Department of Higher Education

Mission Statement

The Department of Higher Education (https://www.apu.edu/bas/highered/) focuses on preparing the next generation of leaders, scholars, faculty, and student development professionals who will shape colleges and universities across the globe. We offer three degree programs: a Master of Science (MS) in College Counseling and Student Development, a Doctor of Education (EdD) in Higher Education Leadership, and a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Higher Education. We also offer a Doctoral-Level Certificate in Strengths-Oriented Higher Education. Together, we strive to be a community of scholars and disciples who make a difference in the world.

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- Learn more about our programs on our website (https://www.apu.edu/bas/highered/programs/).
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Accreditation

- All APU programs in higher education are accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC) (https://www.wscuc.org).