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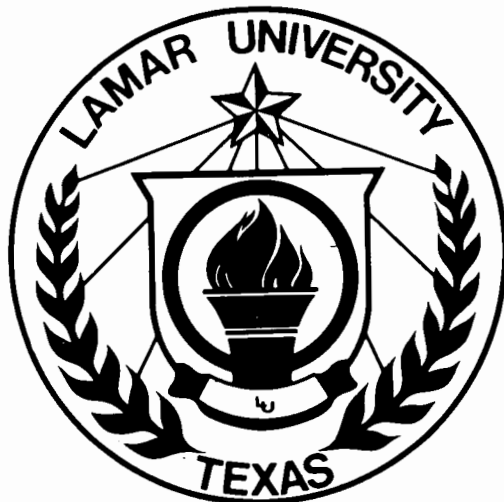
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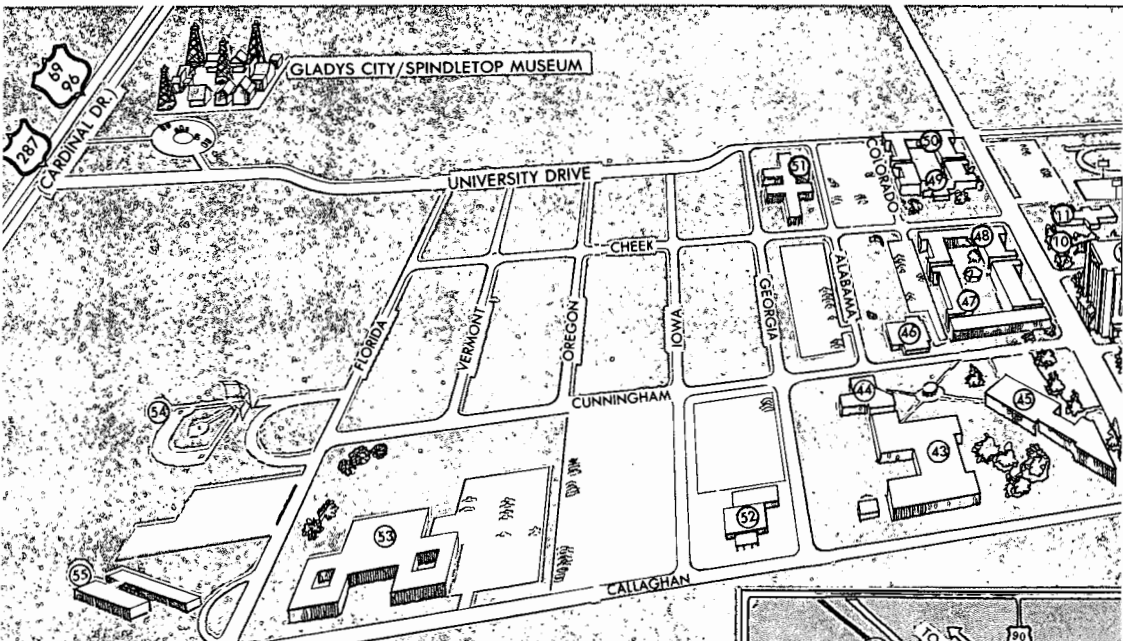
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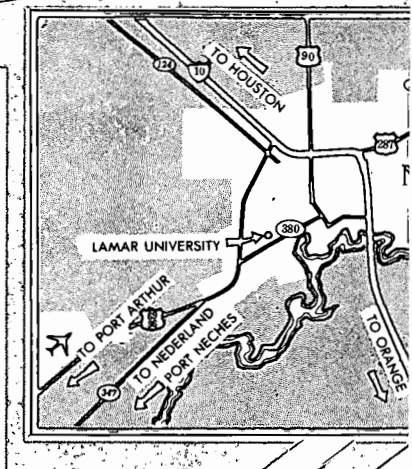
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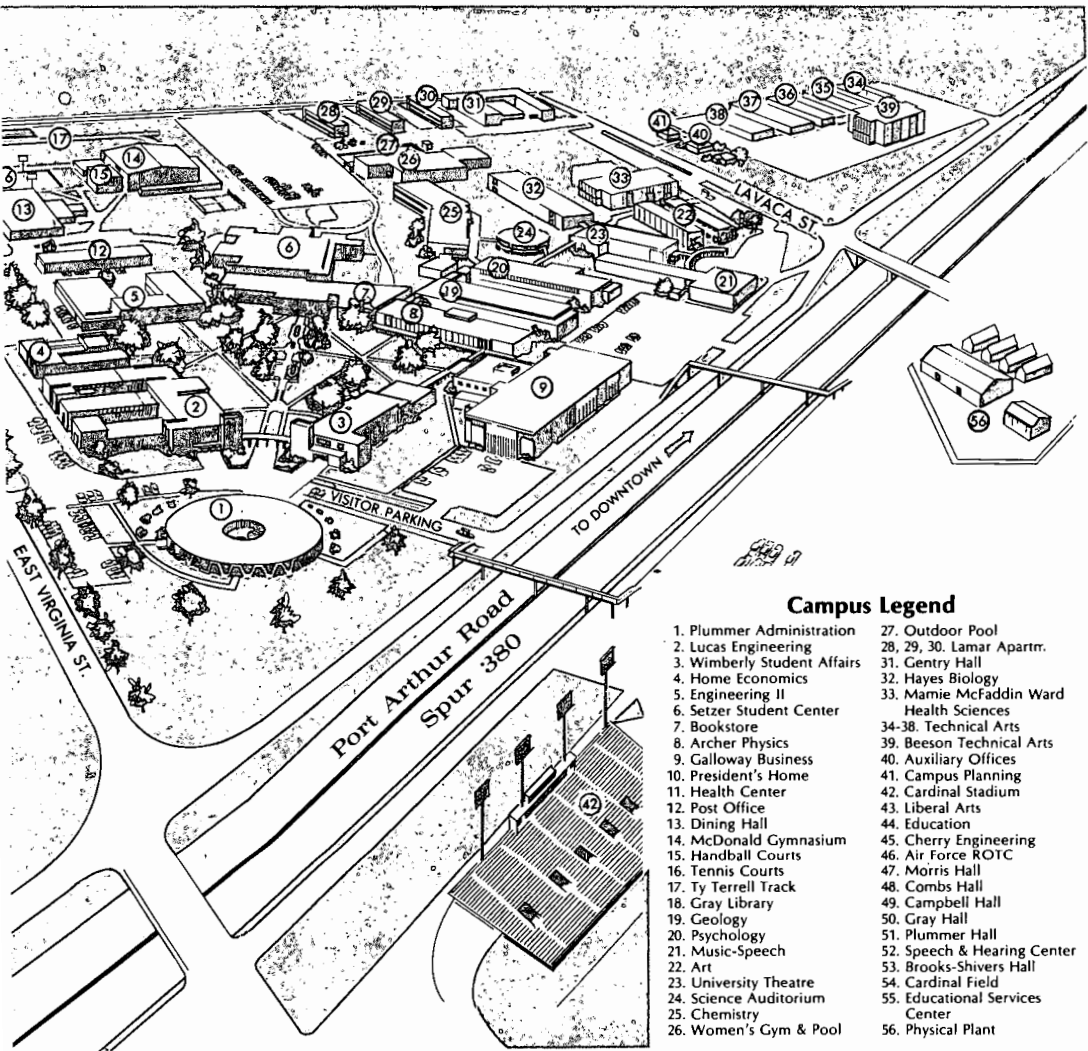
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## THE CAMPUS

Lamar University's campus has expanded rapidly during the past decade and now encompasses more than 200 acres. The University also has campuses in Orange and Port Arthur.

Guidelines for future expansion of the Beaumont campus are included in a conceptual master plan which will guide development into the year 2000. A large portion of the master plan has been approved by the University's Board of Regents.



### Campus Legend

- |                             |                             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Plummer Administration   | 27. Outdoor Pool            |
| 2. Lucas Engineering        | 28, 29, 30. Lamar Apartm.   |
| 3. Wimberly Student Affairs | 31. Gentry Hall             |
| 4. Home Economics           | 32. Hayes Biology           |
| 5. Engineering II           | 33. Mamie McFaddin Ward     |
| 6. Setzer Student Center    | Health Sciences             |
| 7. Bookstore                | 34-38. Technical Arts       |
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| 9. Galloway Business        | 40. Auxiliary Offices       |
| 10. President's Home        | 41. Campus Planning         |
| 11. Health Center           | 42. Cardinal Stadium        |
| 12. Post Office             | 43. Liberal Arts            |
| 13. Dining Hall             | 44. Education               |
| 14. McDonald Gymnasium      | 45. Cherry Engineering      |
| 15. Handball Courts         | 46. Air Force ROTC          |
| 16. Tennis Courts           | 47. Morris Hall             |
| 17. Ty Terrell Track        | 48. Combs Hall              |
| 18. Gray Library            | 49. Campbell Hall           |
| 19. Geology                 | 50. Gray Hall               |
| 20. Psychology              | 51. Plummer Hall            |
| 21. Music-Speech            | 52. Speech & Hearing Center |
| 22. Art                     | 53. Brooks-Shivers Hall     |
| 23. University Theatre      | 54. Cardinal Field          |
| 24. Science Auditorium      | 55. Educational Services    |
| 25. Chemistry               | Center                      |
| 26. Women's Gym & Pool      | 56. Physical Plant          |

Architects have placed strong emphasis upon developing a feeling of "monumentality and dignity" with the Library as the dominant focus of the campus. A number of high-rise buildings or towers are planned. A 4,500-seat auditorium and a 12,000 seat coliseum also are under consideration.

# 1978-79 Calendar

## FALL SEMESTER

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### AUGUST 1978

- 27 Dormitories open.
- 28 Dining halls open.  
Registration begins.
- 29-30 Registration.
- 31 Classes begin — late registration —  
no schedule revisions.

### SEPTEMBER

- 1-5 Schedule revisions — late registration.
- 4 Labor Day holiday.
- 5 Last day for schedule revisions and/or  
late registration.
- 18 Twelfth class day.

### OCTOBER

- 11 Last day to drop or withdraw without penalty.
- 20 Last day to apply for December graduation.  
Last day to pay for diploma; cap and gown.

### NOVEMBER

- 6-Dec. 8 Period for Comprehensive Oral Examinations.
- 9 Comprehensive Written Exam, 1-4 p.m.
- 22 Thanksgiving holidays begin at 10 p.m.  
Dining halls close at 6 p.m.  
Dormitories close at 10 p.m.
- 26 Dormitories open.
- 27 Classes resume at 8 a.m.  
Dining halls open.

### DECEMBER

- 6 Last day to drop or withdraw.
- 14-20 Final examinations.
- 20 Dining halls close at 6 p.m.  
Dormitories close at 10 p.m.
- 22 Grades for graduating students due 8:30 a.m.
- 23 Commencement.  
All grades due by 8:30 a.m.

## SPRING SEMESTER

### JANUARY 1979

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- 14 Dormitories open.
- 15 Dining halls open.  
Registration begins.
- 16-17 Registration.
- 18 Classes begin — late registration —  
no schedule revisions.
- 19-23 Schedule revisions — late registration.
- 23 Last day for schedule revisions and/or  
late registration.

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### FEBRUARY

- 2 Twelfth class day.
- 28 Last day to drop or withdraw without penalty.

### MARCH

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- 7 Last day to apply for May graduation.  
Last day to pay for diploma; cap and gown.
- 9 Spring recess begins at 5 p.m.  
Dining halls and dormitories close.
- 18 Dormitories open.
- 19 Classes resume at 8 a.m.  
Dining halls open.

### APRIL

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- 2-May 5 Period for Comprehensive Oral Examinations.
- 13 Holiday.
- 19 Comprehensive Written Exam, 1-4 p.m.

### MAY

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- 2 Last day to drop or withdraw.
- 10-16 Final examinations.
- 16 Dining halls close at 6 p.m.
- 18 Grades for graduating students due 8:30 a.m.
- 19 Commencement.  
All grades due by 8:30 a.m.



## SUMMER SESSION FIRST TERM

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- JUNE**
- 3 Dormitories open.
  - 4 Registration.  
Dining halls open.
  - 5 Classes begin.
  - 6 Last day for schedule revisions and/or late registration.
  - 8 Fourth class day.
  - 18 Last day to drop or withdraw without penalty.
  - 21 Comprehensive Written Exam, 1-4 p.m.
  - 29 Last day to apply for August graduation.  
Last day to pay for diploma; cap and gown.

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- JULY**
- 4 Independence Day holiday.
  - 6 Last day to drop or withdraw.
  - 9-Aug. 3 Period for Comprehensive Oral Examinations.
  - 11 Last class day.
  - 13 All grades due by noon.

## SUMMER SESSION SECOND TERM

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- JULY**
- 12 Registration.
  - 13 Classes begin.
  - 16 Last day for schedule revisions and/or late registration.
  - 18 Fourth class day.
  - 26 Last day to drop or withdraw without penalty.
  - 26 Comprehensive Written Exam, 1-4 p.m.

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- AUGUST**
- 14 Last day to drop or withdraw.
  - 17 Last class day.  
Grades for graduating students due 8:30 a.m.  
Dining halls and dormitories close.
  - 18 Commencement.  
All grades due by noon.

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# General Information

## LOCATION

Lamar University, a state-supported institution, is located in Beaumont, the center of industrial Southeast Texas. The campus is adjacent to the Port Arthur Highway (Spur 380) in southeastern Beaumont.

The city features modern schools, churches and shopping districts to serve the industrial community of approximately 120,000 persons. Principal industries in the area are oil refining, shipping, shipbuilding, rubber manufacturing and chemical production. Surrounding the urban communities are ranches and rice farms.

Within the metropolitan area are the cities of Port Arthur, Orange, Vidor, Port Neches, Nederland and Groves, All lie within 25 miles of Beaumont and form the heart of the upper Gulf Coast area with a population of more than 350,000.

## HISTORY

South Park Junior College was established in 1923 and was controlled by the South Park Independent School District. Classes were conducted in the South Park High School Building. An initial enrollment of about 125 students in 1923 had increased to 300 by 1931.

In 1932, the name of the institution was changed to Lamar College. At this time, separate facilities were provided, additional equipment was purchased and new policies instituted. By 1939, enrollment was approximately 640.

Lamar Union Junior College District was created in 1940, and Lamar College was separated from the South Park Independent School District. Bonds were approved and new facilities were constructed on the site of the present main campus.

A movement to expand Lamar College into a four-year state-supported school culminated in the creation of Lamar State College of Technology on September 1, 1951. Since that time, enrollment has increased to more than 12,800 students, and the curriculum has been expanded to include many areas of study. Graduate work in specified fields began in the academic year of 1960-61, and extension work became an integral part of the educational program in 1964. A doctoral program in engineering was added in 1971. Lamar University at Orange, offering first and second year courses, opened in 1969. Lamar University at Port Arthur, also offering first and second year courses, began operation in the fall of 1975. The University also owns 36 acres on Pleasure Island in Port Arthur.

The institution's status as a university became official on August 23, 1971, when the name was changed to Lamar University.

## GOVERNMENT

A board of nine regents, appointed by the Governor and approved by the State Senate for terms of six years, governs the University. The Board of Regents delegates the direction of university affairs to the president, administrative officers and faculty.

## **ACCREDITATION AND APPROVAL**

Lamar University is fully accredited by the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities and by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. The College of Graduate Studies is a member of the Council of Graduate Schools in the United States.

Several departments have been accredited by professional agencies. In the College of Engineering, the departments of Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Industrial, and Mechanical Engineering are accredited by the Engineers' Council for Professional Development. Other accreditations include the Department of Chemistry, which is accredited by the American Chemical Society; the Department of Music, which is accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music; and the Departments of Elementary and Secondary Education, which are accredited by the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education.

The Texas Education Agency has approved Professional Certification programs in a number of areas.

## **THE LIBRARY**

The eight-story Mary and John Gray Library has a strong collection of more than 400,000 volumes in support of continuously expanding academic programs. Approximately 20,000 volumes are added to the collection annually. The Library subscribes to more than 3,000 periodicals, and as a selective document depository, it has over 50,000 state and federal documents and microforms. Texas academic libraries are linked by teletype for faculty, graduate student and advanced student research.

## **RESEARCH OFFICE**

A Research Office was formally organized in 1956. It is administered by a director who serves as the chairman of the faculty research committee. All state financed research projects are awarded through the research committee.

## **COMPUTER CENTER**

The University Computer Center is responsible for providing the computing services required by the academic, administrative and research communities of the University. Its equipment includes a Honeywell 66/20 computer with 196,000 words of main memory, 400,000,000 characters of on line disc storage, extensive communication capability, a variety of remote terminals, and other associated peripheral equipment.

## **COUNSELING AND TESTING CENTER**

Lamar University maintains a Counseling and Testing Center to serve students encountering educational, social or personal difficulties as well as provide testing services. The center is staffed with fully-trained and qualified counselors and a psychometrist to assist in the resolution of student problems and questions.

While the Counseling Office does not address problems of a long-term therapeutic nature, students encountering difficulties are encouraged to consult the office on a no-charge basis. All contacts are maintained as confidential and there are no entries made in the student's records. In addition to counseling, the office maintains a library to assist students in making decisions concerning choices of majors and careers.



