supervision in a variety of practice settings. Administrative, clinical, and educational functions; concepts of power, authority, and accountability; ethical and clinical issues; skills and self awareness; staff development; and evaluation. COREQ: SWK 713, SWK 773; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 707.

SWK 729: Administration in Urban Agencies.
3 hours, 3 credits. Administration of public and private urban social services agencies responding to the needs of diverse urban clients. Designing and structuring service organizations; funding sources; developing and maintaining a diverse staff; understanding the relationship of the organization to the community; analyzing and evaluating relevant policies; and examining ethical dilemmas. PREREQ: SWK 727; COREQ: SWK 714, SWK 774; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 745, SWK 747.

3 hours, 3 credits. Influencing, formulating, and advocating for social welfare policies that are culturally relevant, consistent with the value of social justice, and ensuring that social services meet the needs of recipients. Particular emphasis on impacting policies affecting urban populations at risk. PREREQ: SWK 643, SWK 612, SWK 672.

SWK 747: Social Work Research II.
3 hours, 3 credits. Design of research instruments, collection of data, and descriptive and inferential statistical analysis of data using S.P.S.S. Submission of a research proposal that seeks to contribute to social work knowledge. The proposal will include an understanding of diversity and/or the needs of at-risk populations in the urban environment. PREREQ: SWK 646.

SWK 773: Fieldwork and Seminar III.
21 field, 1 lecture, 5 credits. 300-hour supervised internship in a practice area different from Fieldwork and Seminar I and II; advanced standing students enter Fieldwork and Seminar III. Development of advanced integrated social work practice through clinical practice, supervision, administration, research, and policy practice assignments. Integration of classroom content with agency practice. PREREQ: SWK 612, SWK 672; COREQ: SWK 713, SWK 727; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 707.
SWK 774: Fieldwork and Seminar IV.
21 field, 1 lecture, 5 credits. Students complete a 300-hour internship in the same agency as SWK 773. Continued learning of advanced integrated social work practice through increasingly challenging assignments in clinical practice, supervision, administration, research, and policy practice. Integration of classroom content with agency practice. PREREQ: SWK 713, SWK 773; COREQ: SWK 714, SWK 729; PRE OR COREQ: SWK 745, SWK 747.
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Appendix

Board of Trustees Rules and Regulations on Campus Conduct

Rules and Regulations for the Maintenance of Public Order Pursuant to Article 129-A of the Education Law

The tradition of the University as a sanctuary of academic freedom and center of informed discussion is an honored one, to be guarded vigilantly. The basic significance of that sanctuary lies in the protection of intellectual freedoms: the rights of professors to teach, of scholars to engage in the advancement of knowledge, of students to learn and express their views, free from external pressures or interference. These freedoms can flourish only in an atmosphere of mutual respect, civility, and trust among teachers and students, only when members of the University community are willing to accept self-restraint and reciprocity as the condition upon which they share in its intellectual autonomy.

Academic freedom and the sanctuary of the University campus extend to all who share these aims and responsibilities. They cannot be invoked by those who would subordinate intellectual freedom to political ends, or who violate the norms of conduct established to protect that freedom. Against such offenders the University has the right, and indeed the obligation, to defend itself. We accordingly announce the following rules and regulations to be in effect at each of our colleges which are to be administered in accordance with the requirements of due process as provided in the Bylaws of the Board of Higher Education.

With respect to enforcement of these rules and regulations we note that the Bylaws of the Board of Trustees provide that:

"The president, with respect to his education unit, shall:

Have the affirmative responsibility of conserving and enhancing the educational standards of the college and schools under his jurisdiction;

Be the advisor and executive agent of the Board and of his respective College Committee and as such shall have the immediate supervision with full discretionary power in carrying into effect the Bylaws, resolutions, and policies of the Board, the lawful resolutions of the several faculties;

Exercise general superintendence over the concerns, officers, employees, and students of his educational unit."

I. Rules

1. A member of the academic community shall not intentionally obstruct and/or forcibly prevent others from the exercise of their rights. Nor shall he interfere with the institution's educational processes or facilities, or the rights of those who wish to avail themselves of any of the institution's instructional, personal, administrative, recreational, and community services.

2. Individuals are liable for failure to comply with lawful directions issued by representatives of the University/college when they are acting in their official capacities. Members of the academic community are required to show their identification cards when requested to do so by an official of the college.

3. Unauthorized occupancy of University/college facilities or blocking access to or from such areas is prohibited. Permission from appropriate college authorities must be obtained for removal, relocation, and use of University/college equipment and/or supplies.

4. Theft from or damage to University/college premises or property, or theft of or damage to property of any person on University/college premises is prohibited.

5. Each member of the academic community or an invited guest has the right to advocate his position without having to fear abuse, physical, verbal, or otherwise from others supporting conflicting points of view. Members of the academic community and other persons on the college grounds shall not use language or take actions reasonably likely to provoke or encourage physical violence by demonstrators, those demonstrated against, or spectators.

6. Action may be taken against any and all persons who have no legitimate reason for their presence on any campus within the University/college, or whose presence on any such campus obstructs and/or forcibly prevents others from the exercise of their rights or interferes with the institution's educational processes or facilities, or the rights of those who wish to avail themselves of any of the institution's instructional, personal, administrative, recreational, and community services.

7. Disorderly or indecent conduct on University/college-owned or controlled property is prohibited.

8. No individual shall have in his possession a rifle, shotgun, or firearm or knowingly have in his possession any other dangerous instrument or material that can be used to inflict bodily harm on an individual or damage upon a building or the grounds of the University/college without the written authorization of such educational institution. Nor shall any individual have in his possession any other instrument or material which can be used and is intended to inflict bodily harm on an individual or damage upon a building or the grounds of the University/college.

9. Any action or situation which recklessly or intentionally endangers mental or physical health or involves the forced consumption of liquor or drugs for the purpose of initiation into or affiliation with any organization is prohibited.

10. The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of illegal drugs or other controlled substances by University students or employees in the workplace is prohibited. Employees of the University must also notify the College Personnel Director of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace not later than five (5) days after such conviction.
11. The unlawful possession, use, or distribution of alcohol by students or employees on University/college premises or as part of any University/college activities is prohibited.

II. Penalties

1. Any student engaging in any manner of conduct prohibited under substantive Rules 1 to 11 shall be subject to the following range of sanctions as hereafter defined: admonition, warning, censure, disciplinary probation, restitution, suspension, expulsion, ejection, and/or arrest by the civil authorities.

2. Any tenured or non-tenured faculty member, or other member of the instructional staff, or member of the classified staff engaging in any manner of conduct prohibited under substantive Rules 1 to 11 shall be subject to the following range of penalties: warning, censure, restitution, fine not exceeding those permitted by law or by the Bylaws of the City University of New York, or suspension with/without pay pending a hearing before an appropriate College authority, dismissal after a hearing, and/or arrest by the civil authorities, and, for engaging in any manner of conduct prohibited under substantive rule 10, may, in the alternative, be required to participate satisfactorily in an appropriately licensed drug treatment or rehabilitation program. A tenured or non-tenured faculty member, or other member of the instructional staff, or member of the classified staff engaging in any manner of conduct prohibited under substantive Rules 1 to 11, shall be entitled to be treated in accordance with applicable provisions of the Education Law, or the Civil Service Law, or the applicable collective bargaining agreement, or the Bylaws or written policies of the City University of New York.

3. Any visitor, licensee, or invitee engaging in any manner of conduct prohibited under substantive Rules 1 to 11 shall be subject to ejection, and/or arrest by the civil authorities.

4. Any organization which authorizes the conduct prohibited under substantive rules 1-11 shall have its permission to operate on campus rescinded.

Penalties 1-4 shall be in addition to any other penalty provided by law or the City University Trustees.

Sanctions Defined:

A. Admonition. An oral statement to the offender that he has violated University rules.

B. Warning. Notice to the offender, orally or in writing, that continuation or repetition of the wrongful conduct, within a period of time stated in the warning, may be cause for more severe disciplinary action.

C. Censure. Written reprimand for violation of specified regulation, including the possibility of more severe disciplinary sanction in the event of conviction for the violation of any University regulation within a period stated in the letter of reprimand.

D. Disciplinary Probation. Exclusion from participation in privileges or extracurricular University activities as set forth in the notice of disciplinary probation for a specified period of time.

E. Restitution. Reimbursement for damage to or misappropriation of property. Reimbursement may take the form of appropriate service to repair or otherwise compensate for damages.

F. Suspension. Exclusion from classes and other privileges or activities as set forth in the notice of suspension for a definite period of time.

G. Expulsion. Termination of student status for an indefinite period. The conditions of readmission, if any is permitted, shall be stated in the order of expulsion.

H. Complaint to Civil Authorities.

I. Ejection.

Bylaw Section 15.6

Suspension or Dismissal.

The Board of Trustees reserves full power to dismiss or suspend a student, or suspend a student organization for conduct which impedes, obstructs, or interferes with the orderly and continuous administration and operation of any college, school, or unit of the university in the use of its facilities or in the achievement of its purposes as an educational institution.

