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Dear Colleagues:

The attached proposal for the following new Areas of Emphasis under the major in Professional Counseling (M.Ed.) will be an agenda item for the October 17, 2012, Full University Curriculum Committee:

Area of Emphasis in School Counseling

Area of Emphasis in Community Counseling

Sincerely,

David E. Shipley, Chair  
University Curriculum Committee

cc: Provost Jere W. Morehead  
Dr. Laura D. Jolly

# **Professional Counseling**

## **Areas of Emphasis**

ATTACHMENT A

**PROPOSAL FOR AREA OF EMPHASIS**

School/College: College of Education

Department/Division: Counseling and Human Development Services

Major: Professional Counseling

Emphasis 1: School Counseling

Emphasis 2: Community Counseling

*If major has more than one area of emphasis, submit all areas of emphasis under one major together. A course may appear in more than one area of emphasis, but each area of emphasis should have a distinct focus.*

**Major Requirements:** Attach a list of requirements for the major. Undergraduate programs may attach a copy of the major requirements from the online bulletin. Graduate programs may provide a list of general requirements for the major.

**Area of Emphasis Title (as it will appear in the *Bulletin*):**

Emphasis 1: School Counseling

Emphasis 2: Community Counseling

**Proposed starting date:** in progress

**Area of Emphasis Description:** Include prefixes, numbers and titles of required courses, number of credit hours required; residency requirements (if any); and grade requirements (if any). Graduate Areas of Emphasis may refer to groups of courses if necessary.

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**School Counseling:**

**First Summer Semester**

ECHD 7500 Foundations in School Counseling (3)

ECHD 7060 Cross-Cultural Counseling (3)

ECHD 6020 Interpersonal Relations (3)

ECHD 8050 Counseling Children & Adolescents (3)

**Fall Semester**

ECHD 7040 Theories of Counseling and Human Development (3)

ECHD 7010 Individual Appraisal (3)

ECHD 8020 Seminar in Counseling and Human Development Services (3)

RLST 6000 Service Learning (3)

**Spring Semester**

ECHD 7700 Individual Counseling Practicum (3) (100 clock hours)

ECHD 7080 Introduction to Group Counseling (3)

ECHD 7050 Lifestyle and Career Development (3)

**Summer Semester**

ECHD 7000 Master's Research (3)

ECHD 8100 Developmental Counseling (3)\*

**Fall Semester**

ECHD 7850 Internship in School Counseling (3 - 6) (300 clock hours)

**Fall Semester**

ECHD 7850 Internship in School Counseling (3 - 6) (300 clock hours)

**Community Counseling:**

**Core Courses**

ECHD 6020 (3 hours)	Interpersonal Relationships
ECHD 7920 (3 hours)	Research Methods in Counseling & Psychology
ECHD 7010 (3 hours)	Individual Appraisal
ECHD 7050 (3 hours)	Lifestyle and Career Development
ECHD 7600 (3 hours)	Foundations of Mental Health & Community Counseling
ECHD 7080 (3 hours)	Introduction to Group Counseling
ECHD 7860 (9 hours)	Internship in Community Counseling
ECHD 7700 (3 hours)	Individual Counseling Practicum
ECHD 7040 (3 hours)	Theories of Counseling & Human Development
ECHD 7060 (3 hours)	Multi-Cultural Counseling
ECHD 8020 (3 hours)	Seminar in Counseling and Human Development Services
ECHD 8030 (3 hours)	Psycho-Diagnosis
ECHD 8180 (3 hours)	Alcohol and Drug Therapy
ECHD 9110 (3 hours)	Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy


Signatures:

Department Head Department Date

 7-18-12

Wanda Stitt-Gercks 7/31/12

School/College Curriculum Committee Chair School/College Date

 | CB 8/22/12

Dean of Graduate School Date

University Curriculum Committee Chair Date

**M.Ed.: SCHOOL COUNSELING**  
**Tentative Program Advisement Form**  
**Cohort 2011-2013**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Admission \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

**COURSE NUMBER, TITLE, AND # OF CREDITS      SEMESTER      GRADE**

**Minimum Counseling Core (45 Hours)**

ECHD 7500	Foundations in School Counseling (3)	Summer (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7060	Cross-Cultural Counseling (3)	Summer (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 6020	Interpersonal Relations (3)	Summer (1 <sup>st</sup> yr)	_____
ECHD 8100	Developmental Counseling (3)	Summer (1 <sup>st</sup> )	_____
ECHD 7040	Theories of Counseling and Human Development (3)	Fall (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7010	Individual Appraisal (3)	Fall (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 8020	Seminar in Counseling and Human Development Services (3)	Fall (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
RLST 6000	Service Learning (3)	Fall (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7700	Individual Counseling Practicum (3) (100 clock hours)	Spring (1 <sup>st</sup> yr)	_____
ECHD 7080	Introduction to Group Counseling (3)	Spring (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7050	Lifestyle and Career Development (3)	Spring (1 <sup>st</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7000	Master's Research (3)	Summer (2 <sup>nd</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 8050	Counseling Children & Adolescents (3)	Fall (2 <sup>nd</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7850	Internship in School Counseling (3 - 6) (300 clock hours)	Fall (2 <sup>nd</sup> yr.)	_____
ECHD 7850	Internship in School Counseling (3 - 6) (300 clock hours)	Spring (2 <sup>nd</sup> yr.)	_____

**Guided Electives**

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**Total Credit Hours Required for Degree: 48**

**\*Guided Electives:**

Electives may be chosen from courses offered in our department or in Educational Leadership, Child and Family Development, Social Work, Educational Psychology, and/or Instructional Technology. Selections should be made to develop competencies in leadership, advocacy, teaming, the use of data, multiculturalism, or technology. Electives must be approved by the School Counseling Program Faculty.

**Out of Class Expectations:**

- Access to the Internet and E-mail \_\_\_\_\_
- Involvement in a variety of cohort activities \_\_\_\_\_  
(e.g., receptions, dinners, CCCC, & organizations)
- Attendance at the annual conferences of the Georgia School Counselor's Association \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend a class retreat \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend one College Board Workshop \_\_\_\_\_
- Participate in a professional mentoring relationship \_\_\_\_\_
- Mentor incoming graduate students during your second year \_\_\_\_\_
- Participate in a collaborative action research project \_\_\_\_\_
- Successfully complete a comprehensive exam \_\_\_\_\_
- Plan and host a graduation event \_\_\_\_\_

**For certification:**

- Complete the M.Ed. coursework and field experiences \_\_\_\_\_
- Complete an Exceptional Children's course \_\_\_\_\_
- Pass counseling sections of the GACE\* \_\_\_\_\_
- Show technological competence \_\_\_\_\_

\*If SAT or GRE scores are below the state requirement, then the general GACE may be needed

There are costs associated with several of the out-of-class expectations or certification requirements including but not limited to conference attendance, the cohort retreat, the graduation event, and examinations. Student associations can engage in fund-raising to support some of these initiatives and to reduce personal expenses incurred.

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Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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