

QUICK FACTS
Baylor University School of Education
Department of Educational Leadership
Developing Leaders for All Aspects of Education

The Department of Educational Leadership prepares graduates for exemplary leadership of public and private institutions and for educational research through graduate and undergraduate programs.

The Department of Educational Leadership is deeply committed to:

- Faculty of the Highest Quality
- Cutting-Edge Research
- Integration of Faith and Learning
- Student Mentorship

Graduate Programs (5)

Higher Education Studies and Leadership (HESL) — a 72-credit hour, residential, cohort-based PhD program that offers a balance of research, academic rigor, and hands-on professional experience to prepare scholars and practitioners for careers in leadership (2021-22 enrollment 18)

Key Faculty — [Perry Glanzer](#) (director), [Nathan Alleman](#), and [Rishi Sriram](#)

Higher Education and Student Affairs (HESA) — a 42-credit hour, residential, cohort-based MEd program that incorporates student development, administrative theory, and faith along with a 20-hour per week apprenticeship for direct field-based work experience (2021-22 enrollment 19)

Key Faculty — [Rishi Sriram](#) (director), [Nathan Alleman](#), [Perry Glanzer](#), and [Leanne Newman](#)

K-12 Educational Leadership (K-12) — a 65-credit hour, cohort-based, practitioner-oriented EdD program designed for the dedicated working education professional seeking superintendent certification in a program emphasizing complex problem solving for educational leaders (2021-22 enrollment 32)

Key Faculty — [Bradley Carpenter](#) (director), [Jon Eckert](#), [Angela Urick](#), and [John Wilson](#)

MA in School Leadership (MASL) — a dual-track master's program utilizing a hybrid model to deliver a 30 credit-hour program to train Christian leaders in both public and independent K-12 school settings. Coursework combines two rounds of on-campus intensive sessions with online coursework, internship experience, and mentored capstone research (2021-22 enrollment 27)

Key Faculty — [Herb Cox](#) (director), [Bradley Carpenter](#), [Jon Eckert](#), and [Angela Urick](#)

Sport Management (SPM) — a 36-credit hour residential MEd program that combines face-to-face instruction in small class settings with sport industry field work in professional, intercollegiate, interscholastic, community and both for-profit and non-profit settings to develop sport leaders (2021-22 enrollment 32)

Key Faculty — [Jeffrey Petersen](#) (director) and [Marshall Magnusen](#)

Undergraduate Programs (1)

Leadership Studies (LDS) — an 18-credit hour interdisciplinary undergraduate minor strategically partnering with the Academy for Leader Development and designed to combine theoretical and practical leadership knowledge for the preparation of life-long service and vocational leadership (2021-22 declared minors 87)

Key Faculty — [Jon Eckert](#) (int. director), Jeff Strietzel ([Postdoc Teaching Fellow](#)), Theodore Cockle

Affiliated Programs (1)

Center for School Leadership (CSL) — equips Christians for collective leadership that catalyzes excellence in faith-based, independent, and public K-12 schools

Key Staff — [Matt Thomas](#) (executive director) and [Jon Eckert](#)