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The Testing Office coordinates required testing by Lamar University and provides individual testing services which include administering and interpreting appropriate aptitude, vocational interest, and personality tests as requested by the Counseling Center staff. Non-students in need of testing services pay a fee dependent upon the program and type of test taken. The Testing Office also acts as a National Testing Center for programs such as the Graduate Record Examinations, Law School Admission Test, National Teacher Examinations, Graduate Management Admission Test, SAT, ACT, CLEP (advanced standing test), GED (high school equivalency test), and numerous other tests. Information and application forms concerning these tests may be obtained from the Testing Office.

The Counseling and Testing Center is located in the Wimberly Student Affairs Building and observes the office hours of the University. A counselor is also available until 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday for the benefit of students who are attending extended day classes.

### **PLACEMENT CENTER**

The Placement Center is located in the Galloway Business Building (former Library) and is open 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Job placement service is provided at this Center and is available to all students, faculty and former students.

### **HEALTH CENTER**

The University maintains a Health Center for the use of students. Two types of service are available: (1) out-patient service for those who have minor ailments but who do not require constant supervision, and (2) infirmary service for those who are in need of the continued attention of the University physician or of nursing care.

It is not possible for the University to provide unlimited medical service. Special medicines, examinations, treatments, X-rays and laboratory tests are not furnished by the University. No charge is made, however, for up to 10 days care each semester in the Health Center.

All students pay a Health Service Fee of \$1 per semester hour with a maximum of \$10 for each of the Fall and Spring Semesters, and a maximum of \$5 for each of the Summer Sessions. This fee will be used only for health services. Added benefits for the student are: (1) vaccines, serums and gamma globulin will be given in the Health Center free of charge. Pre-admission vaccinations are not included; (2) all drugs prescribed and dispensed in the Health Center are free of charge except for a limit of one prescription refill per illness or accident, and (3) the first \$100 of costs for emergency care of accidental injuries sustained on the campus and treated in a local hospital or doctor's office will be paid from Student Health fees. For services in the Health Center, each student must present his or her student services card.

The Health Center, located on East Virginia St. near Combs Hall, is adequately staffed and equipped for treating most illnesses and injuries. The Center does not provide care for students requiring surgery or the services of specialists. In these cases, every effort will be made by the physician or nurse to notify the parents or guardian of the student's needs.

The University assumes no responsibility for continued medical care for students having chronic diseases. The students should arrange for the care of a private physician lo-

cated in or near Beaumont. When the University is not in session, the Student Health Center is not responsible for a student's health care.

The University is not under obligation to provide hospital services elsewhere if the Health Center is filled to capacity. The Health Center, however, has a sufficient number of beds for all normal needs.

Students who are ill should report promptly to the Center for medical care.

## **VETERANS EDUCATION**

Lamar is approved for educational training under all of the Veterans Educational Assistance programs.

Veterans and their dependents, who are interested in attending Lamar under federal laws which provide educational assistance, are directed to secure information by consulting the Office of Veterans' Affairs, Wimberly Student Affairs Building.

This office advises veterans on program and training opportunities, academic assistance and counseling. Veterans interested in information in these areas should report to the Office of Veterans' Affairs in the Wimberly Student Affairs Building.

## **LOAN FUNDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

Financial assistance in the form of loans, grants and scholarships is available for a number of qualified students. Details may be obtained on request from the Director of Student Aid.

## **TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS**

A number of teaching assistantships are available in the various departments of the College of Graduate Studies. Application forms and additional information may be obtained from the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies.

The stipend for a teaching assistantship varies in accordance with the number of courses taught, and the student must reduce his/her academic load in relation to his/her teaching assignment.

Tuition and fees are not waived for teaching assistants, but nonresidents (out of Texas) are not required to pay out-of-state tuition.

Applications must be received by February 1, and appointments are made by March 1 for the next academic year.

## **TEACHER CERTIFICATION**

Lamar University has been approved by the Texas Education Agency to offer professional certification programs in elementary, special, secondary education, counseling and guidance, supervision and administration. Specific information concerning certification may be found in the "Education" section of this catalog or may be obtained from the Director of Certification in the College of Education.

# Fees and Expenses

## PAYMENT OF FEES

Lamar University reserves the right to change fees in keeping with acts of the Texas Legislature and the University's Board of Regents.

A student is not registered until all fees are paid in full. Payment may be made by check, money order or currency. Checks and money orders, not in excess of total fees, should be made payable to Lamar University and will be accepted subject to final payment.

## TUITION AND FEES

Tuition is based upon the number of hours for which the student registers, and is determined by the student's classification as a Texas resident; a nonresident U.S. citizen; or a citizen of another country.\* Each student pays a student services fee of \$2.50 per semester hour, with a maximum of \$30 in a long session.

## SUMMARY OF FEES

Additional fees and charges which are applied on a selective basis are listed following the Summary of Fees.

Term	No. of Semester Hours	Tuition			Student Services Fee	General Use Fee	Setzer Center Fee	Health Center Fee	Total Charge		
		A	B	C					A	B	C
Each Fall or Spring Semester	1	\$50	\$ 40	\$200	\$ 2.50	\$20	\$15.00	\$ 1	\$ 88.50	\$ 78.50	\$238.50
	2	50	80	200	5.00	20	15.00	2	92.00	122.00	242.00
	3	50	120	200	7.50	20	15.00	3	95.50	165.50	245.50
	4	50	160	200	10.00	24	15.00	4	103.00	213.00	253.00
	5	50	200	200	12.50	30	15.00	5	112.50	262.50	262.50
	6	50	240	200	15.00	36	15.00	6	122.00	312.00	272.50
	7	50	280	200	17.50	42	15.00	7	131.50	361.50	281.50
	8	50	320	200	20.00	48	15.00	8	141.00	411.00	291.00
	9	50	360	200	22.50	54	15.00	9	150.50	460.50	300.50
	10	50	400	200	25.00	60	15.00	10	160.00	510.00	310.00
	11	50	440	200	27.50	66	15.00	10	168.50	558.50	318.50
	12	50	480	200	30.00	72	15.00	10	177.00	607.00	327.00
	13	52	520	200	30.00	78	15.00	10	185.00	653.00	330.00
	14	56	560	200	30.00	84	15.00	10	195.00	699.00	339.00
	15	60	600	210	30.00	90	15.00	10	205.00	745.00	355.00
	16	64	640	224	30.00	90	15.00	10	209.00	785.00	369.00
	17	68	680	238	30.00	90	15.00	10	213.00	825.00	383.00
	18	72	720	252	30.00	90	15.00	10	217.00	865.00	397.00
	19	76	760	266	30.00	90	15.00	10	221.00	905.00	411.00
	20	80	800	280	30.00	90	15.00	10	225.00	945.00	425.00
Each Six-Week Summer Session	1	25	40	100	100	20	7.50	1	56.00	71.00	131.00
	2	25	80	100	100	20	7.50	2	59.50	114.50	134.50
	3	25	120	100	100	20	7.50	3	63.00	158.00	138.00
	4	25	160	100	100	24	7.50	4	70.50	205.50	145.50
	5	25	200	100	100	30	7.50	5	80.00	255.00	155.00
	6	25	240	100	100	36	7.50	5	88.50	303.50	163.50
	7	28	280	100	100	42	7.50	5	97.50	349.50	169.50
	8	32	320	112	112	48	7.50	5	107.50	395.50	187.50
	9	36	360	126	126	54	7.50	5	117.50	441.50	207.50
	10	40	400	140	140	60	7.50	5	127.50	487.50	227.50

Code: A. U.S. citizens who are legal residents of Texas under tuition law; B. (1) U.S. citizens who are not legal residents of Texas under tuition law, and (2) aliens from non-exempt countries; C. Aliens: (1) from exempt countries, or (2) enrolled in a Texas state-supported college prior to June 16, 1975.

\*Determination of legal residence for tuition purposes is made on the basis of statutes of the State of Texas. Refer to the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System "Rules and Regulations for Determining Residence Status" as revised, July 16, 1974, available in the Office of the Dean of Admissions and Records.

**Laboratory Fees**

A laboratory fee of \$2 is charged each semester for courses with a combined lecture and laboratory credit of from one to three semester hours. The laboratory fee is \$4 per semester for courses of four or more semester hours credit.

**Private Lessons in Voice and Instrumental Music**

One half-hour lesson per week.....	\$18
Two half-hour lessons per week.....	36

**Late Registration Fee**

A charge of \$5 is made during the first day of late registration. This fee increases by \$2.50 per day to a maximum of \$15 (\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15).

**Parking Fee**

Each student who pays the necessary fee is issued a car decal which permits parking on the campus. This decal is numbered and is to be displayed as instructed in official parking and traffic regulations, which are issued when automobiles are registered. Strict observance of traffic and parking regulations is necessary for the safe, orderly flow of vehicles in the campus area.

Charges for parking on campus are made at registration. Automobile registration fees are as follows: Fall Semester, \$15; Spring Semester, \$10; Summer Session I, \$6; Summer Session II, \$4. Only one registration is required during an academic year, and a student's parking fee is honored until the end of Summer Session II.

**Health and Accident Insurance**

Health and accident insurance coverage is available at registration for students carrying nine or more semester hours. The fee is estimated at \$36. This or similar insurance is required of all international students.

**Publication of Thesis/Dissertation Abstracts**

The Graduate Council requires that thesis and dissertation abstracts be published by University Microfilms. Fees for this service are changed from year to year by University Microfilms. In 1977, these fees were \$20 for a master's thesis and \$35 for a doctoral dissertation. If copyrighting is desired, an additional fee is charged.

**Miscellaneous Fees**

Binding Thesis (3 copies).....	\$18.00
Master's Diploma.....	7.50
Cap, Gown and Hood Rental (Master's).....	9.50
Cap, Gown and Hood Rental (Doctor's).....	13.50
Returned Checks.....	5.00
Re-entry Fee.....	5.00
Transcript Fee.....	50

### **Refund of Fees**

Any student officially withdrawing will receive a refund on tuition, Setzer Center, student service, laboratory, building and general use and private lesson fees according to the following schedule:

#### **Fall or Spring Semester**

Prior to the first class day, 100 per cent.  
During the first five class days, 80 per cent.  
During the second week of classes, 70 per cent.  
During the third week of classes, 50 per cent.  
During the fourth week of classes, 25 per cent.  
After the fourth week of classes, none.

#### **Summer Session**

Prior to the first class day, 100 per cent.  
During the first, second or third class day, 80 per cent.  
During the fourth, fifth or sixth class day, 50 per cent.  
Seventh class day and thereafter, none.

Questions regarding refunds should be referred to the Finance Office.

### **Returned Check Fees**

A student is automatically suspended from the University if a check is returned unpaid. The student may re-enter upon redemption of the check plus payment of the returned check fee of \$5.

### **Fine and Breakage Loss**

All library fines, charges for breakage or loss of equipment or other charges must be paid before a transcript of credit or a permit to re-enter the University will be issued.

### **Student Responsibility for Residence Classification**

The responsibility of registering under the proper residence classification is that of the student. If there is any possible question of the student's right to classification as a resident of Texas, it is his/her obligation, prior to or at the time of registration, to raise the question with the Dean of Admissions and Records and have his/her status officially determined.

Every student who is classified as a resident student but who becomes a nonresident at any time by virtue of a change of legal residence by his/her own action or by the person controlling the student's domicile, is required to notify the Dean of Admissions and Records.

# Student Housing

The student housing program at Lamar is designed to supplement the academic program by providing opportunities for social and intellectual development and recreation in a pleasant living environment. The University recently completed a multi-million dollar renovation program, making its residence halls among the most modern in Texas. A variety of living styles are available and include modern furniture, semi-private rooms, carpet, central heating and air conditioning and various color schemes in the dormitories. Apartment accommodations in newly remodeled buildings also are available.

Students who do not feel that the residence hall program meets their personal needs may elect to find living accommodations off-campus.

Questions concerning the housing system, its policies, room and board rates, should be directed to the Student Housing Office, Lamar University Station, Box 10041, Beaumont, Texas 77710.



# Academic Regulations

## COURSE NUMBERING

Semesters of a course are numbered separately and each number contains three or more figures. Master's level courses are numbered 400G and 500. Doctoral level courses are numbered 500D and 600. The second figure indicates the number of semester hours credit. The third figure (or figures) indicates the order in which the course normally is taken. The letter a or b following course numbers indicates partial credit in each case; full credit for such numbered courses will be granted only when the series is complete.

## CHANGING SCHEDULES

All section changes, adds and drops must be approved by the department head of the student's major field. All such changes are initiated by the completion of the proper form available in the department head's office. Usually, a course may not be added after the first week of the semester or first two days of a Summer Session.

## DROPPING COURSES

After consultation with their advisor and/or department head, students may drop a course and receive a grade of "Q" during the first six weeks (two weeks in the summer session) of the semester. For drops after this penalty-free period, grades are recorded as "Q" or "F" indicating that the student was passing or failing at the time of the drop. A grade of "Q" may not be assigned unless an official drop has been processed through the Office of Admissions and Records. A student may not drop a course within seven calendar days of the beginning of the final examinations or three calendar days before the end of a summer term.

## WITHDRAWALS

Students wishing to withdraw during a semester or summer term should fill out a Withdrawal Petition in triplicate in the office of their department head or dean of the College of Graduate Studies. Students must clear all financial obligations, and return all uniforms, books, laboratory equipment and other materials to the point of original issue. Three copies of the withdrawal form signed by the department head or Graduate Dean, the Director of Library Services and an Associate Dean of Student Development are presented to the Office of Admissions and Records by the student.

The Finance Office, on application before the end of the semester or Summer Session, will return such fees as are returnable according to the schedule shown under the "Fees" section of the catalog. If a withdrawal is made before the end of the sixth week (second week of a summer term) or if the student is passing at the time of withdrawal after the sixth week, a grade of "W" is issued for each course affected. A grade of "F" is issued for all courses not being passed at the time of withdrawal after the penalty-free period.

A student may not withdraw within seven calendar days of the beginning of final examinations or three calendar days before the end of a summer term. A student who leaves without withdrawing officially will receive a grade of "F" in all courses and forfeit all returnable fees.

## **ENFORCED WITHDRAWAL DUE TO ILLNESS**

The Director of the Health Center and the Vice-President for Student Affairs, on the advice of competent medical personnel, may require withdrawal, or deny admission, of a student for health reasons (mental or physical).

## **ACADEMIC RECORDS**

Academic records are in the permanent custody of the Admissions and Records Office. Transcripts of academic records may be secured by an individual personally, or will be released on the student's written authorization. Transcripts are 50 cents per copy.

Students who owe debts to the University may have their official transcripts withheld until the debt is paid.

Chapter 675, Acts of the 61st Legislature, 1969 Regular Session, provides that "no person may buy, sell, create, duplicate, alter, give or obtain a diploma, certificate, academic record, certificate of enrollment or other instrument which purports to signify merit, or achievement conferred by an institution of education in this state with the intent to use fraudulently such document or to allow the fraudulent use of such document.

"A person who violates this Act or who aids another in violating this Act is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, is punishable by a fine of not more than \$1,000 and/or confinement in the county jail for a period not to exceed one year."

## **STUDENT RECORDS**

The following information concerning student records maintained by Lamar University is published in compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1975 (PL 93-380).

Access to records by persons other than the student will be limited to those persons and agencies specified in the statute. Records will be maintained of persons granted such access and the legitimate interest in each case.

The release of information to the public without the consent of the student will be limited to the categories of information listed below which have been designated by the University as directory information and which will be routinely released. The student may request that any or all of this information be withheld from the public by making written request to the Admissions and Records Office. The request must be made by the last official day to register for a given session and applies to that session only. Directory information includes name; current and permanent address; telephone listing; date and place of birth; sex; marital status; major and minor; semester hour load; classification; class schedule; eligibility for and participation in officially recognized activities and sports; weight and height of members of athletic teams; dates of attendance; degrees and awards received with dates; previous educational agencies or institutions attended.



# General Regulations

## OFFICIAL SUMMONS

An official summons takes precedence over other university activities of the student and should be answered promptly on the day and hour designated.

## DISCIPLINE

It is assumed that any student eligible for admission to the University is familiar enough with the ordinary rules of conduct for ladies and gentlemen to need no definite discipline regulations. The University reserves the right to place on disciplinary probation or to dismiss any student at any time for sufficient cause.

Disciplinary procedures, specific University rules and regulations, and statements of student rights and responsibilities are published each year in the Student Handbook. Copies of the Conduct Code are available in the office of Student Development.

## PENALTY FOR FALSE STATEMENTS

A student who makes a false statement to any university official or on any official form submitted to the University is subject to immediate dismissal.

## STUDENT DEBTS

The University is not responsible for debts contracted by individual students or student organizations and will not act as a collection agency for organizations, firms or individuals to whom students may owe bills.

Students and student organizations are expected to honor contractual obligations promptly.

Penalty for failure to clear up these obligations may be: a) no readmission; b) withholding of grades and transcripts; c) withholding of degree.

## PARKING REGULATIONS

At registration, each student who pays the necessary fee is issued a car decal which permits parking on the campus. This decal is numbered and is to be placed in a specific place on the back window of the car.

## CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR NAME

Students are responsible for all communications addressed to them at the address on file in the Office of Student Development, in the Office of the College of Graduate Studies and in the Office of Admissions and Records. Any student who moves during a semester must immediately register his/her change of address in the above offices. Change of address forms are available in the Office of Admissions and Records and in the Office of the College of Graduate Studies.

Change of name due to marriage, or correction of name because of spelling errors, may be made by completing a name change card at the Office of Admissions and Records. All name changes must be accompanied by a copy of the legal document making the name change official. This document will be kept on file in the student's confidential folder.

