COURSEWORK
A minimum of 63 hours beyond the master’s degree to include the following:

REQUIRED CORE — 6 hours
HESA 6603  Organizational Theory & Administration of the Higher Education Organization
HESA 6823  Educational Leadership

INQUIRY CORE — 15 hours
HESA 6853  Research Traditions in Higher Education & Student Affairs
SCFD 6123  Qualitative Research I
REMS 5953  Statistical Methods in Education
REMS 6003*  Analysis of Variance
SCFD 6193*  Qualitative Research II  OR
REMS 6013*  Multiple Regression Analysis

HIGHER EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION OPTION — 21 hours
Required Core — 12 hours
HESA 6233  Critical Issues in Higher Education & Student Affairs
HESA 6463  Higher Education Law
HESA 6553  Public Policy & Higher Education
HESA 6753  Historical Development of Higher Education

Elective or Cognate — 9 hours**
HESA 5343  Assessment Techniques in Higher Education & Student Affairs
HESA 6163  International Issues in Higher Education
HESA 6243  Internship in Higher Education & Student Affairs
HESA 6573  Institutional Research & Policy Analysis
HESA 6583  The Impact of College on Students & Society
HESA 6683  The Community Junior College
HESA 6703  Finance in Higher Education
HESA 6713  Effective Teaching in Colleges & Universities
HESA 6733  Planning & Educational Change
HESA 6833  College & University Presidency
HESA 6843  The Academic Department
HESA 6850  Directed Readings in Higher Education & Student Affairs
SCFD 6983  Diversity & Equity Issues

**And other courses approved by the doctoral committee

INDEPENDENT RESEARCH/DISSERTATION — minimum of 21 hours
HESA 6850  Directed Readings in Higher Education & Student Affairs
HESA 6903*  Dissertation Proposal Writing
HESA 6000*  Doctoral Dissertation (minimum of 15 hours)

NOTE: A set of additional committee-approved development activities, including research, are required during the program.

*Denotes classes with prerequisites

**Electives and any additional courses must be approved by the student’s committee