The Chancellor or Chancellor’s designee, a president or any dean may in emergency or extraordinary circumstances, temporarily suspend a student, or temporarily suspend the privileges of a student organization or group for cause, pending an early hearing as provided in bylaw section 15.3 to take place within not more than seven (7) school days. Prior to the commencement of a temporary suspension of a student, the College shall give such student oral or written notice of the charges against him/her and, if he/she denies them, the College shall forthwith give such student an informal oral explanation of the evidence supporting the charges and the student may present informally his/her explanation or theory of the matter. When a student’s presence poses a continuing danger to person or property or an ongoing threat of disrupting the academic process, notice and opportunity for denial and explanation may follow suspension, but shall be given as soon as feasible thereafter.

Statement of Nondiscrimination

Statement of Principles

The City University of New York, located in a historically diverse municipality, is committed to engendering values and implementing policies that will enhance respect for individuals and their cultures. The University believes that, in order truly to benefit from this diversity, the University must foster tolerance, sensitivity, and mutual respect among all members of its community. Efforts to promote diversity and to combat bigotry are an inextricable part of the educational mission of the University. Diversity among the University's many members strengthens the institution, promotes the exchange of new ideas, and enriches campus life.

The University does not condone and will not tolerate discrimination in employment or in its educational programs and activities.
The City University of New York continues to recognize the important need to maintain at each campus equal access and opportunity for qualified students, faculty, and staff from all ethnic and racial groups and from both sexes.

**Policy Statement**

It is the policy of The City University of New York and the constituent colleges and units of the University to recruit, employ, retain, promote, and provide benefits to employees and to admit and provide services for students without regard to race, color, national or ethnic origin, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, alienage, citizenship, military or veteran status, or status as a victim of domestic violence.

Sexual harassment, a form of sex discrimination, is prohibited under the University’s Policy Against Sexual Harassment.

The City University of New York, as a public university system, adheres to Federal, State and city laws and regulations regarding non-discrimination and affirmative action, including among others, Executive Order 11246, as amended, Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended, the Equal Pay Act of 1963, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, the New York State Human Rights Law, and the New York City Human Rights Law. The “protected classes” as delineated in Executive Order 11246 (Black, Hispanic, Asian/Pacific Islander, American Indian/Alaskan Native, and Women) were expanded on December 9, 1976 by the Chancellor of the City University of New York to include Italian-Americans.

**Responsibility for Compliance**

The President of each constituent college of the University, the Senior Vice Chancellor at the Central Office, and the Dean of the Law School shall have ultimate responsibility for overseeing compliance with this Policy at his or her respective unit of the University.

**Discrimination Complaints**

The City University of New York is committed to addressing discrimination complaints promptly, consistently, and fairly. There shall be an employment discrimination complaint procedure administered by each unit of the University.

A job applicant, employee, or former employee of Lehman College who wishes to make a complaint related to equal employment opportunity or affirmative action should consult with Dawn Ewing Morgan, the Director of Compliance and Diversity. Mrs. Morgan can be reached at 718-960-8111. Her office is in Shuster Hall, Room 352.

Students who believe they have been discriminated against in violation of this policy should bring their complaints to the Chief Student Affairs Officer for investigation by the officer or his or her designee in accordance with this policy.

Retaliation against any member of the University community who has made a complaint of discrimination is prohibited.

### The City University Of New York Policies And Procedures Concerning Sexual Assault, Stalking, And Domestic And Intimate Partner Violence Against Students

#### I. Policy Statement

The City University of New York seeks to create and maintain a safe environment in which all members of the University community—students, faculty and staff—can learn and work free from the fear of sexual assault and other forms of violence. The University’s policies on Workplace Violence and Domestic Violence and the Workplace apply to all acts of violence that occur in the workplace or that may spill over into the workplace. The University’s Sexual Harassment Policy prohibits many forms of unwelcome conduct, including but not limited to, physical conduct of a sexual nature. This policy is specifically directed towards sexual assault, domestic and intimate partner violence and stalking committed against students on and off-campus.

CUNY wants all victims of sexual assault, stalking and domestic and intimate partner violence to know that the University has professionals and law enforcement officers who are trained in the field to assist student victims in obtaining help, including immediate medical care, counseling and other essential services. If the alleged perpetrator is also a member of the CUNY community, the college will take prompt action to investigate, and, where appropriate, to discipline and sanction the alleged perpetrator. CUNY urges all victims to seek immediate help in accordance with the guidelines set forth in this policy with the assurance that all information received from a complaint will be handled as confidentially as possible.

In order to eliminate sexual assaults and other forms of violence perpetrated against students, and to create a safe college community, it is critical to provide an appropriate prevention education program and have trained professionals to provide vital supportive services.

Accordingly, CUNY is committed to the following goals:

- Providing clear and concise guidelines for students to follow in the event that they or someone they know have been the victim of a sexual assault, domestic/intimate partner violence, or stalking.
- Assisting victims of sexual assault or abuse in obtaining necessary medical care and counseling, whether on or off-campus.

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• Providing the most informed and up-to-date education and information to its students about how to identify situations that involve sexual assault, domestic and intimate partner violence, or stalking, and ways to prevent these forms of violence.
• Educating and training all staff members, including counselors, public safety officers and student affairs staff and faculty, to assist victims of sexual assault, domestic/intimate partner violence, or stalking.
• Ensuring that disciplinary procedures are followed in the event that the alleged perpetrator is a CUNY student or employee.

II. Procedures For Reporting Incidents of Sexual Assault And Other Forms of Violence

Obtaining assistance after a student is sexually assaulted, stalked or is in an abusive relationship is extremely important and can involve different points of on-campus contact for students, faculty and staff, including the Public Safety Department, Women’s/Men’s Centers and Counseling Departments, and/or the Dean of Student Development/Student Affairs. Each provides different forms of assistance which together address many of the needs of survivors.

Contact Law Enforcement Personnel Immediately
CUNY urges any student who has been the victim of a sexual assault or other act of violence or abuse, or any student or employee who has witnessed a sexual assault or other act of violence against a student, to immediately report the incident to the college Public Safety Department if the attack occurred on-campus, or to call 911 or go to the local NYPD precinct if the incident took place off-campus. Each college shall be provided with a list of emergency contact numbers as part of its orientation and training programs.

Seek Immediate Medical Attention
It is critical that victims of a physical assault receive comprehensive medical attention as soon as possible. For a sexual assault in particular, immediate treatment and the preservation of evidence of the attack (i.e. retain the clothing worn during the attack and do not shower) is crucial to a criminal investigation. If a student believes that she/he may be the victim of date rape by being drugged, she/he should go directly to a hospital to receive a toxicology examination since such drugs only remain in a person’s system for a short period of time. In all other circumstances, public safety and police personnel can assist the victim in obtaining medical care. Each college shall be provided with a list of local hospitals, some of which are designated as SAFE (Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner) hospitals that are specially equipped to handle sexual assaults and are trained to gather minute evidence from such assaults. Rape crisis advocates at emergency rooms are also trained to handle domestic violence. EMS will be directed to bring victims to a SAFE hospital at their request. Medical attention is critical not only to treat internal and external injuries and to combat the possibilities of sexually transmitted infections and/or pregnancy, but also to collect evidence that can be used against the alleged perpetrator. It is also vital to ongoing safety and recovery that victims receive emotional support and professional counseling as soon as possible after the attack.

Seek On-Campus Assistance
CUNY encourages student victims to contact the Dean of Student Affairs/Student Development to obtain assistance in accessing medical and counseling services, or to make any necessary changes to the student’s academic program or residential housing situation. Public Safety can assist victims getting to and from campus safely, filing a police report and obtaining an order of protection against the alleged perpetrator. Victims can also file a complaint with the College against an alleged perpetrator who is a student or employee of the University with the Dean of Student Affairs/Student Development and the Public Safety Office.

Obtaining an On-Campus Advocate
Student victims of a sexual assault, stalking or domestic or intimate partner violence shall be provided with on-campus support in the form of an advocate from the Women’s/Men’s Center (if there is one on campus) or an appropriately trained counselor to assist them in handling the various aspects of their ordeal, such as: 1) explaining to victims their options of whether or not to report the incident to campus or law enforcement authorities; 2) providing guidance if they require medical attention; 3) providing guidance in obtaining crisis intervention and/or ongoing counseling services (or a referral to obtain the necessary services if such services are not available on campus); and 4) assisting victims throughout the College’s disciplinary process if they choose to file a complaint against another student in connection with the incident.

Handling Sexual Assault, Stalking and Domestic and Intimate Partner Violence Complaints On-Campus
The Colleges shall act promptly in response to information that a student has been sexually assaulted, or has been the victim of domestic or intimate partner violence or stalking by another member of the CUNY community. Upon receipt of a complaint, the College shall undertake an appropriate investigation. If it appears that there is sufficient evidence to warrant disciplinary charges against a student or staff member, such charges shall be brought pursuant to the appropriate University procedures or collective bargaining agreement. If the alleged perpetrator is a student and the matter is brought before a hearing, the victim and alleged perpetrator are entitled to the same opportunities to have others present and to be informed of the outcome of the proceedings. The victim is entitled to a report of the results of the proceeding at her/his request. If a student is found guilty of committing a sexual assault or other act of violence against another CUNY student or employee after a disciplinary hearing, the penalties may include suspension, expulsion from residence halls, or permanent dismissal from CUNY.

