Global Education, MEd

Educators can be global changemakers. Learn how to inform, design and improve educational practices and systems that affect diverse populations of learners around the world.

Program Description

Degree Awarded: MEd Global Education
The MEd program in global education prepares professionals working in the field of international and comparative education to identify, analyze and address contemporary problems that cross borders, cultures and disciplines in a variety of educational settings.

This program is directed at individuals currently working in or interested in international education, especially those charged with the administration, planning and evaluation of educational programs and policies. Students gain a deeper understanding of the complex and dynamic relationship between global and local perspectives, develop practical solutions for key challenges and experience working collaboratively across disciplines.

At a Glance

- College/School: Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College
- Location: Online

Degree Requirements

30 credit hours including the required applied project course (GLE 593)

Required Core (18 credit hours)
GLE 501 Global Thinking in Education (3)
GLE 502 Inquiry in Global Education (3)
GLE 503 Evaluating Global Education Policies and Programs (3)
GLE 504 Exploring Global Education Issues in the Global Education Literature (3)
GLE 505 Evidence in Global Education Inquiry (3)
GLE 506 Applied Inquiry in Global Education: Developing Proposals for Field Research (3)

Electives or Research (9 credit hours)

Culminating Experience (3 credit hours)
GLE 593 Applied Project (3)

Admission Requirements

Applicants must fulfill the requirements of both the Graduate College and the Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College.

Applicants are eligible to apply to the program if they have earned a bachelor's or master's degree, in global education, comparative education or other related field from a regionally accredited institution.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of their first bachelor's degree program, or applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in an applicable master's degree program.

Applicants are required to submit:

1. graduate admission application and application fee
2. official transcripts
3. three letters of recommendation
4. personal statement
5. professional resume
6. proof of English proficiency

Additional Application Information

An applicant whose native language is not English must provide proof of English proficiency regardless of current residency.

Applicants must complete a personal statement that describes their background including the personal, educational and professional experiences that led them to apply to this program. Applicants should follow the specific prompt found in the application.

Attend Online

ASU Online
ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program description and request more information here.

**Career Opportunities**

Students in this program gain skills needed for leading in the education sector and continuously improving it. They are equipped with the research and analysis skills that enable them to gather evidence to inform, design and improve practices to strengthen systems that provide quality education for diverse populations. This prepares them to expand or pursue a variety of careers in international education.

Career examples include:

- global education subject matter expert
- policy analyst
- program and project manager
- school administrator

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