# The College of Graduate Studies

## HISTORY

The College of Graduate Studies was instituted in the Fall 1960, with the offering of the Master of Arts degree in the fields of history and English.

In 1962, master's degrees were begun in mathematics, engineering and elementary education; in 1965, in business administration, chemistry, special education and secondary education; in 1968, in health and physical education, government, speech, guidance and counseling; in 1969, in biology, and in 1970, in education supervision. Also in 1970, a doctor's degree in engineering was authorized. In 1972, a master's degree in school administration was approved. Master's degrees in public administration and in psychology were authorized for 1974. In 1975, master's degrees in music, music education and home economics were initiated.

## OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the College of Graduate Studies are as follows:

1. Advancement of knowledge through research.
2. Intensification within a student's chosen field of specialization and allied areas.
3. Development of the student's skill in the methodology of research.
4. Promotion of the power of independent thought by making the student responsible for his/her own scholarship.

## DEGREES OFFERED

### Master of Arts

Master of Arts in English

Master of Arts in Government

Master of Arts in History

### Master of Business Administration

### Master of Education

Master of Education in Elementary Education

Master of Education in Guidance and Counseling

Master of Education in Secondary Education

Master of Education in Special Education

Master of Education in Supervision

Master of Education in School Administration

### Master of Engineering

### Master of Engineering Science

### Master of Music

### Master of Music Education

### Master of Public Administration

### Master of Science

Master of Science in Biology  
Master of Science in Chemistry  
Master of Science in Health and Physical Education  
Master of Science in Home Economics  
Master of Science in Mathematics  
Master of Science in Psychology  
Master of Science in Speech  
Master of Science in Speech Pathology/Audiology

**Doctor of Engineering**

## **ENROLLMENT**

### **Admission**

#### **Admission to a Degree Program**

1. For admission to a degree program the applicant must meet the following minimum standards and have submitted the following credentials to the office of Admissions and Records at least four weeks before registration:
  - A. An applicant must hold a bachelor's degree from an institution approved by a recognized accrediting agency.
  - B. Two official transcripts sent directly from each college previously attended.
  - C. Scores on the aptitude section of the Graduate Record Examination (sent directly to the office of Admissions and Records, by the Educational Testing Service). The Lamar Counseling Center, located in the Wimberly Student Affairs Building, administers the Graduate Record Examination. Application forms and information about the Graduate Record Examination are available at this Center. Applicants for the Master of Business Administration are not required to take the Graduate Record Examination but are required to take the Graduate Management Admission Test (see College of Business section of this Bulletin for specific requirements).
  - D. Applicants for the Doctor of Engineering degree also should write a letter to the Dean of the College of Engineering. This letter should include information about the applicant, engineering experience, present employment and chief interests. The applicant also should indicate what type of work he/she would like to undertake for his/her field study.
  - E. All students are required to complete the University Health Form.
  - F. Two completed copies of the application for admission sent to the office of Admissions and Records.
  - G. The applicant's undergraduate grade point average and Graduate Record Examination scores must be above the minimum standard established by the College of Graduate Studies. For all students (except those wishing to pursue the Master of Business Administration degree) these standards are:  
For admission, one of the following requirements must be met:
    - (1) A minimum overall grade point average of 2.5 on a four-point scale, and a minimum composite score (verbal and quantitative) of 720 on the aptitude section of the Graduate Record Examination and a minimum verbal score of 350.
    - (2) A minimum grade point average of 2.5 on junior and senior work and acceptable scores on the Graduate Record Examination — a composite (V + Q) of 720 and a minimum verbal score of 350.

- (3) A grade point average lower than 2.5, but with a score of at least 540 on an appropriate section of the GRE aptitude test. (Some departments use the verbal score; some use the quantitative score; and some use either.) If the department requires a quantitative aptitude score of 540, a score of 350 is required on the verbal aptitude.
  - (4) A minimum overall grade point average of 3.0 and a minimum verbal score of 350 on the GRE.
  - (5) The Graduate Council has approved higher standards for admission to a particular program. These are stated in the particular departmental section of this bulletin.
2. Students wishing to pursue the Master of Business Administration degree should refer to the College of Business section of this bulletin for specific requirements.
  3. Provisional admission to a degree program for one term may be granted to some applicants who show promise of the ability to successfully complete a graduate degree program, but who have not submitted the necessary credentials (see above) four weeks prior to registration.  
Students admitted with provisional admission may not register for more than 12 hours graduate credit and must submit all required credentials and meet the minimum standards stated above during the first term. Provisional admission may not be extended past one term and students so admitted who do not meet the minimum standards will not be allowed to re-enroll.  
International students will not be admitted on a provisional basis.
  4. Admission requirements for international students are evaluated on an individual basis after the following information is received:
    - A. Two official transcripts from each college previously attended. Complete and official English translations must be furnished along with the certified copies of the transcripts.
    - B. Scores on the Graduate Record Examination, and scores on the Test of English as a Foreign Language. In general, an international student whose native language is not English is expected to score over 500 on the TOEFL or over 300 on the verbal aptitude of the GRE and fulfill the composite requirements ( $V + Q = 720$ ) on the GRE. Application form, test scores, financial statement and complete educational records for international students must be on file by the dates indicated: term beginning in August, by June 15; January, by November 1; June by March 15. International students will not be admitted on a provisional basis.
    - C. An original statement of financial resources. The University provides a form for this purpose. Other forms will not be accepted.
  5. A student who wishes to pursue graduate work in any area for which he/she has not had the prerequisites will be required to make up deficiencies as prescribed by the Graduate Council. In general, the student is required to have a minimum of 24 semester hours (12 of which must be on the junior-senior level) of undergraduate work in the subject chosen as the graduate major. For a minor, 12 semester hours of undergraduate work are required.
  6. Admission to the College of Graduate Studies does not imply candidacy for a master's degree.
  7. The Dean of Admissions will notify the applicant of his/her admission to the College of Graduate Studies. All transcripts, certificates, etc. become the property of Lamar University and are not returnable.

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8. Admission requirements stated above are minimum requirements and the applicant must also have the approval of the department in which the degree program is offered.

### **Post Baccalaureate Admission**

1. Students who wish to take graduate courses but do not wish to be admitted to the College of Graduate Studies (or who have not met all requirements for admission to the College of Graduate Studies) may be admitted as Post Baccalaureate students in one of the undergraduate colleges under the following conditions:
  - A. The applicant must hold the bachelor's degree.
  - B. The applicant must submit an application for admission to the Post Baccalaureate program.
  - C. The applicant must submit official transcripts from each college previously attended.
  - D. The applicant must complete the University Health Form.
  - E. The applicant must be approved for admission by the Dean of Admissions.
2. International students will not be admitted to the Post Baccalaureate Program.
3. If application for admission to a graduate degree is received in a subsequent semester and requirements for admission to the College of Graduate Studies are complete and the minimum standards (see above) are met, a maximum of 12 semester hours previously completed *may*, with the approval of the department and the Graduate Dean, be counted for degree credit (only 12 semester hours taken prior to meeting all admission requirements to a degree program may be counted; this includes hours taken both as a provisional graduate and post baccalaureate student).

### **Registration**

1. A student who has been admitted to the College of Graduate Studies may register in August or January for the long sessions, or in June or July for the summer terms.
2. A graduate student who has completed all course work, but is working on his thesis, must be registered if he wishes to obtain professional assistance from a faculty member.

## **COLLEGE OF GRADUATE STUDIES REQUIREMENTS**

### **General**

1. All course work applied toward a given degree (except the doctor of engineering) must be completed within a period of six years. Time spent in active military service will not be used in computing the six-year limit.
2. No graduate student is permitted to carry more than 15 semester hours of graduate work during one semester of the long term nor more than 12 semester hours of graduate work during the summer session of 12 weeks (six semester hours each session).

A full-time graduate student is defined as a student carrying nine semester hours of graduate work, or being enrolled in both 669A and 669B thesis during the same semester, or enrolled in Egr 662. Students taking 4-5 hours of graduate work per semester will be considered half-time graduate students; students taking 6-8 hours of graduate work will be considered three-quarter time graduate students.

3. With the approval of the head of the major department and the Graduate Dean, an undergraduate student within 12 semester hours of graduation may take not more than six semester hours of graduate courses to be applied toward the master's degree, provided the total academic load does not exceed 15 semester hours.
4. With the approval of the head of the major department and the Graduate Dean, the student may transfer as much as six semester hours of graduate work (with grades of A or B) completed at another institution.
5. The number of semester hours of off-campus courses taken from this institution which may count toward a graduate degree is determined by each college, provided the standards of the College of Graduate Studies (regarding graduate faculty and instructional facilities) are consistent with those on the Lamar campus.
6. A maximum of six semester hours of work done in institutes may be approved for graduate credit on a degree program.
7. A maximum of six semester hours taken for one master's degree may be counted toward a second master's degree with the approval of the department in which the second master's degree is sought.
8. A student may be required to drop either from any course or from the University temporarily, or permanently, for any of the following reasons:
  - A. Academic work below the standard as specified by the Graduate Council.
  - B. Academic dishonesty or misconduct on the part of the student.
9. The grading system for graduate students is A, B, C, D, F, I, Drop, Withdrawal — graduate credit being allowed for grades of A, B and C. An overall grade point average of B (3.0) is required for graduation; however, a thesis grade may not be averaged with course grades to provide the required 3.0 average. Incomplete work must be finished during the next long semester, or the Office of Admissions and Records must change the grade of I to the grade of F, unless arrangements for a time extension are made. (Form G-16) Under unusual circumstances, the student may apply, through the instructor, for an extension. The extension may be granted by the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies.
10. When a graduate student with regular admission status falls more than three grade points below a 3.0 (B) average, he/she is placed on probation. If he/she makes progress toward eliminating the grade point deficiency during the next semester in which he/she is registered, he/she is removed from probation. If the student does not make progress toward eliminating the deficiency, his/her case is referred to the Academic Standards Committee of the College of Graduate Studies for a recommendation.
11. Resignation from the College of Graduate Studies should be made in writing to the Dean.
12. The University reserves the right to change any of its rules, requirements or course regulations without notice.

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

### General

1. A graduate student must earn 30 to 36 semester hours of graduate credit, depending upon the plan the student is following, and must complete a residence requirement of at least one academic year or its equivalent in summer terms.
2. A minimum of 18 semester hours of the required 30 to 36 hours must be courses numbered 500 or above.

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3. All candidates must pass a comprehensive oral examination if a thesis is written. If a thesis is not written, a comprehensive written or oral examination is required or a combination of both written and oral examinations.
4. The student must meet the specific requirements as set forth in this catalog for his/her particular degree program.

### **Master of Arts**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in the major field, six in thesis, six in an approved minor or six additional hours in the major.
3. Present evidence of a reading knowledge of at least one foreign language. This requirement may be satisfied by examination or by submitting college credit equivalent to that required for the degree of Bachelor of Arts in this institution.
4. If a thesis is not written, complete 36 hours of approved course work.

### **Master of Business Administration**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work as specified under College of Business degree requirements if a thesis is written.
3. If a thesis is not written, complete 36 hours of graduate work as specified under College of Business degree requirements.

### **Master of Education**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work if a thesis is written or 36 semester hours if a nonthesis program is selected.
3. Meet specific requirements that are listed in the Education section of this catalog for each degree program.

### **Master of Engineering**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 36 semester hours of graduate work or complete 30 hours graduate work plus a three-hour design project.

### **Master of Engineering Science**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work as follows: a minimum of 12 semester hours in engineering courses, six semester hours in thesis, a minimum of nine semester hours in a combination of science and mathematics, and three semester hours of electives.

### **Master of Music**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work: 24 in the major field, six in thesis or a recital and a research paper.

### **Master of Music Education**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 36 hours of graduate work which may include six in thesis.

### **Master of Public Administration**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 36 semester hours of graduate work as specified for the degree in the Government section of this catalog.

### **Master of Science**

1. Meet all general degree requirements.
2. Complete 30 semester hours of graduate work: 15 to 18 semester hours in the major field, six in thesis, and six to nine semester hours in the minor field. On approval by the head of his/her major department a student may elect to take all of his/her work in his/her major field.
3. If a thesis is not required, complete 36 hours of approved course work.
4. The graduate degree in psychology requires 36 hours in approved course work and six hours in thesis. A substitution for the thesis may be made in the community psychology program.

### **Doctor of Engineering**

1. Obtain credit for all courses required by the student's doctoral committee. The number and extent of these courses will depend upon the student's diagnostic examination, his/her engineering experience, and educational objectives.
2. In general a minimum of 30 semester hours beyond the equivalent of a master's degree will be required.
3. Satisfactorily pass candidacy examinations as devised by the student's doctoral committee.
4. Complete a field study involving some technological innovation.
5. Submit and defend a formal engineering report on the field study.

## **ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY**

### **Master's Degree**

1. Prior to the time that a graduate student is admitted to candidacy, the head of the major department or a person designated by him/her acts as the student's adviser.
2. A student may be admitted to candidacy after completing one-half of his/her course work, excluding the thesis, and after removing all undergraduate deficiencies. During this time the student must have demonstrated the ability and inclination to do graduate work. A student must have a 3.0 grade point average on all graduate work attempted before being admitted to candidacy.
3. The individual student is responsible for making an application for Admission to Candidacy. This is done in the office of the head of the major department or graduate coordinator.
4. A departmental recommendation concerning the applicant's degree plan and the appointment of an advisory committee is then submitted to the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies. If approved, the student is admitted to candidacy.



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5. The advisory committee will include a person designated as the supervising professor, along with two other members of the faculty.
6. A student must complete at least nine semester hours after admission to candidacy.
7. Advanced GRE scores are required by specified departments.
8. Candidacy examinations are required by the Department of Psychology.

### **Doctor of Engineering**

A student will be admitted to candidacy for the doctor of engineering degree only upon the recommendations of his/her doctoral committee. In general this committee will require the following:

1. Satisfactory progress in all course work.
2. Continuously pursuing his/her course work by earning at least three semester hours credit in two consecutive long terms. Failure to do so will require the student to make application to the graduate engineering faculty for permission to continue.
3. Prepare a proposal for a field study involving a technological innovation and defend this proposal to his/her doctoral committee as part of his/her candidacy examinations.
4. Satisfactorily pass other examinations designed to determine if the student is ready to do the field study.

A student who fails to be admitted to candidacy on the first attempt may take additional courses or otherwise prepare himself/herself for an additional attempt as may be recommended by his/her doctoral committee. Failure to meet minimum requirements as estimated by the student's doctoral committee may require the student to withdraw from the doctoral program.

### **Structure of Advisory Committees**

As noted above, members of advisory committees are appointed by the graduate dean at the time the student is admitted to candidacy. After admission to candidacy, but prior to the date of the final examination, the student may request a change in the committee composition with the approval of the supervising professor and one other committee member. Should the supervising professor and/or another committee member not approve a request for a committee change, the student may request the graduate dean to appoint a three member Review Committee. In the event the Review Committee fails to effect an agreement between the student and the original committee, a new committee may be selected for the student by the graduate dean, the dean of the student's academic college, and two members of the graduate faculty of the student's academic college chosen by the graduate dean. The time period should not exceed 10 class days from the date of receipt by the graduate dean of a written request for review and arbitration by the student and the appointment of a new committee, should one be necessary.

## **THESIS REQUIREMENTS**

A thesis is optional in Master of Arts degree plans and may be a departmental requirement or option in other programs. A student who is required or elects to write a thesis must/may:

1. Register for the thesis course and begin research with the approval of the student's graduate advisor. The first registration is for Thesis Course 699A; subse-

quent registrations are for Thesis Course 669B. No Grade "NG" is assigned for each registration until the thesis is finally approved.

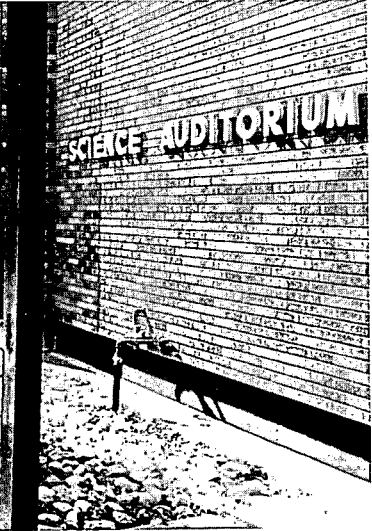
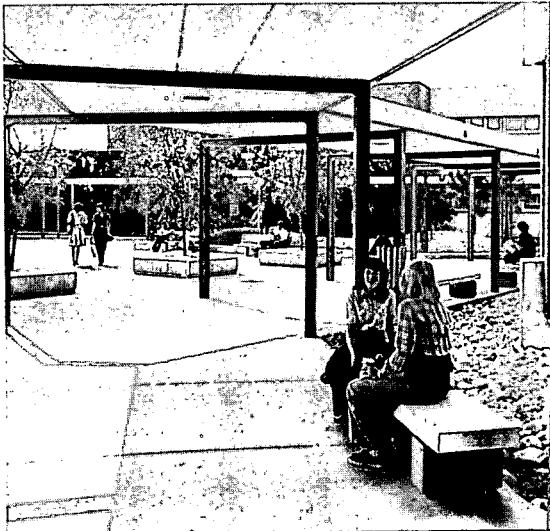
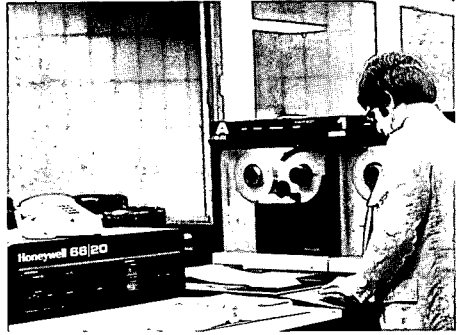
2. Register for a thesis course each semester or term that the student works on research or writing.
3. Secure a copy of the approved manual of instructions for preparing a thesis and follow it explicitly.
4. Write a thesis under the direction of his/her supervising professor. The thesis must be approved by his/her advisory committee and the Graduate Dean. Six semester hours of credit will be granted for the successful completion of the thesis. No credit will be reported for the thesis course until the final copy of the thesis has been approved.
5. Submit a single, unbound copy of the thesis to the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies at least 30 days prior to the expected date of graduation.
6. Submit three copies (four if a personal copy is desired) of the finished thesis to the Graduate Dean no later than 10 days prior to the graduation date.
7. Submit abstracts of the thesis as required for publication in *Dissertation/Thesis Abstracts* published by University Microfilms.
8. Pay the thesis binding and abstract publication fees to the Lamar Bookstore no later than 10 days prior to the graduation date.