In addition, if during the course of the investigation and/or disciplinary process the alleged perpetrator, or anyone on his/her behalf, seeks to contact the victim so as to harass, intimidate, threaten or coerce the victim in any way, the College reserves the right to bring additional disciplinary action against the actor. Such
Conduct by any member of the CUNY community will not be tolerated.

Confidentiality

The University recognizes that confidentiality is particularly important to victims of sex crimes, domestic and intimate partner violence and stalking. If the victim seeks counseling with a licensed professional and/or works with an advocate from the campus, those communications will be confidential. CUNY encourages victims in all circumstances to seek counseling in order to speak about her/his options and to begin the recovery period.

While complete confidentiality cannot be guaranteed, every effort will be made to maintain confidentiality on a “need to know” basis. Generally, the wishes of a victim not to report a sexual assault or incident of domestic/intimate partner violence or stalking to the police will prevail, though the College reserves the right to notify the police when it believes that such reporting is necessary for the protection of the College community. Such notification, however, will generally be done without divulging the victim’s identity and for the purpose of providing a campus-wide safety alert. In addition, the College must adhere to legal mandates such as Title IX, medical reporting laws, and the Campus Security Act. For example, CUNY is required to make an annual report documenting the occurrences of violent crimes on campus, including sexual assault. However, this report does not include any information identifying the individuals (including the victims) linked to these crimes.

III. Implementation of The Policies and Procedures Concerning Sexual Assault And Other Forms of Violence Against Students

The President and Vice President for Student Affairs/Student Development of each college shall be responsible for implementing this policy in accordance with the most up-to-date information and resources pertaining to sexual assault, stalking and domestic/intimate partner violence education and prevention, and victim assistance. The following steps must be taken to implement this policy:

1. Publication: A copy of this policy shall be easily accessible on the CUNY website and on the website administered by each College. A summary shall also be incorporated into every College student handbook. In addition, copies of the policy and procedures shall be made available in student centers, residence halls, student affairs/student development offices, women’s/men’s centers, counseling centers, health clinics and public safety departments, and shall be distributed to all new students during orientations.

2. Prevention/Risk Reduction Education: Each College shall develop materials and programs to educate its students, faculty and staff on the nature, dynamics, common circumstances and effects of sexual assault, domestic/intimate partner violence and stalking, and the means to reduce their occurrence and prevent them. Prevention education should provide up-to-date and relevant information, such as education pertaining to bystander intervention, the importance of peer networks and the significance of fostering a community of responsibility.

Prevention education materials and programs shall be incorporated into campus orientation activities for all incoming undergraduate and graduate students (including transfers), and shall be made available to all student activity groups, clubs and athletic teams. In addition, all residence halls shall have a mandatory orientation on sexual assault, stalking and domestic/intimate partner violence prevention. Colleges are encouraged to assist in the organization of peer education groups and to provide resources to such groups so that the groups can provide training and outreach to other students throughout the academic year. Since the abuse of alcohol is frequently involved in occurrences of sexual assault and other forms of violence, it is important that the education program include education about the deleterious effects of alcohol abuse.

3. Professional Training: Each College shall provide periodic training relating to the prevention and handling of sexual assaults, stalking and domestic/intimate partner violence for all relevant personnel, including public safety officers, counselors, student affairs staff and residence hall assistants by experts trained in the field. Education and training shall also be made available to any interested faculty and staff member. Each campus must have at least one qualified staff or faculty member serve as a designated liaison and trainer.

4. Oversight by CUNY Central Administration: The University Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs shall monitor compliance with this policy at all of the campuses, shall review the policies and procedures on an annual basis, and shall make recommendations in the event that updates to prevention and education information are necessitated. In addition, the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs shall provide educational materials that may be needed to ensure full implementation of this policy on every campus. Liaisons will be identified from each campus who will receive standardized training in order to fulfill their responsibilities on their campuses. The policies, procedures and outreach materials and programs will be subject to a periodic process of assessment in order to maintain efficacy.

Examples of Sexual Harassment

Sexual harassment may take different forms. Using a person’s response to a request for sexual favors as a basis for an academic or employment decision is one form of sexual harassment. Examples of this type of sexual harassment include, but are not limited to, the following:

- requesting or demanding sexual favors in exchange for employment or academic opportunities (such as hiring, promotions, grades, or recommendations);
- submitting unfair or inaccurate job or academic evaluations or grades, or denying training, promotion, or access to any other

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employment or academic opportunity, because sexual advances have been rejected.

Other types of unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature can also constitute sexual harassment, if sufficiently severe or pervasive that the target does find, and a reasonable person would find, that an intimidating, hostile, or abusive work or academic environment has been created. Examples of this kind of sexual harassment include, but are not limited to, the following:

- sexual comments, teasing, or jokes;
- sexual slurs, demeaning epithets, derogatory statements, or other verbal abuse;
- graphic or sexually suggestive comments about an individual's attire or body;
- inquiries or discussions about sexual activities;
- pressure to accept social invitations, to meet privately, to date, or to have sexual relations;
- sexually suggestive letters or other written materials;
- sexual touching, brushing up against another in a sexual manner, graphic or sexually suggestive gestures, cornering, pinching, grabbing, kissing, or fondling;
- coerced sexual intercourse or sexual assault.

Consensual Relationships

Amorous, dating, or sexual relationships that might be appropriate in other circumstances have inherent dangers when they occur between a faculty member, supervisor, or other member of the University community and any person for whom he or she has a professional responsibility. These dangers can include: that a student or employee may feel coerced into an unwanted relationship because he or she fears that refusal to enter into the relationship will adversely affect his or her education or employment; that conflicts of interest may arise when a faculty member, supervisor, or other member of the University community is required to evaluate the work or make personnel or academic decisions with respect to an individual with whom he or she is having a romantic relationship; that students or employees may perceive that a fellow student or coworker who is involved in a romantic relationship will receive an unfair advantage; and that if the relationship ends in a way that is not amicable, either or both of the parties may wish to take action to injure the other party.

Faculty members, supervisors, and other members of the University community who have professional responsibility for other individuals, accordingly, should be aware that any romantic or sexual involvement with a student or employee for whom they have such a responsibility may raise questions as to the mutuality of the relationship and may lead to charges of sexual harassment. For the reasons stated above, such relationships are strongly discouraged.

For purposes of this section, an individual has “professional responsibility” for another individual at the University if he or she performs functions including, but not limited to, teaching, counseling, grading, advising, evaluating, hiring, supervising, or making decisions or recommendations that confer benefits such as promotions, financial aid awards or other remuneration, or that may impact upon other academic or employment opportunities.

Academic Freedom

This policy shall not be interpreted so as to constitute interference with academic freedom.

False and Malicious Accusations

Members of the University community who make false and malicious complaints of sexual harassment, as opposed to complaints which, even if erroneous, are made in good faith, will be subject to disciplinary action.

Procedures

The University has developed procedures to implement this policy. The President of each constituent college of the University, the Senior Vice Chancellor at the Central Office, and the Dean of the Law School shall have ultimate responsibility for overseeing compliance with this policy at his or her respective unit of the University. In addition, each dean, director, department chairperson, executive officer, administrator, or other person with supervisory responsibility shall be required to report any complaint of sexual harassment to the individual or individuals designated in the procedures. All members of the University community are required to cooperate in any investigation of a sexual harassment complaint.

Enforcement

There is a range of corrective actions and penalties available to the University for violations of this policy. Students, faculty, or staff who are found, following applicable disciplinary proceedings, to have violated this Policy are subject to various penalties, including termination of employment and/or student expulsion from the University.

Sexual Harassment Awareness and Intake Committee

The Sexual Harassment Awareness and Intake Committee is responsible for educating the Lehman College community about sexual harassment and its potential consequences to the University community. The members of the Sexual Harassment Awareness and Intake Committee are available to respond to inquiries, receive complaints alleging sexual harassment from any member of the college community, and to refer individuals and/or the complaint to the Sexual Harassment Coordinator. The members of the Sexual Harassment Awareness and Intake Committee are:

Annecy Baez, Counseling Center
(718-960-8761)

Chelsea Campbell, Paralegal Studies Program/Continuing Education
(718-960-1159)

Vanessa Gonzalez, Campus Life
(718-960-8468)
Joette Reaves, Health Programs/Continuing Education  
(718-960-8998)
Maritza Rivera, Office of Compliance and Diversity  
(718-960-8111)
Michael Sullivan, Campus Life  
(718-960-8535)

**Sexual Harassment Coordinator**
Dawn Ewing Morgan, Office of Compliance and Diversity  
(718-960-8111)

**Sexual Harassment Deputy Coordinators**
Graciela Castex, Sociology and Social Work  
(718-960-7864)
John Cirace, Economics & Accounting  
(718-960-8388)
Vincent Zucchetto, Student Affairs  
(718-960-8242)

**Lehman College Records Policy**

**Prohibition on Submission of Fraudulent Admission Documents:**

The submission of documents in support of applications for admission such as transcripts, diplomas, test scores, references, or the applications themselves, that are forged, fraudulent, altered from the original, materially incomplete, obtained under false pretenses, or otherwise deceptive (collectively referred to as fraudulent documents) is prohibited and is punishable by a five-year bar on applying for admission or five year suspension from CUNY. A second violation is punishable by a lifetime ban on applying for admission or expulsion from CUNY.

