

MEASUREMENT, EVALUATION, AND RESEARCH, POST- MASTER'S CERTIFICATE (0488)

Program Coordinator

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This certificate is designed for graduate students who need training in the areas of research methods, measurement, statistics, and program evaluation to engage in educational and social science research.

Program Admission

Applicants must hold a Master's Degree from an accredited college or university with a minimum GPA of 3.5 from graduate work at the Master's Degree level. Required prerequisite courses with grades of "B" or higher include:

- EDFN 500 or EDLD 712; and
- EDFN 501 or equivalent.

Please refer to the admission section (<http://catalog.wku.edu/graduate/admission>) of this catalog for Graduate School admission requirements.

Program Requirements (18 hours)

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
EDLD 722	Measurement and Survey Methods for Educational Leaders	3
EDLD 732	Program Evaluation for Educational Leaders	3
EDFN 740	Intermediate Statistics and Design ¹	3
Electives		
Select 9 hours from the following: ²		9
EDFN 603	Qualitative Research in Education	
EDFN 703	Field Methods for Qualitative Research	
EDFN 744	Seminar in Advanced Research Methods ³	
EDAD 734	School Accountability and Teacher Evaluation	
Total Hours		18

¹ Students who have completed EDFN 601 may substitute it for EDFN 740.

² Students will work with their advisors to select elective courses.

³ EDFN 744 may be taken more than once for elective credit.