

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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Mission

Preparing leaders to impact a diverse and evolving world.

Vision

The Department of Educational Leadership has a unique role given our university's history as a teacher's college. We are situated at the crossroads of both a rural community and one of the largest urban areas in the country. We aim to create an inclusive environment that embraces the diversity of experiences our faculty and students bring from across P-16 in these communities. We believe in the importance of quality teaching and mentoring that is directive, informative, and inspiring. We are committed to fostering meaningful relationships, innovation, and scholarship that address critical issues in education so that we **empower a courageous community of educational leaders to create the world we want to live in.**

Career Opportunities

The Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Educational Studies is designed for students who wish to study education and work in education-related fields but do not wish to be certified as K-12 teachers. Through coursework, projects, advising, and independent studies, students will explore issues related to education policy and practice as well as connections between education and other institutions (e.g., business, criminal justice, health, government). This degree will prepare students for careers in:

- Non-profit educational agencies
- Educational policy analysts
- Educational grant writing
- Data analytics and program evaluation in education
- Human resources development
- Career/college advising
- College admissions and recruiting
- Student affairs (e.g., student activities, housing, leadership)

Majors

- Bachelor of Arts, Major in Educational Studies (<http://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/colleges-academic-departments/education/educational-leadership/ba-educational-studies/>)

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