When fraudulent admissions documents are discovered prior to an applicant’s enrollment, sanctions will be imposed centrally. A first offense will be punishable by a five-year bar on applying for admission and a second offense will result in a lifetime ban. The accused applicant will have the opportunity to appeal to the Vice Chancellor for Student Development.

If the fraudulent admissions document is discovered after the student completes registration or begins classes at a college, the student shall be suspended for five years with the right to appeal through the college student disciplinary process. A second offense results in expulsion.

If the fraudulent admissions document is discovered after the student has already graduated, the graduate shall be notified in writing and shall be entitled to a disciplinary hearing under Article 15 of the Board Bylaws. If the disciplinary committee sustains the charges, the committee may impose a five-year suspension and in addition recommend the revocation of the degree. A second violation results in expulsion. Any recommendation to revoke a degree is subject to the approval by the Board of Trustees after considering the recommendation of the faculty of the college.

**Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (F.E.R.P.A)**

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (F.E.R.P.A.) affords students certain rights with respect to their education records. They are:

1. The right to inspect and review the student's education records. Students should submit to the registrar, dean, head of the academic department, or other appropriate official, written requests that identify the record(s) they wish to inspect. If the records are not maintained by the College official to whom the request was submitted, that official shall advise the student of the correct official to whom the request should be addressed.

   All requests shall be granted or denied in writing within 15 days of receipt. If the request is granted, the student will be notified of the time and place where the records may be inspected. If the request is denied or not responded to within 15 days, the student may appeal. Additional information regarding the appeal procedures will be provided to the student if a request is denied.

2. The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the student believes are inaccurate or misleading. Students may ask the College to amend a record that they believe is inaccurate or misleading. They should write to the College official responsible for the record, clearly identify the part of the record they want changed, and specify why it is inaccurate or misleading.

   If the College decides not to amend the record as requested by the student, the College will notify the student of the decision and advise the student of his or her right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the student when notified of the right to a hearing.

3. The right to consent to disclosure of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that F.E.R.P.A. authorizes disclosure without consent.

   One exception which permits disclosure without consent is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the University in an administrative, supervisory, academic or research, or support staff position; a person or company with whom the University has contracted; a person serving on the Board of Trustees; or a student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks.

   A school official has a legitimate educational interest if access is reasonably necessary in order to perform his/her instructional, research, administrative, or other duties and responsibilities. Upon request, the College discloses education records without consent to officials of another school in which a student seeks or intends to enroll.
New York State Education Law Section 224-A

Students unable because of religious beliefs to register or attend classes on certain days:

1. No person shall be expelled from or be refused admission as a student to an institution of higher education for the reason that he is unable, because of his religious beliefs, to register or attend classes or to participate in any examination, study, or work requirements on a particular day or days.

2. Any student in an institution of higher education who is unable, because of his religious beliefs, to attend classes on a particular day or days shall, because of such absence on the particular day or days, be excused from any examination or any study or work requirements.

3. It shall be the responsibility of the faculty and of the administrative officials of each institution of higher education to make available to each student who is absent from school, because of his religious beliefs, an equivalent opportunity to register for classes or make up any examination, study, or work requirements which he may have missed because of such absence on any particular day or days. No fees of any kind shall be charged by the institution for making available to the said student such equivalent opportunity.

4. If registration, classes, examinations, study, or work requirements are held on Friday after four o’clock post meridian or on Saturday, similar or makeup classes, examinations, study, work requirements, or opportunities shall be made available on other days, where it is possible and practicable to do so. No special fees shall be charged to the student for these classes, examinations, study, or work requirements, or registration held on other days.

5. In effectuating the provisions of this section, it shall be the duty of the faculty and of the administrative officials of each institution of higher education to exercise the fullest measure of good faith. No adverse or prejudicial effects shall result to any student because of his availing himself of the provisions of this section.

6. Any student, who is aggrieved by the alleged failure of any faculty or administrative officials to comply in good faith with the provisions of this section, shall be entitled to maintain an action or proceeding in the Supreme Court of the county in which such institution of higher education is located for the enforcement of his rights under this section.

College Policies, Procedures & Regulations

Lehman College, like most institutions of higher learning, has regulations and policies governing academic standards and procedures, class attendance, final examinations, grade records, personal health, and conduct. They have been established in accordance with the Bylaws of the Board of Trustees, and on recommendation of the College’s governance body—the Lehman College Senate. Specific policies and regulations are enumerated in this Bulletin and in the Student Guide, available in the Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs, the Division of Adult and Continuing Education, and the Office of Academic Advisement.

Conduct

Article XV, Section 15.1 (Conduct Standard Defined) of the Bylaws of the Board of Trustees of The City University of New York reads as follows:

Each student enrolled or in attendance in any college, school, or unit under the control of the Board and every student organization, publication, club, or chapter shall obey the laws of the City, State, and Nation, and the published rules, regulations, and orders of the Board of Higher Education and the duly established college authorities. Application to Lehman College constitutes acceptance of the foregoing provisions as well as of the detailed rules set forth in the Appendix.

The City University of New York Computer User Responsibilities

NOTE: The City University of New York Computer User Responsibilities is a statement originally prepared by the University’s Computer Policy Committee. It underwent review by the University Faculty Senate and the CUNY Office of the Vice Chancellor for Legal Affairs.

Introduction

CUNY’s computer resources are dedicated to the support of the university’s mission of education, research, and public service. In furtherance of this mission, CUNY respects, upholds, and
endeavors to safeguard the principles of academic freedom, freedom of expression, and freedom of inquiry.

CUNY recognizes that there is a concern among the university community that because information created, used, transmitted, or stored in electronic form is by its nature susceptible to disclosure, invasion, loss, and similar risks, electronic communications and transactions will be particularly vulnerable to infringements of academic freedom. CUNY’s commitment to the principles of academic freedom and freedom of expression includes electronic information. Therefore, whenever possible, CUNY will resolve doubts about the need to access CUNY computer resources in favor of a user’s privacy interest.

However, the use of CUNY computer resources, including for electronic transactions and communications, like the use of other university-provided resources and activities, is subject to the requirements of legal and ethical behavior. This policy is intended to support the free exchange of ideas among members of the CUNY community and between the CUNY community and other communities, while recognizing the responsibilities and limitations associated with such exchange.

Applicability

This policy applies to all users of CUNY computer resources, whether affiliated with CUNY or not, and whether accessing those resources on a CUNY campus or remotely. This policy supersedes the CUNY policy titled "CUNY Computer User Responsibilities" and any college policies that are inconsistent with this policy.

Definitions

"CUNY Computer resources" refers to all computer and information technology hardware, software, data, access and other resources owned, operated, or contracted by CUNY. This includes, but is not limited to, personal computers, handheld devices, workstations, mainframes, minicomputers, servers, network facilities, databases, memory, and associated peripherals and software, and the applications they support, such as e-mail and access to the Internet. "E-mail" includes point-to-point messages, postings to newsgroups and listservs, and other electronic messages involving computers and computer networks.

Rules for Use of CUNY Computer Resources

1. Authorization. Users may not access a CUNY computer resource without authorization or use it for purposes beyond the scope of authorization. This includes attempting to circumvent CUNY computer resource system protection facilities by hacking, cracking, or similar activities, accessing or using another person’s computer account, and allowing another person to access or use the user’s account. This provision shall not prevent a user from authorizing a colleague or clerical assistant to access information under the user’s account on the user’s behalf while away from a CUNY campus or because of a disability. CUNY computer resources may not be used to gain unauthorized access to another computer system within or outside of CUNY. Users are responsible for all actions performed from their computer account that they permitted or failed to prevent by taking ordinary security precautions.

2. Purpose. Use of CUNY computer resources is limited to activities relating to the performance by CUNY employees of their duties and responsibilities. For example, use of CUNY computer resources for private commercial or not-for-profit business purposes, for private advertising of products or services, or for any activity meant solely to foster personal gain, is prohibited. Similarly, use of CUNY computer resources for partisan political activity is also prohibited.

Example with respect to CUNY employees other than faculty, where a supervisor has prohibited it in writing, incidental personal use of computer resources is permitted so long as such use does not interfere with CUNY operations, does not compromise the functioning of CUNY computer resources, does not interfere with the user’s employment or other obligations to CUNY, and is otherwise in compliance with this policy.