## FINAL EXAMINATION

1. Each candidate for a master's degree is required to pass a final oral or written examination. This examination must be taken at least 15 days prior to the conferring of the degree.
2. A student presenting a thesis as a part of the degree requirement must be enrolled and take an oral examination. This examination is confined to the thesis and background subject matter pertaining to the thesis.
3. A candidate not presenting a thesis as a part of the degree requirement must take a written or oral examination or a combination of both written and oral examinations.
4. If all requirements for graduation except the comprehensive examination are completed during a semester for a nonthesis program, the oral or written examination may be administered the following semester without the student being enrolled in the College of Graduate Studies.
5. A calendar showing scheduled dates for oral and written examinations is prepared by the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies.

## GRADUATION

1. A candidate for the Master's degree or Doctor of Engineering must file an application for graduation in the office of the Graduate Dean. This application must be made in accordance with the calendar published in this bulletin.
2. The student is responsible for making the application, for securing official advisement about study plans, and for checking compliance with all degree requirements with the office of the Graduate Dean.
3. Candidates for graduate degrees must be present at graduation ceremonies unless they have been excused by the Graduate Dean. Requests to receive a degree *in absentia* must be filed in writing in the Graduate Dean's office at least four weeks before the commencement date.



# College of Business

The College of Business offers a program of study leading to the Master of Business Administration degree. The objective of this program is to develop a general competency for management.

## ADMISSION

Persons seeking admission to this program must meet the general requirements for admission outlined elsewhere in this Bulletin, with the following exceptions:

- a. The student is not required to take the Graduate Record Examination.
- b. The student is required to take the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT), formerly the Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business (ATGSB). The Lamar Counseling and Testing Center, located in the Wimberly Student Affairs Building, administers this examination. Application forms and information about the Graduate Management Admission Test are available at this Center.
- c. The applicant's undergraduate grade point average and Graduate Management Admission Test scores must equal or exceed the minimum standards. The student must meet at least one of the following standards:
  1. GMAT score of 450 or above and overall undergraduate grade point average of 2.5 or above (4.0 system)
  2. GMAT score of 450 or above and junior-senior grade point average of 2.75 or above. (4.0 system)
  3. A total of at least 950 points based on the formula: 200 times the undergraduate GPA (4.0 system) plus the GMAT score.
  4. A total of at least 1,000 points based on the formula: 200 times junior-senior grade point average (4.0 system) plus the GMAT score.
- d. A student whose native language is not English is expected to score over 500 on the TOEFL.

## The Common Body of Knowledge in Business

The applicant must have completed the equivalent of the following undergraduate courses which comprise the common body of knowledge in business:

- Acc 231 and 232 — Principles of Accounting
- BA 331 — Business Law
- BA 332 — Principles of Finance
- BA 334 — Marketing
- BA 335 — Principles of Management
- BA 3302 — Business Statistics
- Eco 231 and 232 — Principles of Economics
- OA 334 — Business Communications

### **Degree Requirements**

The candidate for the Master of Business Administration degree must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in this Bulletin. The student may follow either of two plans described below.

**Plan I:** (24 hours of course work and a six-hour thesis)

Acc 534 — Seminar in Accounting

BA 530 — Seminar in Management

BA 531 — Seminar in Marketing

BA 5311 — Seminar in Financial Management

Three hours in Economics (must be 500-level)

Nine semester hours of graduate level courses in College of Business (including at least three semester hours of a 500-level course)

BA 669A — Thesis in Business Administration

BA 669B — Thesis in Business Administration

**Plan II:** (36 hours of course work, non-thesis)

Acc 534 — Seminar in Accounting

BA 530 — Seminar in Management

BA 531 — Seminar in Marketing

BA 5311 — Seminar in Financial Management

BA 5312 — Business Research

Three hours in Economics (must be 500-level)

18 hours of graduate level courses in College of Business (including at least three semester hours of a 500-level course)

### **Requirements for Applicants With Degrees in Nonbusiness Fields**

Students whose baccalaureate degrees are in nonbusiness fields may earn the Master of Business Administration degree by completing the common body of knowledge in business listed above followed by either Plan I or Plan II. Descriptions of courses included in the common body of knowledge can be found in the undergraduate bulletin.

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Office administration

**Accounting** courses will be selected from the following list:

**534 — Seminar in Accounting.** A course designed to broaden the student's concept of current accounting theory and problems. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Contemporary Accounting Theory.** A comprehensive study of the contemporary approaches to the development of accounting theory. This will include a study of historical development as well as more recent contributions of present day scholars. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Advanced Accounting Problems.** An intensive study of accounting techniques and problems with emphasis placed on the concepts of income determination, asset valuation, and cost analysis. Contemporary developments are reflected through a study of research materials and professional publications. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Managerial Accounting.** Application of accounting data in decision-making; cost analyses as applied in the development of budgets and standards; accounting as a tool for cost control and pricing; case problems. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**Business administration** courses must be selected from the following:

**530 — Seminar in Management.** A course designed to give students an integrated theory of management which incorporates the significant contributions of the various approaches. Research papers are presented by each student as an inquiry in depth of certain sub-theories. Prerequisite: BA 335. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Seminar in Marketing.** An intensive study of specific marketing concepts, theories, and strategies in the marketing effort. Emphasis is placed on reading from current journals and other related publications. Prerequisite: BA 334. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Problems in Business Finance.** A comprehensive study of how financial problems affect all areas of business management. The case study approach is utilized in order to stimulate analysis and discussion of forms of organization, promotion of new firms, short-term and long-term sources of funds and financing, dividend policies, merg-

ers, refinancing and recapitalization, reorganization, and comprehensive financial planning. Prerequisite: BA 5311. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Business Problems and Organization.** Managerial decision-making in the areas of marketing, finance, production, and labor-management relations. General management perspectives are stressed in determining objectives, establishing policies, and planning and organizing the use of facilities, materials, and manpower; motivation of individuals and groups. The case-study approach is utilized. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Quantitative Analysis Control.** A course designed to help the student examine the decision-making function through the use of model building and other mathematical procedures. Emphasis is on the selection of a model or tool for a particular business problem. Problem areas are drawn from the major functions of an organization. The techniques covered include decision making under uncertainty, inventory analysis, linear programming, Markov analysis, and project-planning models. Prerequisite: BA 3302 and mathematical competence. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5310 — Advanced Statistical Analysis.** Further development of the application of statistical methods to the process of making decisions in the face of uncertainty. The use of quantitative methods and models for management is emphasized. Topics include multiple correlations, sampling theory, queuing theory, and statistical quality control. Prerequisite: BA 3302. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Seminar in Financial Management.** A study of selected topics in financial management, including capital budgeting and optimum financial structure. Research papers are presented by each student for critical analysis and discussion. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5312 — Business Research.** The student will design and carry out an individual research project under the supervision of a faculty member. Emphasis will be placed on research design and methodology, sources of business and economic data, and the use of quantitative techniques to achieve substantive research results. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5314 — Marketing Thought and Theory.** A study of the contributions of outstanding marketing scholars to marketing thought. An evaluation of the principles and theories in marketing from the social and the firm's point of view. Prerequisite: Six semester hours in marketing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5315 — Legal Aspects of Marketing.** A study of governmental controls which are intended to promote the free enterprise system. Several Supreme Court cases which have affected marketing practices will be briefed. Prerequisite: Six semester hours in marketing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5316 — Seminar in Current Marketing Problems.** A comprehensive overview and critical analysis of selected current problems relating to the field of marketing. Prerequisite: Six semester hours in marketing. Class 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

**Economics** courses must be selected from the following:

**530 — Seminar in Monetary and Fiscal Policy.** A study of the theory and practice of monetary management and the taxing-borrowing-spending programs of the government as they affect growth, output, employment, prices, and resource allocation. Prerequisites: Eco 231, 232, and 334 or consent of instructor, and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Advanced Economic Theory.** Advanced economic analysis and methodology; price and distribution theory; perfect and imperfect competition and allied subjects. Pre-

requisites: Eco 333 or 339 and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Contemporary Literature and Thought.** Readings, special projects, studies, and research in the current professional literature. The student will become acquainted with learned journals, economists, their current thinking, present issues and emphasis in the field. Prerequisites: 6 hours of Economics and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Collective Bargaining.** Background ideologies, contract provisions, current legal and social developments, public employment and international labor practices. Prerequisite: Eco 336 or consent of instructor and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — American Economic Growth and Development.** An advanced level study and analysis of the major forces which contributed to American economic development; regional development theory and actual growth patterns; theories of growth applied to America's economic development, past, present, and potential. Prerequisites: 6 hours of economics or consent of instructor and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Managerial Economics.** A study in depth of the principles and techniques of economic analysis applicable to the problems of business management. Prerequisites: 9 hours of Economics including Eco 333 or 339 and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5301 — Money and Capital Markets.** Survey of the functions and performances of financial institutions; analysis of the sources and uses of funds in financial markets; market structures of interests rates; and flow of funds analysis. Prerequisite: One of the following: Eco 332, 334, 431G, or BA 332, or 437G, and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5341 — Manpower:** Identification and analysis of income distribution, unemployment, occupational composition of the labor force, manpower training program legislation and evaluation, field trips and experiences in local manpower training projects. Prerequisite: 3 hours Labor Economics and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5371 — International Finance.** Analysis of the international balance of payments and problems associated with it, international liquidity and monetary systems with emphasis on theory and issues of international financial markets — their nature, ramifications, and practices. Prerequisite: Either Eco 332, 334, 335 or 4331G and graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**Office Administration** — The following course may be taken as a graduate level course in business to satisfy the Master of Business Administration degree elective requirements or the course may be counted as an approved elective for the Master of Education degree in secondary education.

**5301 — Contemporary Problems in Business Education.** Problems and materials in teaching skills subjects; analysis of various teaching techniques; examination of recent research and experimentation. When courses are conducted in sufficiently different areas and with the approval of the department head, participants may repeat course for credit. Prerequisites: graduate standing and skill in proposed subject. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

Below is the list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

Acc 430G — Auditing



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- Acc 431G — Advanced Accounting
- Acc 433G — C.P.A. Review
- Acc 434G — Advanced Cost Accounting
- Acc 435G — Accounting Systems
- Acc 437G — Municipal and Governmental Accounting
- BA 4111G, 4211G, 4311G, 4411G — Special Problems in Business
- BA 434G — Advanced Legal Principles
- BA 436G — Production Management
- BA 437G — Investments
- BA 438G — Petroleum Law
- BA 4303G — Quantitative Techniques in Marketing
- BA 4305G — Real Estate
- BA 4306G — Financial Markets
- BA 4307G — Financial Institutions
- BA 4308G — Organizational Behavior
- BA 4309G — Industrial Marketing
- BA 4310G — Marketing Management
- BA 4312G — International Marketing
- BA 4313G — Buyer Behavior
- BA 4314G — Administrative Policy
- BA 4315G — Budgetary Control
- BA 4316G — Business Simulation, Modeling and Decision Theory
- BA 4317G — Computers in Business Management
- BA 4318G — Marketing Research
- BA 4319G — Advanced Marketing Problems
- BA 4320G — Small Business Enterprises
- Eco 430G — Economics of Urban Problems
- Eco 431G — Monetary Theory
- Eco 433G — History of Economic Thought
- Eco 434G — Economics Development
- Eco 435G — Comparative Economic Systems
- Eco 436G — Business Cycles
- Eco 437G — Applied Economic Analysis
- Eco 439G — Mathematical Economics
- Eco 4101G, 4201G, 4301G, 4401G, 4501G, 4601G — Institute in Economics
- Eco 4111G, 4211G, 4311G, 4411G — Special Problems in Economics
- Eco 4314G — Industrial Organization
- Eco 4315G — Social Control of Business

# College of Education

Graduate degree and certification programs are offered by the departments of Elementary Education, Secondary Education, Special Education, Health and Physical Education, and Home Economics.

## **Degrees Offered:**

Master of Education in Elementary Education  
Master of Education in Guidance and Counseling  
Master of Education in School Administration  
Master of Education in Secondary Education  
Master of Education in Special Education  
Master of Education in Supervision  
Master of Science in Health and Physical Education  
Master of Science in Home Economics

## **Professional Certificates available:**

Counselor  
Educational Diagnostician  
Elementary Education  
Mental Retardation  
Mid-management Administrator  
Reading Specialist  
School Administrator  
School Superintendent  
Secondary Education  
Special Education  
Special Education Supervisor  
Supervisor  
Visiting Teacher

## **MASTER OF EDUCATION DEGREE (M.Ed.)**

### **General Requirements:**

1. The student must fulfill the general requirements for admission and the general degree requirements that are stated elsewhere in this bulletin.
2. The applicant in elementary education must have completed 24 semester hours in education, including 12 semester hours in elementary education methods and materials courses.
3. The applicant in secondary education must have completed a minimum of 18 semester hours in education and 24 hours in the discipline to be pursued at the graduate level, including a minimum of nine hours at the 300 level or higher.

4. The applicant in guidance and counseling, school administration, special education and supervision must hold a Provisional Teaching Certificate, or its equivalent.
5. The student in fields other than guidance and counseling and school administration may elect to write a thesis. If so, the student is required to complete a minimum of 24 hours in addition to a thesis.
6. The student who does not choose to write a thesis must earn a minimum of 36 hours of graduate credit and is required to complete successfully a written examination.

### **Degree Plan in Elementary Education**

To meet individual needs, considerable flexibility is allowed in planning the student's program; however, the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *Specialization Area.* Six semester hours of courses must be taken for graduate credit from one or a combination of the following disciplines: history, English, foreign languages, mathematics, science, art, music, speech or health and physical education.

(NOTE: To fulfill requirements concurrently for a Master's degree and for a Professional Certificate, a student may complete six additional hours in the area of specialization and substitute these hours for six hours in the elective area. The student also should elect a 36 hour nonthesis program.)

2. *Professional Development.* Six semester hours must be selected from the following courses (three semester hours if the student elects to write a thesis):
  - Edu 530 — Structure and Organization of Public Education
  - Edu 531 — Research (Required)
  - Edu 532 — Current Issues in Education
  - Edu 533 — Contemporary Philosophies of Education
  - Edu 534 — Advanced Study in Human Development
  - Edu 535 — The Learning Process
  - Edu 537 — Public School Curriculum
  - Edu 5307 — History of Education
3. *Resource Area.* Twelve semester hours must be selected from the following courses (nine semester hours if the student elects to write a thesis):
  - Edu 536 — Problems in Teaching Science and Social Studies in the Elementary School
  - Edu 538 — Modern Mathematics in the Elementary School
  - Edu 539 — Foundations of Reading
  - Edu 5303 — Strategies for Individualizing Elementary Instruction
  - Edu 5310 — Language Arts In The Elementary School
  - Edu 5329 — Corrective Reading
4. *Electives.* Twelve semester hours (six semester hours if student elects to write a thesis) from any of courses listed below or in a concentrated area.
  - A. Reading Specialist
    - Edu 539 — Foundations of Reading
    - Edu 5301 — Current Literature for Children and Adolescents
    - Edu 5302 — Practicum: Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Difficulties
    - Edu 5329 — Corrective Reading
  - B. Audio-Visual Specialist

- Edu 433G — Teaching Media and Audio-Visual Technology
- Edu 435G — Individualized Instruction Through Technology
- Edu 5370 — Technology
- Edu 5372 — Film and Television as a System of Teaching
- C. Early Childhood Education
  - Edu 4304G — History and Philosophy of the Kindergarten
  - Edu 4305G — Seminar in Early Childhood Educational Research
  - Edu 5351 — Advanced Study in Early Childhood Curriculum
  - Edu 5352 — Creative Activities in Early Childhood Education
- D. Supervision
  - SpEd 5316 — Administration & Supervision of Special Education Programs
  - Edu 5336 — Leadership and Evaluation of Instruction
  - Edu 5337 — Practicum and Seminar
  - Edu 5338 — Instructional Supervision
- E. Special Education
  - SpEd 5361 — Survey of Learning Potentials of Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners
  - SpEd 5365 — Instructional Processes with Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5366 — Modification of Curriculum and Instruction for the Atypical Learner

### **Degree Plan in Elementary Education with Professional Certification in Reading**

1. To fulfill requirements concurrently for a Master's degree and Professional Certification in Reading, the student:
  - A. must hold a valid Texas Provisional Elementary or Secondary Certificate;
  - B. must have completed a minimum of three years of creditable classroom teaching;
  - C. should elect a 36 hour nonthesis program.
2. The usual pattern of coursework is as follows:
  - A. Professional Development Area. Six semester hours required.
    - Edu 531 — Research (required)
    - Edu 530 — Structure and Organization of Public Education
    - Edu 532 — Current Issues in Education
    - Edu 533 — Contemporary Philosophies of Education
    - Edu 534 — Advanced Study in Human Development
    - Edu 535 — The Learning Process
    - Edu 537 — Public School Curriculum
    - Edu 5307 — History of Education
  - B. Resource Area. Twelve semester hours required.
    - Edu 536 — Problems in Teaching Science and Social Studies in the Elementary School
    - Edu 538 — Modern Mathematics in the Elementary School
    - Edu 539 — Foundations of Reading (required)
    - Edu 5303 — Strategies for Individualizing Elementary Instruction
    - Edu 5310 — Language Arts In The Elementary School
    - Edu 5329 — Corrective Reading (required)

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- C. Specialization Area. Six semester hours.
  - Soc 432G — Educational Sociology
  - Eng 4312G — Study in Language and Linguistics
- D. Additional Requirements. Twelve semester hours.
  - Edu 5301 — Current Literature for Children and Adolescents (required)
  - Edu 5302 — Practicum: Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Difficulties (required)
  - Edu 5319 — Problems in Secondary School Instruction
  - Edu 5320 — Adolescent Development
  - Edu 5321 — Strategies for Individualizing Secondary Instruction

### **Professional Certificates in Elementary Education**

The applicant should hold or be eligible for a Provisional Certificate before admission into a professional program and have three years of teaching experience before being recommended for the Professional Certificate.

