

ATTENTION

FALL 2011 NEW STUDENTS

Please regularly check your email for announcements. All communication from the Counseling Department and the Office of Graduate Studies will be disseminated through this medium, regarding Fall 2011.

You are asked to be patient and do not call the EDC office.

You will receive official notification from the Dept. Manager, Kim Ross regarding the EDC WELCOME ORIENTATION, which will be held on Friday May 13, 2011, beginning at 5:00pm.
Location to be announced.

Dept. of Counselor Education
College of Education
California State University, Sacramento

EDC PROGRAM

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“3 Specializations, 1 Mission”

STUDENTS, STAFF & FACULTY

- ◆ **Students:** 500 part-& full-time
- ◆ **Department Manager:** Kim Ross
- ◆ **Department Chairperson/
Graduate Coordinator:** Dr. Susan Wycoff

- ◆ **EDC Faculty**
 - ◆ Dr. Rose Borunda
 - ◆ Dr. Marielle Brandt
 - ◆ Dr. Shannon Dickson
 - ◆ Dr. Louis Downs
 - ◆ Dr. Darryl Henderson
 - ◆ Dr. Al Levin
 - ◆ Dr. Elisabeth Liles



Preparing for Fall 2011

- ◆ **Cohort Matriculation:** Any personal deviation from the cohort program may likely result in delayed matriculation and/or graduation.
- ◆ **Department Graduate Unit Cap: 12 Units**
- ◆ **Dual-Option Update:** No adding or changing an option-CHANCELLOR MANDATE
- ◆ **3rd section of research course available: EDTE 250 Weds. 4:00-6:50**
- ◆ **Fall 2011 class schedule will be updated by Wednesday April 20**
- ◆ **EDC Petition Deadlines:**
 - 📄 Submit **EDC 290 Petition** to Specialization Coordinators
DUE: Friday May 13, 2011 - no later 5:00pm
 - Career Coordinator: Dr. Al Levin
 - MFT Coordinator: Dr. Shannon Dickson
 - School Coordinator: Dr. Elisabeth Liles
 - 📄 Submit **Advancement to Candidacy** to Faculty Advisor
DUE: Friday September 23, 2011 no later 5:00pm

IMPORTANT WEB SITES

Department of Counselor Education

<http://edweb.csus.edu/edc/index.html>

- **Kim's Corner**
- **Student Handbook**
- **Practicum Handbook Fall 2011**
- **Field Study Handbook Fall 2011**
- **Forms**

Office of Graduate Studies

www.csus.edu/gradstudies/directory.htm

- **Advancement to Candidacy**
- **Petition to Graduate**

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Course Requirements: 45 Core Units + 15 Specialization Units = 60

Developed by K. Ross

Course #	Core Courses for the M.S. in Counseling	Units
EDC 210	Multicultural/Ethnic Counseling	3
EDC 212	Gender Roles & Sexuality in Counseling	3
EDC 214	Dynamics of Human Development	3
EDC 216	Counseling Theory	3
EDC 218	Appraisal in Counseling	3
EDC 219	Group Processes in Counseling	3
EDC 231 or PSYC 268	Diagnosis and Treatment Planning or Advanced Psychopathology	3
EDC 233	Substance Abuse and Addiction	3
EDC 250	Educational Research	3
EDC 252	Law and Ethics in Counseling	3
EDC 260	Career Development	3
EDC 280	Practicum in Communication	2
EDC 475	Practicum in Counseling	3
EDC 480	Field Study in Counseling	6
EDC 290	Culminating Exam	1
Total Unit Requirement		45

Course #	Career Specialization Courses	Units
EC 296L	Trauma and Crisis Counseling	3
EDC 262	Career Counseling Process	3
EDC 264	Seminar in Counseling: Career Systems Development	3
EDC 266	Seminar in Counseling: Career Program Development	3
EDC 268	Career and Job Search	3
Total Unit Requirement		15

Course #	MFT Specialization Courses	Units
EDC 296L	Trauma and Crisis Counseling	3
EDC 234	Seminar: Marriage and Family Therapy	3
EDC 254	Counseling and Psychotropic Medicine	3
EDC 272	Seminar: Counseling Children and Youth	3
EDC 476	Practicum in Marriage, Family Therapy	1
	Electives	2
Total Unit Requirement		15

Course #	School Specialization Courses	Units
EDC 234	Seminar: Marriage and Family Therapy	3
EDC 270	Organization/Administration of School Counseling Programs	3
EDC 272	Counseling Children and Youth	3
EDC 274	Guidance and Consultation in School Counseling	3
EDC 242	Play and Art Therapy with Children	3
Total Unit Requirement		15

To Meet LPCC Licensure Academic Course Requirements the Following MUST be Completed:

- EDC 231 Diagnosis and Treatment Planning
- EDC 233 Substance Abuse and Addiction
- EDC 254 Counseling and Psychotropic Medicine
- EDC 296L Trauma and Crisis Counseling

Student Accountability

- ▶ **Keep all correspondence that you receive from either OGS or from EDC in a file.**
- ▶ **You are required to read the EDC Student Handbook located on the EDC website.**
- ▶ **You are responsible for keeping abreast of all deadlines and due dates throughout program of studies. Missing deadlines can impact matriculation and graduation.**
- ▶ **When in doubt, do not go by what you hear from others in passing...**
- ▶ **Check the Student Handbook & verify through the Department office in Eureka Hall 414.**
- ▶ **Routinely check the EDC department website and the student boards outside Department office for updates & announcements.**

Breakout *by* Specialization

5:30-7:00pm

CAREER

Eureka Hall 104

MFT

Eureka Hall 106

SCHOOL

Eureka Hall 105



Accreditation

- **CSUS**

Western Association of Schools and Colleges
National Council of Graduate Schools

- **COE**

National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education

- **EDC: CACREP**

Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related
Educational Programs

- **CTC: Commission on Teacher Credentialing**

To ensure the preparation, conduct & professional growth of the educators
& counselors who serve California's public schools

Active Faculty Memberships

- **American Counseling Association (ACA)**
- **National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC)**
- **American/California Associations for Marriage & Family Therapy (AAMFT, CAMFT)**
- **National Career Development Association (NCDA)**
- **American School Counseling Association (ASCA)**
- **American Psychological Association (APA)**
- **Chi Sigma Iota National Counselor Honor Society**

Licensed Professional Clinical Counselors

SB 788 to regulate Licensed Professional Clinical Counselors became law Jan 1, 2010

- ▶ **Board of Behavioral Sciences has until Jan 2011 to develop rules & regulations, which will implement the law.**

Scope of Practice

- ▶ **“Professional clinical counseling” means the application of counseling interventions and psychotherapeutic techniques to identify and remediate cognitive, mental & emotional issues, including personal growth, adjustment to disability, crisis intervention, and psychosocial and environmental problems.**
- ▶ **Does not include the assessment or treatment of couples or families unless the counselor has completed additional training and education, beyond the minimum training and education required for licensure.**

To Learn More: LPCC

BBS: <http://www/bbs.ca.gov>

CCCL: <http://www.caccl.org/>

Licensing Options

- Grandparenting Path
- Out-of-State License Path
- In-State Traditional License Path
- LPCC 9 Core Content Areas



Webinar also available on CCCL website