3. Compliance with Law. CUNY computer resources may not be used for any purpose or in any manner that violates CUNY rules, regulations, or policies, or federal, state, or local law. Users who engage in electronic communications with persons in other states or countries or on other systems or networks may also be subject to the laws of those other states and countries, and the rules and policies of those other systems and networks. Users are responsible for ascertaining, understanding, and complying with the laws, rules, policies, contracts, and licenses applicable to their particular use.

Examples of applicable federal and state laws include the laws of libel, obscenity, and child pornography, as well as the following:

- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
- Electronic Communications Privacy Act
- Computer Fraud and Abuse Act
- New York State Freedom of Information Law
- New York State Law with respect to the confidentiality of library records

Examples of applicable CUNY rules and policies include the following:

- Sexual Harassment Policy
- Policy on Maintenance of Public Order
- Web Site Privacy Policy
- Gramm-Leach-Bliley Information Security Program
- University Policy on Academic Integrity
- Information Security policies

4. Licenses and Intellectual Property. Users of CUNY computer resources may use only legally obtained, licensed data or software and must comply with applicable licenses or other contracts, as well as copyright, trademark, and other intellectual property laws.

Much of what appears on the internet and/or is distributed via electronic communication is protected by copyright law, regardless of whether the copyright is expressly noted. Users of CUNY computer resources should generally assume that
material is copyrighted unless they know otherwise, and not copy, download, or distribute copyrighted material without permission unless the use does not exceed fair use as defined by the federal Copyright Act of 1976. Protected material may include, among other things, text, photographs, audio, video, graphic illustrations, and computer software.

5. **False Identity and Harassment.** Users of CUNY computer resources may not employ a false identity, mask the identity of an account or computer, or use computer resources to engage in abuse of others, such as sending harassing, obscene, threatening, abusive, deceptive, or anonymous messages within or outside CUNY.

6. **Confidentiality.** Users of CUNY computer resources may not invade the privacy of others by, among other things, viewing, copying, modifying, or destroying data or programs belonging to or containing personal or confidential information about others, without explicit permission to do so. CUNY employees must take precautions to protect the confidentiality of personal or confidential information encountered in the performance of their duties or otherwise.

7. **Integrity of Computer Resources.** Users may not install, use, or develop programs intended to infiltrate or damage a computer resource, or which could reasonably be expected to cause, directly or indirectly, excessive strain on any computing facility. This includes, but is not limited to, programs known as computer viruses, Trojan horses, and worms. Users should consult with the IT director at their college before installing any programs that are not sure are safe.

8. **Disruptive Activities.** CUNY computer resources must not be used in a manner that could reasonably be expected to cause or does cause, directly or indirectly, unwarranted or unsolicited interference with the activity of other users. This provision explicitly prohibits chain letters, virus hoaxes, or other intentional e-mail transmissions that disrupt normal e-mail service. Also prohibited are spamming, junk mail or other unsolicited mail that is not related to CUNY business and is sent without a reasonable expectation that the recipient would welcome receiving it, as well as the inclusion on e-mail lists of individuals who have not requested membership on the lists, other than the inclusion of members of the CUNY community on lists related to CUNY business. CUNY has the right to require users of CUNY computer resources to limit or refrain from other specific uses if, in the opinion of the IT director at the user’s college, such use interferes with efficient operations of the system, subject to appeal to the President or, in the case of central office staff, to the Chancellor.

9. **CUNY Names and Trademarks.** CUNY names, trademarks, and logos belong to the university and are protected by law. Users of CUNY computer resources may not state or imply that they speak on behalf of CUNY or use a CUNY name, trademark, or logo without authorization to do so. Affiliation with CUNY does not, by itself, imply authorization to speak on behalf of CUNY.

10. **Security.** CUNY employs various measures to protect the security of its computer resources and of users’ accounts. However, CUNY cannot guarantee such security. Users are responsible for engaging in safe computing practices, such as guarding and not sharing their passwords, changing passwords regularly, logging out of systems at the end of use, and protecting private information, as well as for following CUNY’s Information Security policies and procedures. Users must report incidents of Information Security policy non-compliance or other security incidents to CUNY’s Chief Information Officer and Chief Information Security Officer, and the IT director at the affected user’s college.

11. **Filtering.** CUNY reserves the right to install spam, virus, and spyware filters and similar devices if necessary in the judgment of CUNY’s Office of Information Technology or a college IT director to protect the security and integrity of CUNY computer resources. Notwithstanding the foregoing, CUNY will not install filters that restrict access to e-mail, instant messaging, chat rooms, or websites based solely on content.

**Confidential Research Information.** Principal investigators and others who use CUNY computer resources to store or transmit research information that is required by law or regulation to be held confidential or for which a promise of confidentiality has been given, are responsible for taking steps to protect confidential research information from unauthorized access or modification. In general, this means storing the information on a computer that provides strong access controls (passwords) and encrypting files, documents, and messages for protection against inadvertent or unauthorized disclosure while in storage or in transit over data networks. Robust encryption is strongly recommended for information stored electronically on all computers, especially portable devices such as notebook computers, Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs), and portable data storage (e.g., memory sticks) that are vulnerable to theft or loss, as well as for information transmitted over public networks. Software and protocols used should be reviewed and approved by CUNY’s Office of Information Technology.

12. **CUNY Access to Computer Resources.**

CUNY does not routinely monitor, inspect, or disclose individual usage of its computer resources without the user’s consent. In most instances, if the university needs information located in a CUNY computer resource, it will simply request it from the author or custodian. However, CUNY IT professionals and staff do regularly monitor general usage patterns as part of normal system operations and maintenance and might, in connection with these duties, observe the contents of web sites, e-mail, or other electronic communications. Except as provided in this policy or by law, these individuals are not permitted to seek out contents or transactional information, or disclose or otherwise use what they have observed. Nevertheless, because of the inherent vulnerability of computer technology to unauthorized intrusions, users have no guarantee of privacy during any use of CUNY computer resources or in any data in them, whether or not a password or other entry identification or encryption is used. Users may expect that the privacy of their electronic communications and of any materials contained in computer storage in any CUNY electronic device dedicated to their use
will not be intruded upon by CUNY except as outlined in this policy. CUNY may specifically monitor or inspect the activity and accounts of individual users of CUNY computer resources, including individual login sessions, e-mail, and other communications, without notice, in the following circumstances:

- a. when the user has voluntarily made them accessible to the public, as by posting to Usenet or a web page;
- b. when it is reasonably necessary to do so to protect the integrity, security, or functionality of CUNY or other computer resources, as determined by the college chief information officer or his or her designee, after consultation with CUNY’s chief information officer or his or her designee;
- c. when it is reasonably necessary to diagnose and resolve technical problems involving system hardware, software, or communications, as determined by the college chief information officer or his or her designee, after consultation with CUNY’s chief information officer or his or her designee;
- d. when it is reasonably necessary to protect CUNY from liability, or when failure to act might result in significant bodily harm, significant property loss or damage, or loss of significant evidence, as determined by the college president or a vice president designated by the president, after consultation with the Office of General Counsel and the Chair of the University Faculty Senate (if a CUNY faculty member’s account or activity is involved) or Vice Chair if the Chair is unavailable;
- e. when there is a reasonable basis to believe that CUNY policy or federal, state, or local law has been or is being violated, as determined by the college president or a vice president designated by the president, after consultation with the Office of General Counsel and the Chair of the University Faculty Senate (if a CUNY faculty member’s account or activity is involved) or Vice Chair if the Chair is unavailable;
- f. when an account appears to be engaged in unusual or unusually excessive activity, as indicated by the monitoring of general activity and usage patterns, as determined by the college president or a vice president designated by the president and the college chief information officer or his or her designee, after consultation with CUNY’s chief information officer or his or her designee, the Office of General Counsel, and the Chair of the University Faculty Senate (if a CUNY faculty member’s account or activity is involved) or Vice Chair if the Chair is unavailable; or
- g. as otherwise required by law.

In those situations in which the Chair of the University Faculty Senate is to be consulted prior to monitoring or inspecting an account or activity, the following procedures shall apply: (i) the college president shall report the completion of the monitoring or inspection to the Chair and the CUNY employee affected, who shall also be told the reason for the monitoring or inspection, except where specifically forbidden by law; and (ii) if the monitoring or inspection of an account or activity requires physical entry into a faculty member’s office, the faculty member shall be advised prior thereto and shall be permitted to be present to observe, except where specifically forbidden by law.

A CUNY employee may apply to the General Counsel for an exemption from some or all of the circumstances under which CUNY may inspect and monitor computer resource activity and accounts, pursuant to subparagraphs (a)-(f) above, with respect to a CUNY computer resource used solely for the collection, examination, analysis, transmission, or storage of confidential research data. In considering such application, the General Counsel shall have the right to require the employee to affirm in writing that the computer resource will be used solely for the confidential research. Any application for exemption should be made prior to using the computer resource for the confidential research.