Requirements for the Professional Certificate follow an outline prescribed by the Texas Education Agency; consequently, the format for the certificate and the format for the degree are not identical. By selecting a nonthesis program and with careful planning, a student may fulfill concurrently requirements for the Master's degree and requirements for a Professional Certificate in Elementary Education or the Reading Specialist Certificate. Specific information concerning these certificates may be obtained from the Director of Graduate Studies or the Department of Elementary Education.

### **Other Certificates**

It is possible for students to complete part of all of the requirements for a provisional teaching certificate or an endorsement to such a certificate while working on a Master of Education degree in Elementary Education. Endorsements in areas such as mental retardation, physically handicapped/minimally brain injured, emotionally disturbed, language and/or learning disabilities, early childhood/exceptional children and kindergarten may be adapted to such an arrangement. Specific information concerning these certificates may be obtained from the Director of Graduate Studies or from the Department of Elementary Education.

### **Degree Plan in Secondary Education**

To meet individual needs, considerable flexibility is allowed in developing the student's plan for a nonthesis or a thesis program; however, the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *Professional Development.* Eighteen semester hours must be taken as follows: Required: Six semester hours
  - Edu 531 — Research
  - Edu 5320 — Adolescent Development*Electives:* Twelve semester hours must be in one of the following areas:
  - Classroom Specialist
  - Reading Specialist
  - Foundations of Education
  - SupervisionA list of specific courses required or recommended in each of the concentrations is available through the Office of the Director of Graduate Studies or the Department of Secondary Education.
2. *Specialization Area:* For the nonthesis route to the degree, 12-18 semester hours of graduate work must be completed in one of the approved disciplines. A mini-

imum of 12 hours must be taken at the 500 level for the 18-hour specialization. If the student elects to write a thesis or chooses the route leading to the Professional Teaching Certificate which requires a six-hour resource area exclusive of professional education and the specialization, the specialization requirement is reduced to 12 semester hours with at least six at the 500 level.

A plan listing the specific courses required or recommended is available through the Office of the Director of Graduate Studies of the Department of Secondary Education. Specialization areas are available in the following disciplines:

Biology	Physical Education
Chemistry	History
Earth Science	Mathematics
Economics	Physics
English	Speech
Government	

### **Program Leading to Professional Teaching Certificate — Secondary**

The Texas Education Agency issues a Professional Teaching Certificate to the candidate recommended by the college when he/she has completed an approved 30 semester hour program of credit beyond the bachelor's degree. This program must include work in professional development, in a teaching specialization area and in a resource area. Requirements also indicate that the candidate must hold a Provisional Teaching Certificate and have three years of teaching experience. Specific requirements for the certificate may be obtained in the Office of the Director of Graduate Studies or in the Department of Secondary Education.

### **Other Certificates**

It is possible for graduate students to complete requirements for a Provisional Teaching Certificate while completing a Master of Education degree in Secondary Education. Specific information concerning these certificates may be obtained from the Head of the Department of Secondary Education.

### **Degree Plan in Guidance and Counseling**

To meet individual needs, some flexibility is allowed in planning the student's program; however, because of requirements for certification the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *The Guidance Program.* Three semester hours.  
Edu 5322 — Organization and Administration of Guidance Program
2. *The Pupil Served.* Six semester hours.  
SpEd 431G — Psychology of Exceptional Children  
SpEd 534 — Advanced Study in Human Development  
Edu 535 — The Learning Process  
Soc 432G — Sociology of Education (required)
3. *Resource Areas.* Twenty-seven semester hours.  
Required (21 semester hours)  
Edu 531 — Research  
Edu 5323 — Occupational and Vocational Guidance  
Edu 5324 — Individual and Group Counseling  
Edu 5328 — Practicum in Guidance and Counseling  
Edu 5333 — Individual Counseling Theories and Techniques

Edu 5334 — Interpretation and Analysis of Tests and Measurement  
 Edu 5335 — Individual Testing  
 Electives (six semester hours)  
 Edu 5332 — Guidance and Counseling in the Elementary School  
 SpEd 5361 — Survey of Learning Potentials of Exceptional Children  
 SpEd 5362 — Psychoeducational Evaluation of Exceptional Children  
 SpEd 5363 — Practicum in Psychoeducational Procedures

### **Professional Counselor's Certificate**

A student who completes requirements for a Master of Education degree in guidance and Counseling will have fulfilled all curriculum requirements for a Professional Counselor's Certificate. A student who desires the certificate, without fulfilling all degree requirements should check with the Director of Guidance and Counseling for specific information. Usually such a student who is otherwise eligible can meet these requirements by completing 30 semester hours. The Texas Education Agency issues a Professional Counselor's Certificate based upon completion of an approved program in guidance and counseling and three years of teaching experience in an accredited school system.

### **Professional Visiting Teacher's Certificate**

The Visiting Teacher Professional Certificate is based upon a Provisional Teaching Certificate, three years teaching experience in an accredited school or three years experience in an approved social agency, and the completion of an approved 36 semester hour graduate program.

The purpose of the Visiting Teacher professional preparation program is to qualify certified, experienced teachers for supportive staff positions and leadership responsibilities as liaisons between school-home-and community agencies. The program has been developed with flexibility to utilize the educational and experimental background of the student to develop and enhance competencies in interpersonal transactions, behavioral management, multi-cultural understanding and familiarity with the health, social and child welfare resources of the community and the state.

A student who desires to seek this certificate should consult with the Director of Guidance and Counseling or with the head of the department of Secondary Education for information.

**Note:** To qualify for a Special Education Visiting Teacher Certificate, the student must have, or be eligible for, a Professional Visiting Teacher Certificate and must have completed six semester hours in graduate or undergraduate work in Special Education.

Completion of the Visiting Teacher Certificate program does not fulfill the requirements for a Master of Education degree. This certificate is planned as an adjunct or addition to an approved graduate degree program.

### **Certification Plan for the Visiting Teacher**

To meet individual needs, some flexibility is allowed in planning the student's program; however, because of requirements for certification the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *Professional Development Area.* Three semester hours.  
 Edu 5318 — School Management and School Services  
 Edu 5344 — School Law
2. *Specialization Area.* Twenty-one semester hours.

*Required:* Twelve semester hours

- Edu 5322 — Organization and Administration of the Guidance Program
- Edu 5334 — Interpretation and Analysis of Tests and Measurement
- Edu 5367 — Psycho-Social Foundations of Educating the Culturally Different
- Edu 5368 — Practicum: Role and Responsibilities of the Visiting Teacher

*Electives:* Nine semester hours

- Edu 534 — Advanced Studies in Human Development
- or
- Edu 5320 — Adolescent Development
- Edu 5323 — Occupational and Vocational Guidance
- Edu 5324 — Individual and Group Counseling
- Edu 5332 — Guidance and Counseling in the Elementary School
- Edu 5333 — Individual Counseling Theories and Techniques
- Edu 537 — Public School Curriculum

3. *Resource Area.* Twelve semester hours.

- Edu 5326 — School and Community Relations
- SpEd 5316 — Administration and Supervision of Special Education Programs
- SpEd 5362 — Psychoeducational Evaluation of Exceptional Children
- SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management
- SpEd 5365 — Instructional Processes with Exceptional Children
- Psy 5310 — Introduction to Social and Psychological Assessment
- Psy 5311 — Community Psychology
- Soc 432G — Sociology of Education

### **Degree Plan in Supervision**

Requirements for a Master of Education in Supervision may be met by completing a 36 semester hour nonthesis program or by completing a 30 semester hour plan that includes a thesis. The student is allowed some flexibility in planning his program; however, the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *Professional Development.* Six semester hours.
  - Edu 531 — Research (required)
  - SpEd 5316 — Administration and Supervision of Special Education Programs
  - Edu 5334 — Interpretation and Analysis of Tests and Measurement
2. *Specialization Area.* Nine semester hours.
  - Edu 5336 — Leadership and Evaluation of Instruction
  - Edu 5337 — Practicum and Seminar: Supervision and Curriculum Development
  - Edu 5338 — Instructional Supervision
3. *Resource Area.* Twenty-one semester hours (15 if thesis is written).
  - A. *Learning Process.* Three semester hours.
    - (1) Edu 534 — Advanced Study in Human Development
    - (2) Edu 535 — The Learning Process
    - (3) SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners
  - B. *Electives.* Eighteen semester hours (12 if thesis is written).

If the student chooses to write a thesis, the number of electives is reduced to six hours in course work plus six hours in thesis. With approval, other graduate level courses applicable to professional certification sequences may be selected.



### Professional Supervisor's Certificate

Curriculum requirements for a Professional Certificate in supervision may be met by completing a Master of Education degree in Supervision. A student who desires the certificate without fulfilling all degree requirements should consult with the Director of Certification for specific information.

### Degree Plan in School Administration

Requirements for a Master of Education degree in School Administration may be met by completing a 36 semester hour nonthesis program. The program is designed to provide the first 36 of the 45 semester hours required for the Mid-management Administrators' Certificate. A plan listing the specific courses for the degree is available in the office of the Director of Graduate Studies or in the Department of Secondary Education.

To meet individual needs, some flexibility is allowed in planning the student's program; however, because of requirements for certification the usual pattern of course work is as follows:

1. *Common Core for Administrators* (24 hours)
  - A. General Administrative Competencies (18 hours all required)
    - Edu 531 — Research in Education
    - Edu 535 — The Learning Process
    - Edu 537 — The Public School Curriculum, K-12
    - Edu 5331 — Theory and Practice in School Administration
    - Edu 5336 — Leadership and Eval of Instruction
    - Edu 5344 — School Law
  - B. Related Areas of Study (6 hours)
    - Soc 432G — Sociology of Education (required)
    - CS 5301 — Computer Systems for Education Applications (required)
2. Specialized Preparation for School Administrators (12 hours)
  - Edu 5317 — Organization and Administration of Special Programs (required)
  - Edu 5318 — School Management and School Services (required)
  - Edu 5339 — The Public School Principal (required)
  - Plus three hours of electives from:
    - Edu 5324 — Individual and Group Counseling
    - Edu 5326 — School-Community Relations
    - Edu 5342 — School Finance and Bus Mgt
    - Edu 5345 — Personnel Management
    - Edu 5347 — Seminar in School Administration

### Professional Certification for Mid-Management School Administrator and for School Superintendent

There are two plans in operation for the completion of valid Administrators' Certificates. One is based upon a plan approved under 1966 Standards, and students working under that plan have until September 1, 1977, to complete all requirements for that program. Students enrolled in the Professional Administrator's program at Lamar before September 1, 1973, had until that date to declare whether they wished to complete requirements of the "old" program or change to the new standards.

The new standards are presented in this catalog, since all students entering Lamar's program after September 1, 1973, will follow these plans. Two types of certificates are available under the new standards.

1. The Mid-Management Administrator's Certificate requires the completion of the approved 45 semester hour plan of graduate credit.
2. The Professional School Superintendent's Certificate requires the completion of the Mid-Management Administrator's Certificate and an additional 15 semester hour approved plan of graduate credit.

To be eligible for recommendation for the Mid-Management Administrator's Certificate, the candidate completing the 45 hour approved plan must hold a Provisional Teaching Certificate, must hold a Master's degree, must have a minimum of two years of creditable classroom teaching experience, and must have completed an approved administrative internship experience.

To be eligible for recommendation for the Professional School Superintendent's Certificate, the candidate must have met all of the requirements for the Mid-Management Administrator's Certificate, plus the completion of the 15 semester hour plan of specialized graduate work for school superintendents.

Professional Certificate course requirements are as follows:

1. *General Administrative Competencies*. 18 semester hours — all required.
  - Edu 531 — Research in Education
  - Edu 535 — The Learning Process
  - Edu 537 — The Public School Curriculum, K-12
  - Edu 5331 — Theory and Practice in School Administration
  - Edu 5336 — Leadership and Eval of Instruction
  - Edu 5344 — School Law
2. *Related Areas of Study*. Nine semester hours — Six required.
  - Soc 432G — Sociology of Education (required)
  - CS 5301 — Computer Systems for Educational Applications (required)
  - Three semester hours selected from the following:
    - Eco 534 — Collective Bargaining
    - Gov 535 — Seminar in Theory and Practice in Public Administration
    - Gov 5351 — Seminar in Personnel Administration
3. *Specialized Preparation for School Administrators*. 18 semester hours
  - Edu 5317 — Organization and Administration of Special Programs (required)
  - Edu 5318 — School Management and School Services (required)
  - Edu 5339 — The Public School Principal (required)
  - Edu 5348 — Practicum in Educational Administration (required)
  - Six semester hours to be selected from:
    - Edu 5324 — Individual and Group Counseling
    - Edu 5326 — School-Community Relations
    - Edu 5342 — Public School Finance
    - Edu 5343 — Administration of the School Plant
    - Edu 5345 — Personnel Administration
    - Edu 5347 — Seminar in School Administration
4. *Specialized Preparation for the School Superintendent*. 15 semester hours required.
  - Edu 5326 — School-Community Relations
  - Edu 5341 — The School Superintendent (required)
  - Edu 5342 — Public School Finance (required if not previously completed)
  - Edu 5343 — Administration of the School Plant

- Edu 5345 — Personnel Management
- Edu 5349 — Internship for the School Superintendent (required)
- (Three hours must be repeated once during consecutive long terms.)

### **Degree Plan in Special Education**

To meet individual needs, some flexibility is allowed in planning the student's program; however, the usual pattern of course work is indicated below. If a student desires, he/she may complete requirements concurrently for a Professional Certificate as an Educational Diagnostician or in Supervision. Provisional Certification in Special Education — Generic is available, if desired, as part of the degree plan. This degree, if the student is pursuing one of the described certifications, is planned as a 36 semester hour nonthesis program. A student not seeking a certificate within the degree may complete a minimum of 24 semester hours in addition to a thesis.

To fulfill requirements concurrently for a Master's degree and Professional Certification in Supervision, the student also must complete a special education categorical area endorsement. The student should secure information concerning requirements for certification from the Department of Special Education. General information concerning Professional Certificates is presented in another portion of the College of Education section of the Bulletin.

1. *Professional Development Area.* Nine semester hours must be selected from the following courses (three semester hours if the student elects to write a thesis):
  - Edu 530 — Structure and Organization of Public Education
  - Edu 531 — Research (required)
  - Edu 532 — Current Issues in Education
  - Edu 533 — Contemporary Philosophies of Education
  - Edu 534 — Advanced Study in Human Development (required for Educational Diagnostician)
  - Edu 535 — The Learning Process (required for Educational Diagnostician)
  - Edu 537 — Public School Curriculum
2. *Resource Area.* Twelve semester hours must be selected from the following courses (six semester hours if the student elects to write a thesis):
  - SpEd 431G — Psychology of Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 439G — Methods and Materials for Learning Disabilities
  - SpEd 4309G — Instruction of the Exceptional Learner (required for Special Education-Generic)
  - SpEd 4310G — Practicum in Instructing the Exceptional Individual (with permission)
  - SpEd 5313 — Learning Potentials in Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5315 — Problems and Issues in Special Education
  - SpEd 5316 — Administration and Supervision of Special Education Programs (required for Supervision)
  - Edu 5334 — Interpretation and Analysis of Tests and Measurements (required for Supervision)
  - Edu 5335 — Individual Testing (required for Educational Diagnostician)
  - Edu 5351 — Advanced Studies in Early Childhood Curriculum
  - SpEd 5361 — Survey of Learning Potentials of Exceptional Children (required for Special Education-Generic)
3. *Specialization Area.* Fifteen semester hours must be selected from the following courses or in a concentrated area:

- A. Educational Diagnostician
  - SpEd 5362 — Psychoeducational Evaluation of Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5363 — Practicum in Psychoeducational Procedures
  - SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners
  - SpEd 5365 — Instructional Processes with Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5366 — Modification of Curriculum and Instruction for the Atypical Learner
- B. Supervision
  - Edu 5336 — Leadership and Evaluation of Instruction
  - Edu 5337 — Practicum and Seminar
  - Edu 5338 — Instructional Supervision
  - SpEd 5361 — Survey of Learning Potentials of Exceptional Children
  - SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners
- C. Special Education — Generic
  - SpEd 4307G — Practicum in Instructional Alternatives in Reading and Language Arts (with permission)
  - SpEd 4308G — Appraisal Processes in Programming for the Exceptional Individual
  - SpEd 4310G — Practicum in Instructing the Exceptional Individual (with permission)
  - SpEd 5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners
  - SpEd 5365 — Instructional Processes with Exceptional Children

### **Professional Certificates in Special Education**

Educational Diagnostician  
Special Education Supervisor

With careful planning, a student may complete requirements for either or both of the professional certificates indicated above within the masters degree program. Specific information concerning these certificates may be obtained from the Director of Graduate Studies or the Department of Special Education.

