

MEMORANDUM

TO: Council on Graduate Studies

FROM: Diane H. Jackman, Dean
College of Education and Professional Studies

DATE: April 27, 2016

RE: Executive Action Item

The following request was received from the Department of Educational Leadership. I concur with the revision and ask that the change be made by executive action. The effective date should be Fall 2016.

Requested Change: Separate the current EDL 6910 course into two courses, EDL 6910A and EDL 6910B. This will divide the current 4 credits equally between the two courses so that each course is 2 credits.

Rationale for the change: Earlier this year, the licensure rules were changed for the superintendent endorsement which required a longer field experience. This change creates two semesters of field experience, each for two credits, which cannot be completed in a single semester by the students. The change allows students to see and experience an entire year of the superintendency. A reapplication for EIU's superintendency program (which is our Ed.S. graduate degree) must be submitted to ISBE early this summer in order for us to allow any new students to start that program after September 1, 2016. At the time of our submission to ISBE, the curricular change must be completed.

Current Catalog Copy

EDL 6910 - Field Experience in Administration.

(4-0-4) (Credit/No Credit) The field experience is planned by the supervising professor.

Prerequisites & Notes
EDA 6700.

Credits: 4

Proposed Catalog Copy

EDL 6910A - Field Experience in Administration.

(2-0-2) (Credit/No Credit) The field experience is planned by the supervising professor.

Prerequisites & Notes
EDA 6700.

Credits: 2

EDL 6910B - Field Experience in Administration.

(2-0-2) (Credit/No Credit) The field experience is planned by the supervising professor.

Prerequisites & Notes
EDA 6700.

Credits: 2

Current Catalog Copy Descriptions

Total. Credits: 33

- [EDL 6200 - Evaluating Student Achievement.](#) Credits: 4
- [EDL 6600 - Organizational Development in Educational Administration.](#) Credits: 4
- [EDL 6650 - The Superintendent of Schools.](#) Credits: 4
- [EDL 6700 - Planning and Evaluation of Instructional Programs.](#) Credits: 3
- [EDL 6800 - Current Issues in Educational Administration.](#) Credits: 4
- [EDL 6810 - Seminar: School Operations and the Law.](#) Credits: 2
- [EDL 6850 - School Plant Planning.](#) Credits: 2
- [EDL 6860 - School Finance.](#) Credits: 3
- [EDL 6870 - Professional Negotiation - Collective Bargaining in Education.](#) Credits: 3
- [EDL 6910 - Field Experience in Administration.](#) Credits: 4

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