CUNY, in its discretion, may disclose the results of any general or individual monitoring or inspection to appropriate CUNY personnel or agents, or law enforcement or other agencies. The results may be used in college disciplinary proceedings, discovery proceedings in legal actions, or otherwise as is necessary to protect the interests of the University.

In addition, users should be aware that CUNY may be required to disclose to the public under the New York State Freedom of Information Law communications made by means of CUNY computer resources in conjunction with University business. Any disclosures of activity of accounts of individual users to persons or entities outside of CUNY, whether discretionary or required by law, shall be approved by the General Counsel and shall be conducted in accordance with any applicable law. Except where specifically forbidden by law, CUNY employees subject to such disclosures shall be informed promptly after the disclosure of the actions taken and the reasons for them.

The Office of General Counsel shall issue an annual statement of the instances of account monitoring or inspection that fall within categories (d) through (g) above. The statement shall indicate the number of such instances and the cause and result of each. No personally identifiable data shall be included in this statement.

See CUNY’s Web Site Privacy Policy for additional information regarding data collected by CUNY from visitors to the CUNY website at www.cuny.edu.

13. Enforcement. Violation of this policy may result in suspension or termination of an individual’s right of access to CUNY computer resources, disciplinary action by appropriate CUNY authorities, referral to law enforcement authorities for criminal prosecution, or other legal action, including action to recover civil damages and penalties. Violations will normally be handled through the university disciplinary procedures applicable to the relevant user. For example, alleged violations by students will normally be
investigated, and any penalties or other discipline will normally be imposed, by the Office of Student Affairs.

CUNY has the right to temporarily suspend computer use privileges and to remove from CUNY computer resources material it believes violates this policy, pending the outcome of an investigation of misuse or finding of violation. This power may be exercised only by the President of each college or the Chancellor.

14. Additional Rules. Additional rules, policies, guidelines and/or restrictions may be in effect for specific computers, systems, or networks, or at specific computer facilities at the discretion of the directors of those facilities. Any such rules which potentially limit the privacy or confidentiality of electronic communications or information contained in or delivered by or over CUNY computer resources will be subject to the substantive and procedural safeguards provided by this policy.

15. Disclaimer. CUNY shall not be responsible for any damages, costs, or other liabilities of any nature whatsoever with regard to the use of CUNY computer resources. This includes, but is not limited to, damages caused by unauthorized access to CUNY computer resources, data loss, or other damages resulting from delays, non-deliveries, or service interruptions, whether or not resulting from circumstances under the CUNY’s control.

Users receive and use information obtained through CUNY computer resources at their own risk. CUNY makes no warranties (expressed or implied) with respect to the use of CUNY computer resources. CUNY accepts no responsibility for the content of web pages or graphics that are linked from CUNY web pages, for any advice or information received by a user through use of CUNY computer resources, or for any costs or charges incurred by a user as a result of seeking or accepting such advice or information.

CUNY reserves the right to change this policy and other related policies at any time. CUNY reserves any rights and remedies that it may have under any applicable law, rule, or regulation. Nothing contained in this policy will in any way act as a waiver of such rights and remedies.

Freedom of Speech

Freedom of speech is an essential tradition of any academic community. All members of the Lehman community must be vigilant in exercising their rights of expression so as not to preclude other persons’ guaranteed right to give and receive expression as part of the deliberative process of the academic community. Preservation of this right on campus requires the scrupulous use of means of communication. Public-address systems and all other amplification devices are prohibited.

Smoking

Smoking is prohibited in all buildings owned, leased, or operated by the City University of New York. Effective no later than September 4, 2012, the following shall be prohibited at The City University of New York: (1) the use of tobacco on all grounds and facilities under CUNY jurisdiction, including indoor locations and outdoor locations such as playing fields; entrances and exits to buildings; and parking lots; (2) tobacco industry promotions, advertising, marketing, and distribution of marketing materials on campus properties; and (3) tobacco industry sponsorship of athletic events and athletes.

Drug and Alcohol Usage

The use of illegal drugs will subject the individual to the penalties provided by law. Individual problems with drugs may be discussed in strict confidence with the counseling faculties of the College. The use of legal drugs that are nevertheless injurious to the health is not condoned. The use of alcohol by anyone under 21 years of age is illegal and prohibited.

Identification Cards

Identification cards, issued by the College, must be carried at all times. Students are required to present their I.D. cards upon the request of any College official. Any guest of a student visiting the campus must obtain a pass from Campus Security (The APEX, Room 109) and must present it upon request.

Attendance and Absences

Students in basic skills courses are required to attend classes. Students in all other courses are expected to attend classes regularly, and instructors are required to record attendance for grading and counseling purposes. Individual instructors, as well as departments or degree programs, may establish specific attendance requirements. Instructors have the right to weigh attendance and class participation in determining grades. It is the student’s responsibility to ascertain the effect attendance may have on the grade in a course. Students receiving financial aid must be certified as attending classes regularly for continuing eligibility.

Petitioning

For a petition to be circulated by any student or student group, two copies shall be filed with the Office of Student Activities. All copies of the petition must bear the name of the group or groups circulating the petition.

Solicitation on Campus

No student or nonstudent may use any part of the College buildings and grounds (including Bulletin boards) for soliciting or selling any merchandise or service without the express permission of the Vice President of Student Affairs. Lehman College and the City University of New York do not sponsor any products, merchandising schemes, or tours. Advertising appearing in student publications does not imply the sponsorship of the College.

Representing the College

No student or student organization may be a self-appointed representative of Lehman College or any division thereof, nor of The City University of New York.
Extracurricular Activities and Programs

Group Activities

The College offers a wide range of extracurricular activities and programs. These include departmental, religious, social, political, and athletic activities; creative events, such as art displays and literary, musical, and dramatic performances; and extracurricular lectures on varied topics. Students publish newspapers and other publications and have the opportunity to join a variety of clubs.

Policy on Guest Speakers

Student groups have the right to hear speakers of their choice in accordance with the rules set by the College. It may not, however, be assumed that speakers invited by students represent the views of the College.

Student Government

Student government consists of The Campus Association for Student Activities (C.A.S.A.), which plans and administers programs and allocates funds for student groups, and the Student Conference, which represents students’ interests in the Lehman College Senate.

Participation in College Governance

Students shall comprise a permanent one-third of the total membership of the Senate, based upon combining the total number of voting faculty and voting administration representatives. Senate meetings are open to all students and staff at the College. Students are also represented on College committees. The student senators comprise the Student Conference.

Notification of Student Immunization Requirements

Students who do not submit proof of measles, mumps, and rubella (M.M.R.) immunization or who fail to return the meningococcal meningitis response form within a statutory grace period shall be prohibited from attending the institution. For additional information, contact the Student Health Center located in the T-3 Building, Room 118 at the following phone number: 718-960-8900.

Public Health Law 2165 requires that postsecondary students be immunized against measles, mumps, and rubella (M.M.R.). All registered full-time students and part-time students born on or after January 1, 1957 who are enrolled for at least six, but fewer than twelve semester hours (or equivalent) per semester in an approved degree program or registered certificate program must submit proof of M.M.R. immunization. Students may be exempt from the required M.M.R. immunizations for religious or medical reasons. To qualify for a religious exception, students must submit a signed statement, or in the event the student is a minor (under 18), a signed statement from their parent or guardian, that they hold sincere and genuine religious beliefs that prohibit immunization. To qualify for a medical exception, students must submit a written statement from a licensed physician or nurse practitioner indicating that such immunization may be detrimental to their health.

Public Health Law 2167 requires that postsecondary institutions provide written information about meningococcal meningitis to its students and that students complete, sign, and return a meningococcal meningitis response form. Public Health Law 2167 does not require that students be immunized against meningitis.

Public Health Law 2167 requires colleges to distribute written information about meningococcal meningitis disease and vaccination and students to complete, sign, and return to the college, a meningococcal meningitis response form that: (a) confirms that the college has provided the information about meningococcal meningitis; and (b) indicates that either: (1) the student has received immunization against meningococcal meningitis within the 10 years preceding the date of the response form; or (2) the student has decided against receiving the vaccination. This law applies to students who are enrolled in at least six semester hours (or the equivalent) per semester. No student may be exempt from receiving information or returning the response form.

Freedom of Information Law Notice

Requests to inspect public records at the college should be made to the Records Access Officer, Esdras Tulier, special counsel to the President, who is located in Shuster Hall, Room 376 (718-960-8559). Public records are available for inspection and copying by appointment only at a location to be designated. You have a right to appeal a denial of a request for access to records to the CUNY General Counsel and Vice Chancellor for Legal Affairs. Copies of the CUNY Procedures for Public Access to Public Records Pursuant to Article 6 of the Public Officers Law and the appeal form are available at the Reference Desk of the Library and on the College website.

CUNY Policy on Academic Integrity

Academic Dishonesty is prohibited in The City University of New York and is punishable by penalties, including failing grades, suspension, and expulsion, as provided herein.

Definitions and Examples of Academic Dishonesty

Cheating is the unauthorized use or attempted use of material, information, notes, study aids devices, or communication during an academic exercise.