### **Provisional Certificates in Special Education**

Generic Special Education  
Mental Retardation  
Physically Handicapped/Minimal Brain Injury  
Language/Learning Disabilities  
Emotionally Disturbed  
Early Childhood/Exceptional Children

Students may obtain provisional certification in the above listed areas. A combination of graduate and undergraduate courses leading to one or more certificates is possible. Specific information concerning these certificates may be obtained from the Department of Special Education.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION CONCERNING PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES**

### **Validity**

The Professional Certificate is valid for life unless canceled by lawful authority, and gives the holder legal authority to perform duties in the public schools of Texas in the specialized areas designated on the face of the certificate.

### **Requirements:**

1. Have completed the requirements for a Provisional Certificate.
2. Have at least three years of teaching experience.
3. Have completed an approved teacher education program.
4. Be of good moral character.
5. Be a citizen, or in the process of becoming a naturalized citizen of the United States.
6. Believe in and uphold the Constitution of the United States and the State of Texas.
7. Have completed, in a Texas institution of higher learning, a course or courses in which the Constitutions of the United States and the State of Texas have been given special emphasis.
8. Have completed at least six semester hours of American history or three semester hours in American history plus three semester hours in Texas history.
9. Pay an application fee of \$3.

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### **Education (Edu) Courses:**

**530 — Structure and Organization of Public Education.** Analysis of the operation and function of public education at the local, state, and national levels. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Research.** Introduction to skills and techniques necessary for research and problem solving in education. Emphasis on terminology, methodology, and spirit of systematic research. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Current Issues in Education.** Current controversies and trends in public education. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Contemporary Philosophies of Education.** Influence of recent philosophies on education. Schools of educational philosophy and implications for curriculum development and teaching methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Advanced Study in Human Development.** A study of development and nature of the human personality. Emphasis on recent psychological and biological experiments. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — The Learning Process.** Dynamics, processes, and systems of learning. Theoretical emphasis. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Problems in Teaching Science and Social Studies in the Elementary School.** A study of current developments, recent trends and innovative methods of teaching science and social studies in the elementary school, with emphasis upon individual teaching problems and research. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — The Public School Curriculum.** Analysis of the objectives, organization, and content of the different areas of the public school curriculum in grades K-12. Emphasis

is given to models of curriculum development and to techniques for curriculum improvement. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Modern Mathematics in the Elementary School.** Problems, research, and innovative methods in elementary mathematics. This course is designed for elementary teachers who wish to pursue individual problems, research, and recent methods and trends of teaching elementary mathematics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Foundations of Reading.** Methods for extending and refining fundamental reading habits and attitudes, and for increasing reading efficiency. Attention will be given to all facets of the foundations of a reading program. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5101, 5201, 5401, 5601 — Institute in Education.** Designed to advance the professional competence of participants. For each institute, a description of the particular area of study will be indicated. May be repeated for credit when nature of institute differs sufficiently from one previously taken. Class: 1 to 6 hours. Credit: 1 to 6 semester hours.

**5301 — Current Literature for Children and Adolescents.** Survey of recent literature for children and adolescents. Emphasis is given to nonfiction in such areas as earth science and social science. Extensive reading of actual literature. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5302 — Practicum: Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Difficulties.** Work with pupils in diagnosing and correcting reading disabilities. Students will determine the causes of reading disabilities, employ observation and interview procedures, use standard and informal tests, and study materials and methods of instruction. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5303 — Individualized Instruction in the Elementary School.** Basic concepts of individualized instruction will be covered in detail. Various innovative methods of individualized instruction will be investigated. Particular attention will be given to types of school organization such as the "open" school. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5304 — Advanced Child Development.** A consideration of the contributions of scientific research to an understanding of child development and behavior. Emphasis on biological, social, cultural and psychological factors determining individual differences in the child. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5305 — Problems in Elementary School Instruction.** Consideration of the instructional problems encountered by teachers in the elementary schools. Prerequisite: one year of teaching experience. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5306 — Institute in Education.** Designed to advance the professional competence of participants. A description of the institute will be indicated. May be repeated for credit when nature of institute differs significantly from one previously taken. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5307 — History of Education.** A study of the evolution of educational theory traced from the time of primitive man to the present age depicting the development of concepts and contributions leading to modern educational thought. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5310 — Language Arts in the Elementary School.** A study of developments and trends in the teaching of language arts with primary consideration given to individual teaching problems, individual research, and recent innovative methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5111, 5211, 5311 — Individual Study in Education.** Supervised investigation into special areas of education under the direction of a graduate faculty member. May be repeated for credit when topic of investigation differs. Prerequisite: Consent of department head. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 1 to 3 semester hours.

**5317 — Organization and Administration of Special Programs.** Study of principles, organization and administrative practices in special, compensatory and vocational education. Attention is given to administrative competencies essential to the successful implementation of career education in all elements of the school program. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5318 — School Management and School Services.** Study of principles of school business procedures related to fiscal accounting, including the preparation, analysis and control of the school fiscal budget. Study of building management, cafeteria programs, transportation services and textbook services. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5319 — Problems in Secondary School Instruction.** Consideration of the instructional problems encountered by experienced teachers in the secondary schools. Prerequisite: One year of teaching experience. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5320 — Adolescent Development.** Physical, mental, social and emotional characteristics of the adolescent; his interests and problems; his family and community relationships. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5321 — Strategies for Individualizing Secondary Instruction.** An analysis of the strategies for individualizing instruction, including the techniques of diagnosis and prescription for learning problems. Studies of the open classroom, team teaching, independent study, learning modules, nongraded programs, and other organizations for instruction are included. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5322 — Organization and Administration of the Guidance Program.** Essential services and management functions of guidance and counseling services for schools. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5323 — Occupational and Vocational Guidance.** Survey of occupational fields, requirements and rewards. Concepts of vocational guidance. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5324 — Individual and Group Counseling.** Processes of individual study. Counseling procedures and techniques for individuals and groups. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5325 — Pupil Personnel Management.** Survey of student services in the public schools emphasizing principles, philosophy and operating procedures. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5326 — School-Community Relations.** Emphasizes the relationship of educational and social patterns of living which exists in every community; recognizes the burden of leadership which rests with the public school as it occupies the central position of influence in the community. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5327 — College Teaching.** Designed for graduate students with little or no pedagogical training or experience. Application of learning principles and pedagogical procedures in college classes. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5328 — Practicum in Guidance and Counseling.** Supervised observation and practice of guidance and counseling in a school setting. Prerequisite: Edu 5335 and approval of department head. Class: the number of hours equivalent to 8 hours per week for 16 weeks. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5329 — Corrective Reading.** Causes of reading disability, methods of diagnosis, and remedial instruction. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5331 — Theory and Practice in School Administration.** Introduction to theories of administration, organizational structures, and current practices in educational administration. Emphasis is given to types of organizational designs, personnel titles and roles, line staff relationships, and general theories of successful administrative practice. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.



**5332 — Guidance and Counseling in the Elementary School.** A course designed to provide an understanding of guidance principles and techniques applicable to the elementary school. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5333 — Individual Counseling Theories and Techniques.** Opportunities are provided for the student to enrich his background and experience in interviewing and in dealing with human relations problems in the counseling situation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5334 — Interpretation and Analysis of Tests and Measurement.** Analysis and evaluation of types of tests and measurement devices will be conducted. Methods of determining the reliability and validity of tests are investigated. Designs for testing programs and selection of appropriate tests will be included. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5335 — Individual Testing.** Theoretical and practical study emphasizing the administration, scoring, and basic interpretation and practice in the use of individual psychological tests. Students will be trained to administer the Wechsler tests, the Stanford Binet, or other subsequently developed individual intelligence scales. Prerequisite: Edu 4337G or Edu 5334. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5336 — Leadership and Evaluation of Instruction.** Investigation of the leadership roles in instructional programs. Techniques of evaluation and interpersonal relationships leading to instructional improvement are considered. Special attention is given to reading programs and the total language arts program K-12. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5337 — Practicum and Seminar.** Supervision and curriculum development. Investigation of the role of the supervisor with emphasis on curriculum development. Investigations will center around problems in supervision, curriculum theory, and educational experimentation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5338 — Instructional Supervision.** Identification of the role and competencies of the supervisor, including a study of supervisory practices and policies relating to program development and instructional improvement in the public schools, K-12. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5339 — The Public School Principal.** Study of the role and competencies for the administrator of the elementary, middle, and secondary schools. Specific studies of job analysis and responsibilities in various organizations of the K-12 program are included. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5341 — The School Superintendent.** Emphasis on the legal and delegated authority, responsibilities and operative techniques of the superintendency. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5342 — Public School Finance.** Analysis of principles of school finance to include problems of budgeting, accounting, and administration of funds. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5343 — Administration of School Plant.** Operation, maintenance, and utilization of physical plant to include administration of records, standards and control of plant, and development of school building programs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5344 — School Law.** Interpretation and operation of school law including a study of the Texas Education Code and the Handbook for Public School Law. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5345 — Personnel Management.** Fundamentals of human relations and organizational behavior in developing programs of recruitment selection, assignment, evaluation, promotion, and termination of personnel. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5346 — Public Relation in School Administration.** Development of principles governing school-community relationships to promote mutual understanding and support of school's purpose, functions, and needs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5347 — Seminar in School Administration.** Study of basic concepts and principles of school administration as applied to selected topics. Special attention will be given to new and developing programs and to administrator's roles in these programs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5348 — Practicum in Educational Administration.** Supervised experience in administration and offered by arrangement between the university and the public school. Class: arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5349 — Internship for the School Superintendent.** Designed to give the prospective superintendent on-the-job training under the guidance of a successful, experienced, practicing administrator with the supportive supervision of members of the University faculty. May be repeated once for credit; must be done in consecutive long terms. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5351 — Advanced Study in Early Childhood Curriculum.** A comprehensive study of the organization, methods, and materials used for instruction in Kindergarten and other programs for young children. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5352 — Creative Activities in Early Childhood Education.** Teaching methods and materials for releasing creative expression with music, art, and literature. Workshop approach with demonstration of art and music processes. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5367 — Psycho-Social Foundations of Educating the Culturally Different.** Studies delineate personal psychological characteristics and the affective domain of the culturally different. Identifies educational strategies applicable to the teaching process as well as other supportive pupil services. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5368 — Practicum: Role and Responsibilities of the Visiting Teacher.** Studies involve supervised one-to-one interactions with pupils, parents, community agencies, and other personnel to actualize resources that enhance educational opportunities for children. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5370 — Technology.** Application of present technology to the production of educational materials, and the utilization of these materials in the direction of instruction. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5372 — Film and Television as a System of Teaching.** Study of the basic concepts of the production and use of educational television, still and motion pictures. Emphasis will be given to the production of pictorial teaching materials and to the use of such materials as a system of teaching. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5378 — Instructional Supervision of Student Teachers.** Designed to facilitate instructional personnel who, directly or indirectly, work with/supervise student teachers to better understand their roles of supervision as they relate to student teaching. Emphasis is given to the cooperative endeavor and special relationships as they exist between state regulatory bodies, the supervising teacher, and the University supervisor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

(Note: This course has been recognized by the Lamar Teacher Center as meeting the in-service requirement for supervising teachers as specified by state statute.)

**5390-9 — Selected Topics.** Significant topics in Elementary, Secondary, and Special Education. The description of the particular area of study will appear on the printed semester schedule. A student may repeat for a maximum of six semester hours when topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

431G — Diagnostic-Prescriptive Techniques in the Teaching of Reading

433 G — Teaching Media and Audio-Visual Technology

435G — Individualized Instruction through Technology

4301G — Institute or workshop in Education

4304G — History and Philosophy of the Kindergarten

4305G — Seminar in Early Childhood Educational Research

4337G — Tests and Measurements

439G — Reading Practicum

### **Special Education (SpEd) Courses:**

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5601 — Institute or Workshop in Special Education.** Designed to advance the professional competence of participants. For each institute or workshop a description of the particular area of study will be indicated. May be repeated for credit when institute or workshop differs sufficiently from one previously taken. Class: 1 to 6 hours. Credit: 1 to 6 semester hours.

**5121, 5221, 5321 — Individual Study in Special Education.** Investigation into special areas in special education under the direction of a faculty member. This course may be repeated for credit when topics of investigation differ. Prerequisite: Consent of department head. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 1 to 3 semester hours.

**5315 — Problems and Issues in Special Education.** Appraisal of current problems, trends and practices in the education and care of exceptional children. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5316 — Administration and Supervision of Special Education Programs.** Analysis of the functions of special education in the administrative structure of the school; the principles and practices in administration and supervision in special education. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5361 — Survey of Learning Potentials of Exceptional Children.** General survey of the learning potentials of those children deficient in basic integrities which can be categorized into central peripheral nervous system dysfunction, and/or behavioral disorders. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5362 — Psychoeducational Evaluation of Exceptional Children.** Simulated experiences in the use of formal and informal methods of appraising and communicating pupils' educational status and progress. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5363 — Practicum in Psychoeducational Procedures.** Practicum experience in the use of formal and informal instruments in the evaluation of the psychoeducational and social development of children and the utilization of education and clinical data in individual teaching plans. Prerequisite: Edu 5362. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5364 — Behavior Modification and Contingency Management of Disabled Learners.** The description of specific types of learning, the sequence in learning school-related tasks, and the competencies to manipulate events to effect desired learning. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5365 — Instructional Processes with Exceptional Children.** Competency in developing educational strategies for the remediation, amelioration, or compensation of exceptional-ity as it interferes with achievement or adjustment in school. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5366 — Modification of Curriculum and Instruction for the Atypical Learner.** Information and familiarity with instructional materials necessary for meeting the special needs of exceptional learners. Utilization of Special Educational Instructional Materials Centers. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5390-9 — Selected Topics.** Significant topics in Special Education. The description of the particular area of study will appear on the printed semester schedule. A student may repeat for a maximum of six semester hours when topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

431G — Psychology of Exceptional Children

436G — Education of Gifted Children

439G — Methods and Materials in Learning Disabilities

4101G, 4201G, 4301G, 4601 G — Institute or workshop in Special Education

4307G — Practicum in Instructional Alternatives in Reading and Language Arts for the Exceptional Individual

4308G — Appraisal Processes in Programming for the Exceptional Individual

4309 G — Instruction of the Exceptional Learner

4310G — Practicum in Instructing the Exceptional Individual.

### **Graduate Resource Courses:**

**CS 5301 — Computer Systems for Educational Applications.** Functional units of computers including both hardware and firmware; software; analysis, design, and evaluation of computing configurations for educational applications; cost estimation techniques for both academic and administrative applications. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**Soc 430G — Seminar in Sociology.** Basic concepts and principles of sociology as applied to the study of selected topics. Designed for education majors or other non-sociology majors. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**Soc 432G — Sociology of Education.** A study of the multi-cultural influences on the school system and the democratic society. Included will be an analysis of educational problems in the multi-cultural society of Texas. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

## **Department of Health and Physical Education for Women**

## **Department of Health and Physical Education for Men**

### **Degree Requirements**

The Master of Science degree in Health and Physical Education requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in Health and Physical Education, six in thesis, and six in an approved supporting field. The supporting field must be approved by the student's graduate committee or with its approval six additional hours in Health and Physical Education may be substituted for the supporting field.

With the approval of the student's graduate committee in Health and Physical Education, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis. If the nonthesis option is selected, six hours must be taken in an approved supporting field.

HPE 536, Research Methods in Health and Physical Education, is required of all students.

