Proposal

We are proposing to add flexibility in foundational and elective courses in IUPUI's K12 principal leadership track in the masters degree as outlined below. These adjustments will allow the program to pair educational leadership programs with certificates that are moving to approval such as certificates in Urban Education Advocacy, Inclusive Special Education, English as a Second Language, Literacy and Learning, etc. The specific modifications to the program of study for the two tracks are as follows (programs of study are attached):

K12 Principal leadership Track: We propose 1) to reduce the "foundations"* requirement from 9 credit hours to six hours; 2) to add additional offerings in the "foundations" area (e.g. T531, A560, K505, L500); and 3) to increase elective coursework from 3 credit hours to 6.

*We note that the term "foundations" in the program of study does not refer specifically to courses in the ELPS Foundations program area as the current program includes courses in Educational Psychology. Consistent with that, we'll propose course offerings in this area that would provide a strong foundation for the principalship program.



IU School of Education, Indianapolis Master's Degree Program (36 credit hours)

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Course	Credits	Semester/Year	Grade	
Foundations (6 credit hours)				
H504 History of American Education OR H520 Education and Social Issues OR A560 Political Perspectives in Education OR T531 Organizational Change in Culturally & Linguistically Diverse Schools	3			
P507 Educational Assessment OR P540 Learning and Cognition in Education OR K505 Introduction to Special Education OR L500 Instructional Issues in Language Learning	3			
Educational Leadership (24 credit hours)				
J500 Instruction in Context of Curriculum	3			
A500 Introductory to Educational Leadership	3			
A510 School Community Relations	3			
A515 Teacher Development & Evaluation	3			
A608 Legal Perspectives on Education	3			
A624 Principalship K-12	3			
A635 Public School Budgeting and Accounting	3			
A695 Practicum in Educational Leadership	3			
Elective (6 credit hours)				
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