The following are some examples of cheating, but by no means is it an exhaustive list:

• Copying from another student during an examination or allowing another to copy your work.
• Unauthorized collaboration on a take-home assignment or examination.
• Using notes during a closed-book examination.
• Taking an examination for another student, or asking or allowing another student to take an examination for you.
• Changing a graded exam and returning it for more credit.

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• Submitting substantial portions of the same paper to more than one course without consulting with each instructor.
• Preparing answers or writing notes in a blue book (exam booklet) before an examination.
• Allowing another to research and write assigned papers or do assigned projects, including use of commercial term paper services.
• Giving assistance to acts of academic misconduct/dishonesty.
• Fabricating data (all or in part).
• Submitting someone else’s work as your own.
• Unauthorized use during an examination of any electronic devices, such as cell phones, palm pilots, computers, or other technologies to retrieve or send information.

Plagiarism is the act of presenting another person’s ideas, research or writings as your own.

The following are some examples of plagiarism, but by no means is it an exhaustive list:
• Copying another person’s actual words without the use of quotation marks and footnotes attributing the words to their source.
• Presenting another person’s ideas or theories in your own words without acknowledging the source.
• Using information that is not common knowledge without acknowledging the source.
• Failing to acknowledge collaborators on homework and laboratory assignments.

Internet Plagiarism includes submitting downloaded term papers or parts of term papers, paraphrasing or copying information from the Internet without citing the source, and “cutting & pasting” from various sources without proper attribution.

Obtaining Unfair Advantage is any activity that intentionally or unintentionally gives a student an unfair advantage in his/her academic work over another student.

The following are some examples of obtaining an unfair advantage, but by no means is it an exhaustive list:
• Stealing, reproducing, circulating, or otherwise gaining advance access to examination materials.
• Depriving other students of access to library materials by stealing, destroying, defacing, or concealing them.
• Retaining, using, or circulating examination materials which clearly indicate that they should be returned at the end of the exam.
• Intentionally obstructing or interfering with another student’s work.

Falsification of Records and Official Documents

The following are some examples of falsification, but by no means is it an exhaustive list:
• Forging signatures of authorization.
• Falsifying information on an official academic record.
• Falsifying information on an official document, such as a grade report, letter of permission, drop/add form, ID card, or other College document.

Procedures for Imposition of Sanctions for Violations of CUNY Policy on Academic Integrity

Introduction

As a legal matter, in disciplining students for violations of policies of academic integrity, CUNY, as a public institution, must conform to the principles of due process mandated by the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution—generally speaking, to provide notice of the charges and some opportunity to be heard. In the context of court-litigated violations, questions as to how much and what kind of process was “due” turn on the court’s judgment whether the decision on culpability was “disciplinary” (a question of fact) or “academic” (a question of the instructor’s expert judgment). This distinction has proved difficult to apply on campus. Accordingly, these procedures provide for alternative approaches depending on the severity of the sanction(s) being sought. If the instructor desires solely an “academic” sanction, that is, a grade reduction, less process is due than if a “disciplinary” sanction, such as suspension or expulsion, is sought.

A faculty member who suspects that a student has committed a violation of the CUNY or the College Academic Integrity Policy shall review with the student the facts and circumstances of the suspected violation whenever possible. The decision whether to seek an academic sanction only, rather than a disciplinary sanction or both types of sanctions, will rest with the faculty member in the first instance, but the college retains the right to bring disciplinary charges against the student. Among the factors the College should consider in determining whether to seek a disciplinary sanction are whether the student has committed one or more prior violations of the Academic Integrity Policy and mitigating circumstances, if any. It is strongly recommended that instance of suspected violation should be reported to the Academic Integrity Official on a form provided by the College. Among other things, this reporting will allow the College to determine whether it wishes to seek a disciplinary sanction even where the instructor may not wish to do so.

Procedures in Cases Where the Instructor Seeks an Academic Sanction Only

1. Student Accepts Guilt and Does Not Contest the Academic Sanction

If the faculty member wishes to seek only an academic sanction (i.e., a reduced grade only), and the student does not contest either his/her guilt or the particular reduced grade the faculty member has chosen, then the student shall be given the reduced grade, unless the College decides to seek a disciplinary sanction. The reduced grade may apply to the particular assignment as to which the violation occurred or to the course grade, at the faculty member’s discretion.

2. Student Denies Guilt and/or Contests the Academic Sanction

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If the student denies guilt or contests the particular grade awarded by the faculty member, then the matter shall be handled using the College’s grade appeals process, including departmental grading committees where applicable, or the Academic Integrity Committee. In either case, the process must, at a minimum, provide the student with an opportunity to be heard and to present evidence.

Procedures in Cases Where a Disciplinary Sanction Is Sought

If a faculty member suspects a violation and seeks a disciplinary sanction, the faculty member shall refer the matter to the College’s Academic Integrity Official using the Faculty Report form, to be adjudicated by the College’s Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee under Article 15 of the CUNY Bylaws. As provided for therein, the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee may, among other things, investigate, conciliate, or hear evidence on cases in which disciplinary charges are brought. Under certain circumstances, College officials other than the Academic Integrity Official may seek disciplinary sanctions following the procedures outlined above. If a reduced grade is also at issue, then that grade should be held in abeyance, pending the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee’s action.

Procedures in Cases in Which Both a Disciplinary and an Academic Sanction Are Sought

If a faculty member or the College seeks to have both a disciplinary and an academic sanction imposed, it is not advisable to proceed on both fronts simultaneously lest inconsistent results ensue. Thus, it is best to begin with the disciplinary proceeding seeking imposition of a disciplinary sanction and await its outcome before addressing the academic sanction. If the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee finds that the alleged violation occurred, then the faculty member may reflect that finding in the student’s grade. If a reduced grade is also at issue, then that grade should be held in abeyance, pending the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee’s action.

Reporting Requirements

1. By the Faculty Member to the Academic Integrity Official

   In cases where a violation of academic integrity has been found to have occurred (whether by admission or a fact-finding process), the faculty member should promptly file with the Academic Integrity Official a report of the adjudication in writing on a Faculty Report form provided by the College as described above. The Academic Integrity Official shall maintain a confidential file for each student about whom a suspected or adjudicated violation is reported. If either the grade appeals process or the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee finds that no violation occurred, the Academic Integrity Official shall remove and destroy all material relating to that incident from the student’s confidential academic integrity file. Before determining what sanction(s) to seek, the faculty member or the Academic Integrity Official may consult the student’s confidential academic integrity file, if any, to determine whether the student has been found to have previously committed a violation of the Academic Integrity Policy, the nature of the infraction, and the sanction imposed or action taken.

2. By the Academic Integrity Official to the Faculty Member

   Where a matter proceeds to the Faculty-Student Disciplinary Committee, the Academic Integrity Official shall promptly report its resolution to the faculty member and file a record of the resolution in the student’s confidential academic integrity file, unless, as indicated above, the suspected violation was held to be unfounded, in which case all reporting forms concerning that suspected violation shall be destroyed.

Procedures for Handling Student Complaints about Faculty Conduct in Academic Settings

1. Introduction. The University and its Colleges have a variety of procedures for dealing with student-related issues, including grade appeals, academic integrity violations, student discipline, disclosure of student records, student elections, sexual harassment complaints, disability accommodations, and discrimination. One area not generally covered by other procedures concerns student complaints about faculty conduct in the classroom or other formal academic settings. The University respects the academic freedom of the faculty and will not interfere with it as it relates to the content or style of teaching activities. Indeed, academic freedom is and should be of paramount importance. At the same time the University recognizes its responsibility to provide students with a procedure for addressing complaints about faculty treatment of students that are not protected by academic freedom and are not covered by other procedures. Examples might include incompetent or inefficient service, neglect of duty, physical or mental incapacity, and conduct unbecoming a member of the staff.

2. Determination of Appropriate Procedure. If students have any question about the applicable procedure to follow for a particular complaint, they should consult with the chief student affairs officer. In particular, the chief student affairs officer should advise a student if some other procedure is applicable to the type of complaint the student has.

3. Informal Resolution. Students are encouraged to attempt to resolve complaints informally with the faculty member or to seek the assistance of the department chairperson or campus ombudsman to facilitate informal resolution.

4. Formal Complaint. If the student does not pursue informal resolution, or if informal resolution is unsuccessful, the student may file a written complaint with the department chairperson or, if the chairperson is the subject of the complaint, with the academic dean or a senior faculty member designated by the college president. (This person will be referred to below as the “Fact Finder.”)

5. The complaint shall be filed within 30 calendar days of the alleged conduct unless there is good cause shown for delay, including but not limited to delay caused by an attempt at informal resolution. The complaint shall be as specific as possible in describing the conduct complained of.
6. The Fact Finder shall promptly send a copy to the faculty member about whom the complaint is made, along with a letter stating that the filing of the complaint does not imply that any wrongdoing has occurred and that a faculty member must not retaliate in any way against a student for having made a complaint. If either the student or the faculty member has reason to believe that the department chairperson may be biased or otherwise unable to deal with the complaint in a fair and objective manner, he or she may submit to the academic dean or the senior faculty member designated by the college president a written request stating the reasons for that belief; if the request appears to have merit, that person may, in his or her sole discretion, replace the department chairperson as the Fact Finder.