## **GRADUATE FACULTY**

### **Members**

Associate Professor Alice C. Bell

Health education and graduate program coordinator (women)

Associate Professor Vernon R. Crowder

Exercise physiology

Assistant Professor Raymond L. Fletcher

Physical education, recreation

Professor Mary Jane Haskins

Physical education, research

Professor James B. Higgins

Physical education

Professor Belle Mead Holm

Health education, administration

Associate Professor Virginia R. Holt

Physical education, curriculum, health education

Associate Professor Mildred A. Lowrey

Physical education, motor learning, sports psychology

Professor Leonard A. Yates

Physical education, curriculum, administration

The graduate student will select courses in **health and physical education** from the following:

**530 — Problems in Health and Physical Education.** Biological, physiological, social, psychological, and other purposes and outcomes; selection and distribution of activities; teaching methods; facilities; teacher preparation; literature; research problems. Permission must be obtained from Department Head for enrollment in class. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Cultural Foundations of Physical Education.** A study of history and cultural foundations of sport and physical education activities, their origin and influence upon modern man. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Seminar in Physical Education.** Designed to develop abilities in locating and evaluating literature and research in physical education and in allied fields. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours as the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Organization and Administration of the School Health Program.** Administrative relationships and procedures in conducting school health programs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Scientific Basis of Exercise.** A study of professional literature and laboratory experimentation on the role of physical activities and their effects on the human organism. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Trends and Issues in Health and Physical Education.** Designed to assist the student to become knowledgeable on current trends and issues in the areas of health and physical education. Study will include historical, analytical, and projective approaches. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours as the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Research Methods in Health and Physical Education.** Familiarity with types of research in Health and Physical Education with emphasis on tools and techniques of research and research design. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5601 — Workshop in Health and Physical Education.** This course is designed to advance the professional competence of graduate students in health and physical education. Topic will vary. A description of the particular area of study will be indicated. May be repeated for credit when nature of course differs sufficiently from one previously taken. Class: 1-6 hours. Credit: 1-6 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- MPE 4301G — Workshop in Physical Education
- MPE 432G — Officiating Football
- MPE 433G — Officiating Basketball
- HEd 434G — Health & Human Ecology
- MPE 435G — Adapted Physical Education
- HEd 437G — Health Science and Epidemiology
- DAN 439G — History and Theory of Dance

## Department of Home Economics

### Degree Requirements

The Master of Science degree in Home Economics requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in home economics, six in thesis, and six in an approved supporting field. With the approval of the student's graduate committee, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis. If the nonthesis option is selected, six hours must be taken in an approved supporting field.

The student's graduate program must include Home Economics 5314: Research Techniques.

### GRADUATE FACULTY

#### Members

Associate Professor Jane S. Davidson

Home economics education

Associate Professor Ferial A. El-Maguid

Nutrition and food science

Associate Professor LeBland McAdams

Clothing and fashion merchandising

Professor Dorothy W. McAlister

Home economics education, textiles and clothing, consumer economics

The graduate student will select **home economics** courses from the following list:

**530 — Seminar in Home Economics.** An intensive study of selected problems and recent developments in Home Economics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Recent Advances in Foods and Nutrition.** Readings in and discussion of selected studies and recent developments in the field of nutrition and foods. Implications for dietitians, nutritionists, teachers, extension workers and others. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Draping.** An application of couture costume design principles and construction techniques. Dress design based on the manipulation of fabric on a form. Class: 2 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Heritage of Dress.** A survey of costume history and customs which have affected garment styles. An analysis of historic costume and its contribution to civilizations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Problems in Clothing and Textiles.** Individual and group investigations and discussions of special problems in the various phases of clothing and textiles. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Cultural Aspects of Food.** The relationship of food acceptability and use to the cultural and social development of people over the world. Food preparation experiences as influenced by international food patterns. Class: 2 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Family Management.** Socio-economic changes, public policies and programs, and management practices related to family well-being. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Curriculum Development in Home Economics.** Philosophy and development of home economics education programs for secondary schools, colleges or universities with emphasis on current curriculum developments and trends. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Experimental Foods.** Investigation into principles and problems of food preparation. Development of professional attitudes and techniques through laboratory groups and individual projects. Class: 2 hours. Laboratory: 2 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Advanced Textiles.** Analysis and comparison of recent scientific textile trends with reference to fiber content, yarn, fabrication, color and finish. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5312 — Resources in Home Economics Education.** Creative development, selection and evaluation of instructional materials including preparation, selection, and use of visual materials. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5314 — Research Techniques.** Principles and application of standard techniques used in research. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A, 669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

411G, 421G, 431G — Special Topics

430G — Quantity Food

432G — Family Clothing

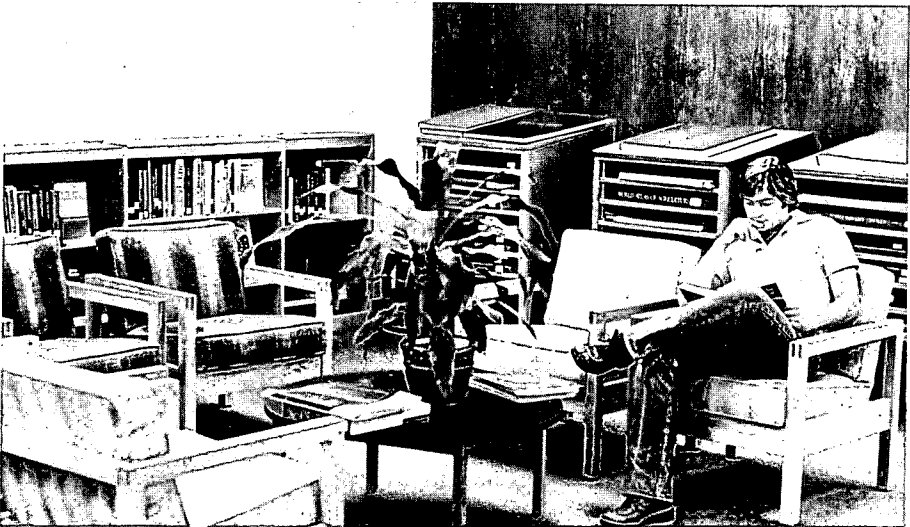
433G — Household Equipment

434G — Fashion and Production

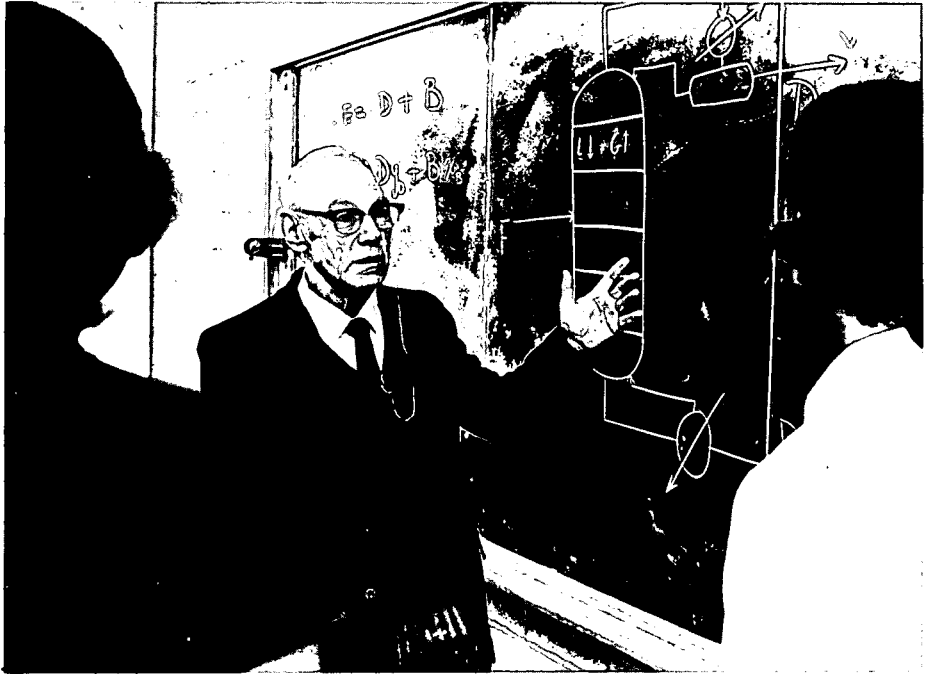
435G — Consumer Housing

436G — Home and Fashion Merchandising

437G — Individual Problems in Home Economics







# College of Engineering

Graduate degree programs are offered by the Departments of Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Mathematics, and Mechanical Engineering.

## DEGREES OFFERED:

### Engineering Departments

- Master of Engineering
- Master of Engineering Science
- Doctor of Engineering

### Mathematics Department

- Master of Science in Mathematics

## MASTER OF ENGINEERING SCIENCE DEGREE (M.E.S.)

The Master of Engineering Science degree plan requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work, including thesis. For admission to the program, the student must meet the following requirements.

1. The general requirements for admission to the College of Graduate Studies.
2. Hold a bachelor's degree in a field of engineering or applied science.
3. Have credit equivalent to that required for undergraduate engineering students at Lamar.

It is assumed that all graduate students are proficient in the use of digital computers.

### Degree Requirements

The candidate for the M.E.S. degree must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in this catalog. Thirty semester hours of graduate work are required with the following restrictions:

1. A minimum of 18 semester hours of credit in engineering courses, including:
  - a. Six semester hours in thesis.
  - b. Three semester hours of engineering courses from those designated as graduate core courses, and
  - c. Nine additional semester hours of engineering courses of which at least six semester hours must be on the 500 level.
2. From approved 400G-500 level courses, nine semester hours in a combination of mathematics and science.
3. Three hours of electives.
4. All course work presented for the M.E.S. degree must have the approval of the candidate's committee.

## **MASTER OF ENGINEERING DEGREE (M.E.)**

The Master of Engineering degree is designed to suit the needs of the practicing engineer. This program recognizes the value of, and the initiative required for, professional registration.

For admission to the program, the student must meet the following requirements:

1. The general requirement for admission to the College of Graduate Studies.
2. Hold a bachelor's degree with credit substantially equivalent to that required for an engineering degree at Lamar.

### **Degree Requirements:**

1. The candidate for the M.E. degree must meet all the general requirements of the College of Graduate Studies as listed in this catalog.
2. The general requirement is 36 semester hours of graduate work. At least 18 semester hours of this work must be engineering courses at the 500 level. The remainder will be selected by the graduate student through consultation and agreement with his graduate committee.
3. A graduate student holding an Engineer-in-Training (EIT) certificate or a graduate student who is a Professional Engineer registered in the State of Texas (or registered in another state where requirements do not conflict with the provisions of the Texas Engineering Practice Act and are of a standard not lower than those specified in Section 12 of that Act) may satisfy course requirements by completing 33 semester hours of graduate work providing Egr 631 (Design Project) is included.

## **DOCTOR OF ENGINEERING (D. Egr.)**

The Doctor of Engineering degree is designed as an extension of the Master of Engineering to allow a practicing engineer to work on practical engineering problems of considerable complexity.

For admission to the program, these requirements must be met:

1. Hold a master's degree in engineering or at least 30 semester hours of engineering, science or mathematics courses at the graduate level.
2. Submit a letter of application to the Coordinator of Engineering Graduate Studies. This letter should include information about the applicant's engineering experience, present employment, chief interests and type of work he might undertake for his field study.

An applicant who has been accepted into the College of Graduate Studies and whose application indicates he/she might be admitted to the program, will be notified and a graduate faculty committee will review the applicant's transcripts, test scores and letter of application. The committee will then determine if a diagnostic examination is warranted. If such an examination is approved, the committee will then prepare and administer the examination.

### **Diagnostic Examination**

The objectives of the diagnostic examinations are threefold: (1) to determine the appropriateness of the student's background, (2) to help determine the student's qualifications for a doctoral program, and (3) to provide guidance for the selection of a study program. The committee may decide to do any one of the following: (1) accept the

student into the doctoral program, (2) not accept the student, or (3) accept the student conditionally. If the student is accepted conditionally, the committee will specify what additional preparation the student must make. The committee also will specify whether the student is to retake the diagnostic exams, a portion of these exams, or may be accepted into the doctoral program upon completion of the additional preparation.

### **Study Program**

After a student is accepted into the doctoral program he/she will meet with his/her committee to outline a program of study. This program of study would normally consist of a minimum of 30 semester hours of 500 and 600 level course work beyond the equivalent of a master's degree.

The study program would be chosen in consultation with the student to suit the student's interests and abilities as nearly as the standards of the doctoral program and the interests of the faculty will allow. In addition to his/her study program the student will be expected to demonstrate a proficiency in at least one computer language.

The student is expected to pursue his/her study program in a continuous manner by earning three semester hours credit in two consecutive long terms. Failure to do so will require an application to the Graduate Engineering Faculty to continue his study program.

### **Candidacy Examination**

Near the end of the study program the student will make written application to his doctoral committee to be allowed to take the candidacy examinations. The purposes of the candidacy examinations are threefold: (1) to test the ability of the student to comprehensively relate the subjects of his study program (2) to verify that the time taken to complete the study program has not been so long as to disassociate the student's graduate education, and (3) ascertain the student is ready to do the field study. The committee may again make any one of three decisions upon evaluation of these exams: again make any one of three decisions upon evaluation of these (1) pass, (2) fail, or (3) conditional pass. A conditional pass would be accompanied by the requirements of the committee and the action to be taken upon the fulfillment of these requirements.

### **Field Study**

After the student is admitted to candidacy he/she will be required to submit a formal engineering proposal conforming to a standard format outlining his/her field study. This field study normally would be expected to take a minimum of one man-year and should involve some technological innovation. A unanimous vote of the doctoral committee shall be required to approve a field study. During the course of the field study the student would normally register for 30 semester hours of Field Study. Upon completion of the field study a formal engineering report with a standard format shall be submitted to the members of the doctoral committee and defended in an oral examination.

## **GRADUATE FACULTY**

### **Members**

Professor Ali M. Alli

Operations research, quality control

Professor Luther A. Beale

Structural analysis, design

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Professor Wendell C. Bean

Automatic control systems, bioengineering

Associate Professor James J. Brennan

Applied statistics, systems simulation,  
manufacturing processes and materials

Professor Otto G. Brown

Fluid mechanics in turbulent flow; bioengineering

Associate Professor John A. Bruyere

Materials science

Assistant Professor Carl Carruth

Work design and measurement, human factors and motivation

Professor James L. Cooke

Process control; power system analysis

Professor Floyd M. Crum

Solid state devices in electronic circuits

Professor Andre P. Delflache

Soil mechanics, foundations, ocean engineering, geophysics

Professor David G. Gates

Decision-making processes; plant layout, human factors

Professor Jack R. Hopper

Reaction kinetics, catalysis

Professor Eugene P. Martinez

Kinetic and thermal sciences of fluids

Professor Robert A. McAllister

Transport properties, fluid mechanics

Professor Harry T. Mei

Computer applications, humidity control

Assistant Professor Joseph W. Miller, Jr.

Mass transfer, extraction, absorption

Associate Professor William E. Morgan

Environmental engineering

Assistant Professor Desmond N. Penny

Civil engineering

Assistant Professor Frederick H. Pitts

Process control, process simulation and optimization

Professor Irvin L. Reis

Probabilistic design, mathematical models, management engineering

Professor Bruce G. Rogers

Ultimate load characteristics of structures, stress analysis

Assistant Professor L. Wayne Sanders

Heat transfer, air pollution control, fluid mechanics

Associate Professor Ramon S. Satterwhite

Electromagnetic fields and waves

Associate Professor Paul Schillings

Operations research

Professor George B. Tims, Jr.

Engineering management

Associate Professor Bobby R. Waldron

Mathematical statistics, computer science

Professor Richard E. Walker

Rheology, analog-hybrid computers  
 Associate Professor Joseph T. Watt  
 Digital systems, control, and analog computers  
 Associate Professor Carl L. Yaws  
 Physical and thermodynamic properties, solar energy

The graduate student will select **engineering** courses from the following:

**\*531 — Materials Science.** Principles underlying the behavior of materials existing in the solid, liquid, and gaseous phases. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**\*533 — Computer Methods in Engineering Analysis.** Computer techniques will be introduced and employed. Numerical methods for solving transcendental equations, polynomials, simultaneous linear algebraic equations, and partial differential equations. Monte Carlo method, random numbers and simulation of engineering systems will be introduced. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Nonlinear Analysis.** Various methods of solving nonlinear differential equations are studied. Analytical, graphical, and computer solutions are included. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**\*535 — Control Theory.** Introduction to state variables; multiple-input-multiple-output systems; controllability; performance criteria; choice of control strategy. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**\*536 — Thermodynamics-Process Industry.** Thermodynamic laws are derived and applied to physical chemical phenomena. Ideal and non-ideal gas, liquid, and solid solution behavior are developed for physical and chemical equilibria. Statistical and irreversible thermodynamics are introduced. Course credit in chemistry is optional. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**\*537 — Thermodynamics-Energy Conversion.** The basic laws of thermodynamics are derived and applied in the analysis of power cycles, energy conversion, and specific processes. Basic principles of irreversible thermodynamics and phenomenological relations are presented. An elementary statistical approach is presented with simple examples of the calculation of the transport properties of gases, liquids, and solids. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Sampled Data Control Systems.** Principles of digital and sampled-data control systems. Analysis of response, stability, and compensation by transforms and other methods; special topics as time permits. Prerequisite: Mth 4301G. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Seminar.** Investigation of current engineering practices, research, and literature. The course may be repeated for credit when the subject matter differs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5303 — Regression Analysis.** Review of regression analysis; theory of least squares; multivariate analysis; theory of the general linear hypothesis model. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5304 — Nonlinear Programming.** Theory of linear and nonlinear programming; the lambda and delta-form of the approximating problem; quadratic programming; gradient methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

\*Core Courses. A core course may be repeated one time for graduate credit, upon prior approval, where course content varies.

