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## The College of Education offers two M.Ed. programs

- M.Ed. in Educational Leadership
- M.Ed. in Special Education
- o Mild/Moderate Disabilities Track
- o Severe/Profound Disabilities Track

Our Programs are benchmarked to Qatar National Professional Standards for teachers and school leaders as well as international standards. The M.Ed. in Educational Leadership program is aligned with the standards from Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC), Qatar National Professional Standards for Teachers and School Leaders (QNPSTSL). Council for Exceptional Children (CEC) standards guide the M.Ed. in Special Education.

# Master of Education (M.Ed.) Programs M.Ed. in Educational Leadership

- Are you a teacher who is interested in improving your leadership skills?
- Is becoming a principal or vice principal your career goal?
- Do you plan to serve as a subject coordinator or professional development coordinator?
- Are you interested in improving your leadership skills as a teacher?

This program is designed to prepare educational leaders for a variety of educational settings and contexts to support educational reform and assist in the continued development of Qatari society. The program places an emphasis on the content knowledge and practical leadership skills that effective educational leaders need. The program aims to increase abilities to identify and solve problems while creating new ideas with applications to educational setting. The QNPSTSL guide the leadership program.

#### Potential Career Opportunities:

- Principal
- Vice Principal
- Subject Coordinator
- Professional Development Coordinator

#### M.Ed. in Special Education

- Are you interested in shaping the future of Qatar through education?
- Do you wish to teach children with disabilities?
- Is becoming an intervention specialist your career goal?
- Are you interested in improving your teaching skills at the advanced level?

The Special Education program is designed to prepare knowledgeable and skilled practitioners and leaders in the field of Special Education in two specialized areas: 1) Teaching Students with Mild/Moderate Disabilities and 2) Teaching Students with Severe/Profound Disabilities. These areas of specialization will produce graduates prepared to serve the existing needs of the Qatari community.

#### Potential Career Opportunities:

- Special education teachers in schools
- Teachers in special centers
- Special education coordinators
- Intervention specialists in therapeutic setting

## Admission Requirements for the M.Ed. Programs

- Completed a Bachelor's degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.80 out of 4.00 from a university or college accredited by an international accrediting association or by the Ministry of Higher Education or equivalent in that country or either (a) passed all of the courses (21 credits) required for the first two semesters of one of the Diploma Programs offered by the College of Education at Qatar University with a minimum GPA of 2.80 or (b) achieved a score of no less than 151 on the verbal reasoning section of the GRE revised General Test.
- Achieved a minimum score of 520 on the paper-based TOEFL or equivalent test taken within 2 years of the start of the intended semester of admission OR earned a previous degree from an accredited institution of higher education in a Program where English was the language of instruction.
- Successful personal interview
- Complete online application via www.gu.edu.ga during admission period

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