7. The Fact Finder shall meet with the complaining student and faculty member, either separately or together, to discuss the complaint and to try to resolve it. The Fact Finder may seek the assistance of the campus ombudsman or other appropriate person to facilitate informal resolution.

8. If resolution is not possible, and the Fact Finder concludes that the facts alleged by the student, taken as true and viewed in the light most favorable to the student, establish that the conduct complained of is clearly protected by academic freedom, he or she shall issue a written report dismissing the complaint and setting forth the reasons for dismissal and send a copy to the complaining student, the faculty member, the chief academic officer, and the chief student affairs officer. Otherwise, the Fact Finder shall conduct an investigation. The Fact Finder shall separately interview the complaining student, the faculty member, and other persons with relevant knowledge and information and shall also consult with the chief student affairs officer and, if appropriate, the college ombudsman. The Fact Finder shall not reveal the identity of the complaining student and the faculty member to others except to the extent necessary to conduct the investigation. If the Fact Finder believes it would be helpful, he or she may meet again with the student and faculty member after completing the investigation in an effort to resolve the matter. The complaining student and the faculty member shall have the right to have a representative (including a union representative, student government representative, or attorney) present during the initial meeting, the interview, and any post-investigation meeting.

9. At the end of the investigation, the Fact Finder shall issue a written report setting forth his or her findings and recommendations, with particular focus on whether the conduct in question is protected by academic freedom, and send a copy to the complaining student, the faculty member, the chief academic officer, and the chief student affairs officer. In ordinary cases, it is expected that the investigation and written report should be completed within 30 calendar days of the date the complaint was filed.

10. Appeals Procedure. If either the student or the faculty member is not satisfied with the report of the Fact Finder, the student or faculty member may file a written appeal to the chief academic officer within 10 calendar days of receiving the report. The chief academic officer shall convene and serve as the chairperson of an Appeals Committee, which shall also include the chief student affairs officer, two faculty members elected annually by the faculty council or senate, and one student elected annually by the student senate. The Appeals Committee shall review the findings and recommendations of the report, with particular focus on whether the conduct in question is protected by academic freedom. The Appeals Committee shall not conduct a new factual investigation or overturn any factual findings contained in the report unless they are clearly erroneous. If the Appeals Committee decides to reverse the Fact Finder in a case where there has not been an investigation because the Fact Finder erroneously found that the alleged conduct was protected by academic freedom, it may remand to the Fact Finder for further proceedings. The committee shall issue a written decision within 20 calendar days of receiving the appeal. A copy of the decision shall be sent to the student, the faculty member, the department chairperson, and the president.

11. Subsequent Action. Following the completion of these procedures, the appropriate college official shall decide the appropriate action, if any, to take. For example, the department chairperson may decide to place a report in the faculty member’s personnel file or the president may bring disciplinary charges against the faculty member. Disciplinary charges may also be brought in extremely serious cases even though the college has not completed the entire investigative process described above; in that case, the bringing of disciplinary charges shall automatically suspend that process. Any action taken by a college must comply with the bylaws of the University and the collective bargaining agreement between the University and the Professional Staff Congress.

12. Campus Implementation. Each campus shall implement these procedures and shall distribute them widely to administrators, faculty members, and students and post them on the college website.

13. Board Review. During the spring 2009 semester, the Chancellery shall conduct a review of the experience of the colleges with these procedures, including consultation with administrators, faculty, and students, and shall report the results of that review to the Board of Trustees, along with any recommended changes.

1 A reduced grade can be an "F," a "D-," or another grade that is lower than the grade that would have been given but for the violation.

2 Typically, disciplinary sanctions would be sought in cases of the most egregious, or repeated, violations, for example: infraction in ways similar to criminal activity (such as forging a grade form; stealing an examination from a professor or a university office; or forging a transcript); having a substitute take an examination or taking an examination for someone else; sabotaging another student’s work through actions designed to prevent the student from successfully completing an assignment; dishonesty that affects a major or essential portion of work done to meet course requirements. [These examples have been taken from a list of violations compiled by Rutgers University.]
The City University of New York Campus and Workplace Violence Policy

Policy Statement

The City University of New York (the “University” or “CUNY”) is committed to the prevention of workplace violence and will respond promptly to any threats and/or acts of violence. For purposes of this Policy, Workplace Violence is defined as any physical assault or acts of aggressive behavior occurring where an employee performs any work-related duty in the course of his or her employment, including but not limited to:

(i) An attempt or threat, whether verbal or physical, to inflict physical injury upon an employee;
(ii) Any intentional display of force which would give an employee reason to fear or expect bodily harm;
(iii) Intentional and wrongful physical contact with an employee without his or her consent that entails some injury;
(iv) Stalking an employee in a manner which may cause the employee to fear for his or her physical safety and health when such stalking has arisen through and in the course of employment.

Workplace Violence presents a serious occupational safety hazard to CUNY and its employees. The University will respond promptly to threats and/or acts of violence. All employees are responsible for helping to create an environment of mutual respect and for assisting in maintaining a safe and secure work environment and will participate in the annual Workplace Violence Prevention Training Program. Individuals who violate this Policy may be removed from University property and are subject to disciplinary and/or personnel action up to and including termination, consistent with University policies, rules and collective bargaining agreements, and/or referral to law enforcement authorities for criminal prosecution.

Employment participation in the implementation of this Policy will be provided through their authorized employee representatives, who will be invited to participate in: (1) the annual physical risk assessment site evaluation(s) to determine the presence of risk factors which may place employees at risk of workplace violence; (2) the development and annual review of a Workplace Violence Prevention Program promulgated by each College for the implementation of the Policy; (3) the annual review of the Campus Workplace Violence Incidents Report prepared annually by each College; and (4) as appropriate, following a serious incident of Workplace Violence.

Complaints involving Workplace Violence will not be ignored and will be given the serious attention they deserve. Employees are responsible for reporting any incidents of Workplace Violence of which they become aware. Such reports should be made to the employee’s immediate supervisor or the Director of Public Safety on their campus.

The University, at the request of an employee or student, or at its own discretion, may prohibit members of the public, including family members, from seeing an employee or student on University property unless necessary to transact University-related business. This policy particularly applies when an employee or student anticipates that an act of violence may result from an encounter with said individual(s).

Notice of Access to Campus Crime Statistics, the Campus Security Report, and Information on Registered Sex Offenders

The College Advisory Committee on Campus Safety will provide upon request all campus crime statistics as reported to the U.S. Department of Education, as well as the annual campus security report. The campus security report includes:

1. the campus crime statistics for the most recent calendar year and the two preceding calendar years;
2. campus policies regarding procedures and facilities to report criminal actions or other emergencies on campus;
3. policies concerning the security of and access to campus facilities;
4. policies on campus law enforcement;
5. a description of campus programs to inform students and employees about campus security procedures and practices and to encourage students and employees to be responsible for their own security and the security of others;
6. campus crime prevention programs;
7. policy concerning the monitoring through the police of criminal activity at off-campus locations of students organizations officially recognized by the college;
8. policies on illegal drugs, alcohol, and underage drinking;
9. where information provided by the State on registered sex offenders may be obtained (also see below); and
10. policies on campus sexual assault programs aimed at the prevention of sex offenses and procedures to be followed when a sex offense occurs. This information is maintained pursuant to the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act.

The campus crime statistics and the annual campus security report are available at the Reference Desk of the library and the College website at www.lehman.edu. If you wish to be mailed copies of the campus crime statistics and the annual campus security report, contact Alicia Cruz, assistant director of public safety, at 718-960-8593, and copies will be mailed to you within 10 days. The U.S. Department of Education’s website address for

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campus crime statistics is: www.ed.gov/security/InstDetail.asp
(then input the name of the school).

In accordance with the federal Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act, registered sex offenders now are required to register the name and address of any college at which he or she is a student or employee. The New York State Division of Criminal Justice maintains a registry of convicted sex offenders and informs the college's chief security (public safety) officer of the presence on campus of a registered sex offender as a student or employee. You may contact Alicia Cruz, assistant director of public safety, in Room 109 of the APEX (718-960-8593) to obtain information about Level 2 or Level 3 registered sex offenders on campus. To obtain information about Level 3 offenders, visit the Division's registry website at www.criminaljustice.state.ny.us/nsor/sor_about.htm and then click on "Search for Level 3 Sex Offenders" or access the directory at the College's public safety department or police precinct. To obtain information about Level 2 offenders, contact the public safety department, the local police precinct in which the offender resides or attends college, or the Division's sex offender registry at 800-262-3257.

Athletic Program Participation Notice

Lehman College files an annual report with the U.S. Secretary of Education on intercollegiate athletics that includes information on the participation of males and females on its teams, and the expenditures and revenues of those teams. Copies of the annual report on intercollegiate athletics are available at the reference desk of the Library.
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