**5305 — Reliability.** Statistical theories pertinent to solution of engineering problems in reliability; distribution and failure theory including failure rate and mean time to failure for the exponential, log normal, gamma, and Weibull distributions. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5308 — Cost and Optimization Engineering.** Includes the mathematics of cost comparisons, profitability, and optimization with emphasis on processing, cost estimation, and control. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5310 — Advanced Concrete Design.** Analysis and design of concrete members with consideration given to pre-stressing or post-stressing of beams and structural components. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Heat Transfer Analysis.** Fundamental principles of heat transfer by conduction, convection and radiation. Emphasis will be given to the analysis of problems combining the various heat transfer mechanisms. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5312 — Heat Transfer Mechanisms.** This course will be concerned with individual mechanisms of heat transfer. The mechanisms studied will be conduction, radiation, convection, or boiling. The course may be repeated for credit as the mechanism studied varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5313 — Fluid Mechanics.** Fluid statics, fundamentals of fluid motion, systems and control volumes, basic laws, irrotational flow, similitude and dimensional analysis, incompressible viscous flow, boundary layer theory, and an introduction to compressible flow. Vector methods will be employed. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5314 — Hydraulic Engineering.** Design considerations of hydraulic systems including closed and open channel flow together with related hydraulic accessories. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5315 — Theory of Elasticity.** General analysis of stress and strain, equations of equilibrium and compatibility, stress and strain relations, two dimensional stress problems, elastic energy principles, thermoelastic problems. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5316 — Operations Research I.** The use of advanced mathematical models for optimizing engineering problems with emphasis on management decisions. Includes special techniques based on systems analysis, design of experiments, linear programming, queuing, simulation, and probabilistic analysis. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5317 — Micromeritics.** Shape and size-distribution of particles. Theories of sieving, grading and grinding. Surface properties. Chemical properties. Packing mechanics of particulate matter (statics, dynamics, behavior under stress, thermodynamics). Electrical, optical and sonic properties. Diffusion, transport, collection and separation of small particles. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5318 — Stress Analysis.** Use of reflection and refraction photoelastic apparatus to determine state of stress in opaque and transparent structural models. Demonstration of brittle coating techniques. Comparison of electrical resistance and mechanical strain gages. Investigation of dynamic loading with oscilloscopes and other recording apparatus. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5319 — Design of Experiments.** Experimental design and analysis of experiments are developed as tools of the manufacturing and process industries. Exploratory and evolutionary (EVOP) designs, analysis of variance (ANOVA), error, and regression are treated in some detail. Prerequisite: Course in statistics or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5320 — Fundamentals of Air Pollution.** Pollutant sources, emissions and transport. Air pollution control methods. Particulate collection theory, gaseous pollutant removal theory. Atmospheric sampling and analysis methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5321 — Quality Control Systems.** Application of statistical methods to industrial problems; regression and correlation theory; analysis of variance; use of control charts for control of manufacturing operations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5322 — Rheology.** A study of non-Newtonian liquids with emphasis on principles and fundamentals. Methods of measuring rheological properties of non-elastic and elastic liquids are developed. Laminar and turbulent flow characteristics are reviewed. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5323 — Light Gage Steel Design.** Analysis and design of structural members using light gage cold formed steel. Consideration is given to elastic and inelastic buckling in beams and columns due to local, flexural, torsional and torsional flexural action. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5324 — Wave Mechanics in Particulate Matter.** Propagation of elastic waves in semi-infinite media. Surface waves and body waves. Behavior of particulate masses under the effect of dynamic loading, impact and transient phenomena. Effect on substructures of waves from industrial, seismic and nuclear sources. Mechanical and electronic recording. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5325 — Information Theory.** Aspects applicable to all fields of engineering. Entropy as a measure of information; signal processing, channel capacity and coding theory. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5326 — Waves and Coastal Processes.** Hydrodynamics of waves, wave generation, reflection, energy transmission and dissipation. Coastal phenomena, harbors and breakwaters, analysis of tides and tidal currents. Salt water, fresh water interaction and diffusion in estuaries; erosion and shoaling in tidal waters. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5327 — Numerical Methods of Structural Analysis.** Matrix methods applied to analysis of trusses, beams and frames. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5328 — Inelastic Theory of Structures.** Investigation of structural behavior under conditions of overload. Design of structures using principles of ultimate strength and plastic design theories. Consideration of load and safety factors, stress redistribution, and shakedown. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5329 — Water and Waste Analysis.** Fundamental treatment of sanitary chemistry and microbiology; an intensive study of basic laboratory techniques and instrumentation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5330 — Wastewater Treatment.** Principles of treatment for domestic and industrial wastewaters with emphasis on process kinetics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5331 — Similitude and Model Design.** Dimensional analysis, data processes, prediction equations and model design, including a study of distorted and dissimilar models. Models studied include structural fluid flow, thermal, electrical, magnetic, acoustical, and illumination types. Various analogues from second-order ordinary and partial differential equations are also discussed. Prerequisite: Mth 434G recommended. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5332 — Operations Research II.** Advanced topics in operations research-linear programming, non-linear programming, advanced topics in queuing and inventory theories, sensitivity analysis, and dynamic programming. Prerequisite: EGR 5316 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5333 — Production Control.** Advanced topics in techniques employed in different types of manufacture for planning and controlling production. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.



**5334 — Salary Administration for Engineers and Scientists.** A study of salary incentives, job evaluation, and merit rating for engineering and scientific personnel, executive and managerial compensation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5335 — Engineering Administration.** The qualitative and quantitative responsibilities of the engineer as an administrator. The planning, organization and control of engineering functions. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5336 — Operations Research III.** Recent advances in the methodology and philosophy of Operations Research. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5337 — System Simulation.** Study of the design, construction, testing, and operation of process models for simulation. Starting with simple hand-computed simulations, the student progresses to relatively complex models requiring the use of a high-speed digital computer. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5338 — Reclamation Engineering Seminar.** Investigations of the reclamation of water resources by multiple use, reuse and improvement of existing sources to meet quality requirements. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5340 — Kinetics.** Rate equations are developed by the application of statistical methods and the theory of absolute reaction rates. Partition functions and potential energy surfaces will be introduced. Considerable attention will be given to the measurement of reaction rates and the interpretation of experimental data. May be taken for graduate credit in chemistry or engineering. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5341 — Mass-Transfer Operations.** The principles of diffusion and mass transfer are considered. The study of gas-liquid operations includes humidification, and design of equipment. Solid-fluid studies include adsorption, ion exchange, drying and leaching operations. Less conventional mass-transfer operations are also considered. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5343 — Industrial Waste Treatment.** Procedures for analysis of the industrial waste problem, methods of collecting experimental data, and process design for required treatment. Case studies and special laboratory problems for translating experimental data to prototype design. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5344 — Process Modeling.** An introduction to the basic concepts of mathematics modeling. The subject matter is directed toward chemical and petroleum engineering design and operation. Development of models which form the framework of a quantitative and scientific approach to technical problems will be followed by analytical and/or numerical solutions to optimize output and profitability. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5345 — Reactor Design I.** Basic principles of reactor design are presented. The primary goal is the successful design of chemical reactors. Major reactor types are treated, giving particular attention to their performance capabilities. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5346 — Optimization Techniques.** Analytical methods of constrained and unconstrained optimization. Geometric programming; linear programming. One-dimensional search techniques. Multivariable search techniques. Dynamic programming. Variational methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5347 — Manufacturing Analysis.** The course is designed to provide the background analysis required to understand manufacturing operations and to predict manufacturing behavior. It includes material behavior, metal cutting, metal forming, new and unconventional cutting and forming techniques, machine tool vibration, and manufacturing cost optimization. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5348 — Probabilistic Design.** Application of algebra of normal function to engineering design. Distributive nature of stresses, strengths, and times. Realistic versus idealized design procedures. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5349 — Properties of Gases and Liquids.** Properties of gases and liquids. Major physical, transport and thermodynamic properties of gases and liquids. Pure components and mixtures. Theory, correlation and estimation methods covered. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5350 — Unit Operations of Environmental Engineering.** Theory of fluid and slurry movement under gravity and pressure systems, mixing processes, coagulation and flocculation of chemical treatment, separatory processes including flotation and sedimentation, and gas transfer and absorption of the biological systems. Selected laboratory assignments for model studies of these unit operations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5351, 5352, 5353 — Electric Power Systems Analysis I, II, III.** A three-semester sequence, selected from: symmetrical components, impedance and fault-current calculations, load-flow studies, economic operation, stability and control, system modeling, non-fossil fuel energy conversion. Both analytical and digital-computer methods may be employed as appropriate. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours each.

**5354 — Nuclear Power Plants.** Nuclear reactor neutron kinetics; core reactivity effects of control poisons, coolant and fuel temperatures, fission product poisons; self regulation, automatic control; startup and shut-down; types of nuclear plants foreseen in electric power generation; special problems and benefits of nuclear power plants. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5355 — Random Signal Theory.** Basic concepts of probability theory, correlation functions, power-density spectrum and mean-square error criteria as applied to stationary stochastic processes in linear systems; optimum filtering and prediction and other special topics depending upon class interest and time available, such as: nonlinear devices, time-varying systems, non-stationary processes. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5356 — Modern Control Theory.** Review of state variables; determining mathematical models from input-output data; on-off control systems; optimal control. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5357 — Electromagnetic Fields and Waves.** Maxwell's equations and various field theorems derived from them. Boundary value problems including plane wave interaction with planar and cylindrical objects. Source-excited boundary value problems. Green's functions. Microwave optics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5358 — Scientific Writing and Editing.** Supervised presentation of technical and scientific projects for students proficient in exposition. Projects subject to department's and instructor's approval. Prerequisite: Instructor's consent and departmental approval. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5359 — Seminar in Engineering Administration.** Direct reading, analysis and research in the classic and modern literature of engineering administration. May be repeated for credit where subject matter differs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5360 — Case Problems in Engineering Administration.** The case method applied to complex administration problems encountered by engineers. May be repeated for credit where subject matter differs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5361 — Microelectronic Integrated Circuits.** A basic study of the synthesis of semiconductor and thin film integrated circuits using passive and active elements. The application of such devices to computers, signal processors and instruments. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5362 — Decision-Making Processes.** A study of the bases and philosophical implications of executive decision-making. Elementary game theory, minimax and other strategies. Bayesian inference, subjective probability, teleology of measurement. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5363 — Administrative Control Systems.** Problems affecting the engineer in his design, analysis and control of information systems. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5364 — Digital System Engineering.** Review of combinational and sequential logic; organization of digital computers; data representation and transfer; arithmetic operations; storage and access; control functions. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5365 — Industrial Planning.** Industrial planning and decisions. Plant location, design, evaluation. Symbolic logic, relative importance factors, probabilistic models, fiscal factors. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5366 — Advanced Engineering Economy.** Special economic analyses based on risk, uncertainty, and other probabilistic considerations. Bayesian attacks, influence of perfect information, competitive decisions and decisions under pressure. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5367 — Nuclear Reactor Theory.** Nuclear fission: neutron diffusion, moderation, and absorption; Fermi age treatment; reactor materials and shielding. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5371 — Seminar In Administrative Practices.** Study of the interrelationships between the fields of economics, politics, physical science and social science and the effects upon the management of engineering work. May be repeated for credit where subject matter differs. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5375-5390 — Special Topics.** The course is designed to meet special needs of students. Each topic is offered on an irregular schedule as the demand requires. Example topics include:

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| 1. Kinetic Theory of Gases           | 7. Nuclear Engineering         |
| 2. Transients in Compressible Flow   | 8. Hybrid and Analog Computers |
| 3. Non-linear Vibrations             | 9. Adaptive Control            |
| 4. Protective Construction           | 10. Optimization Techniques    |
| 5. Transients in Engineering Systems | 11. Sampling Techniques        |
| 6. Stagewise Mass Transfer           |                                |

Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5391 — Work Systems Engineering.** Study of current research in methods engineering and work measurement; work design; work systems, systems of standard data and pre-determined motion time data, statistical treatment of work measurement. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5392 — Special Topics.** The course is designed to meet special needs of students. Each topic is offered on an irregular schedule as the demand requires for electrical engineering students. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5399 — Human Factors Engineering.** The specialized adaptation of engineering designs to the human operator's role in man-machine systems. Class: 2 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5401, 5501, 5601 — Institute in Engineering.** Designed to advance the professional competence of participants. For each institute, a description of the particular area of study will be indicated. May be repeated for credit when nature of institute differs sufficiently from one previously taken. Class: 1-6 hours. Credit: 1-6 hours.

**631 — Design Project.** Prerequisite: admission to candidacy. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**632 — Justification of Engineering Projects.** The preparation of proposals for advanced engineering work. The student will be given individual assistance in preparing a

proposal for his field study. Prerequisite: Satisfactory scores on diagnostic exam and approval of advisory committee. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6340 — Distillation.** Material and energy-balance relationships are reviewed for multi-component fractionation equipment and for batch skills. Various plate designs are presented from the standpoint of two-phase hydraulics and mass-transfer efficiency. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6341 — Absorption.** The theoretical aspects of gas-phase and liquid-phase diffusion systems are presented, and empirical correlations for diffusion coefficients are critically surveyed. Equipment for gas-liquid operations, and the estimation of gas-liquid solubilities, are discussed. The principles of gas adsorption will be applied to chemical reactions occurring on the surface of solid catalysts and on liquid surfaces. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6342 — Extraction.** The thermodynamics of nonideal solutions is reviewed, and the prediction of ternary solubility relationships from binary solution data is thoroughly developed. The quantitative design of equipment for liquid-liquid extractions is given considerable emphasis. Both multistage and continuous contact equipment are considered. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6343 — Reactor Design II.** Emphasis is placed on complex reactor design. Attention is devoted to chemical kinetics and catalysis as well as to the engineering aspects of both homogeneous and heterogeneous reactors. Mixing problems are discussed in terms of residence time distribution. The importance of temperature effects is stressed. Prerequisite: Egr 5345 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6345 — Professional Practice.** The development of engineering as a profession. Code of ethics and their justification, licensing requirements, engineer-client relationships and responsibilities. Credit will be given only to students who have passed the professional part of a state engineering registration examination. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6346 — Advanced Engineering Analysis.** Methods of analysis based on finite differences, finite elements, matrices, and special numerical techniques applied to engineering systems. Computer utilized as a tool of investigation and optimization. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6350 — Reactor Plant Dynamics.** Operating characteristics of reactor systems; modeling of neutronic, fluid, heat transfer and fluid processes; dynamics, stability and control of reactor plant systems; engineered safeguards. Prerequisite: Egr 5354 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6351 — Nuclear Reactor Kinetics.** Development of kinetics equations; special topics in space-time kinetics, noise analysis, rod oscillator tests, xenon stability, special control problems. Prerequisite: Egr 5354 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6361 — Solar Energy I.** Origin, nature, and availability. Heat transfer considerations. Plate collectors, energy storage, and thermal performance are discussed. Applications and experimentation are covered. Prerequisite: Egr 537 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**6362 — Solar Energy II.** The design of solar heating and cooling systems. Performance estimates and economic analyses are included. Prerequisite: Egr 6361. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**661 — Engineering Practice.** An internship period under personal supervision. Approval must be obtained from the student's graduate committee. Usually, a formal proposal will be required. Prerequisite: Consent of advisor. Total credit: 6 semester hours.

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proposal will be required. Prerequisite: Egr 632 and consent of advisor. Total credit: 6 semester hours. Must be repeated for credit until Field Study is completed.

**669A-669B** — Thesis. Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the *Bulletin of Lamar University*.

- ChE 435G — Advanced Analysis
- ChE 437G — Computer Applications
- ChE 4111G — Seminar
- ChE 4316G — Stagewise Processes
- ChE 4318G — Advanced Distillation
- ChE 4321G — Process Economics
- ChE 4322G — Unit Operations
- ChE 4323G — Engineering Materials
- ChE 4325G — Introduction to Nuclear Engineering
- CE 430G — Indeterminate Structures
- CE 433G — Environmental Health Engineering
- CE 434G — Soil Engineering
- CE 435G — Water and Waste Water Treatment
- CE 438G — Reinforced Concrete Design
- CE 439G — Structural Steel Design
- CE 4310G — Soil-Structure Interaction
- CE 4312G — Advanced Structural Design
- CS 4101G, 4201G, 4301G, 4401G — Special Topics
- CS 439G — Scientific Computer Application
- CS 4302G — System Analysis and Design
- CS 4307G — Survey of Programming Languages
- CS 4309G — Introduction to Simulation Techniques
- CS 4315G — Numerical Analysis
- CS 4316G — Mathematical Programming
- CS 4321G — Computer Uses in Education
- EE 432G — Electronics III
- EE 434G — Network Synthesis
- EE 436G — Control Engineering
- EE 437G — Electromagnetic Fields II
- EE 4302G — Communication Theory
- EE 4303G — Logical Design of Switching Systems
- EE 4304G — Advanced Topics
- Egr 438G — Introductory Petroleum Engineering
- IE 411G — Industrial Engineering Seminar II
- IE 430G — Quality Assurance and Control
- IE 432G — Statistical Decision Making for Engineers
- IE 434G — Design of Tools and Processes
- IE 435G — Production and Inventory Control
- IE 436G — Design of Production Facilities
- IE 437G — Operations Research
- IE 4302G — System Analysis and Design

- IE 4303G — Linear Programming
- IE 4313G — Human Engineering
- IE 4315G — Organization and Management
  
- ME 431G — Engineering Systems Design
- ME 432G — Mechanical Vibrations
- ME 434G — Internal Combustion Engines
- ME 435G — Turbomachinery
- ME 438G — Environmental Systems Engineering
- ME 439G — Advanced Strength of Materials
- ME 4311G — Controls Engineering
- ME 4312G — Gas Dynamics
- ME 4313G — Transport Theory II
- ME 4315G — Thermodynamics III
- ME 4316G — Engineering Project
- ME 4317G — Engineering Analysis II



## Department of Mathematics

The Department of Mathematics offers a program of study leading to the Master of Science degree in Mathematics (M.S.). Those seeking admission to this program must meet the general requirements as set forth in this catalog for admission to the College of Graduate Studies. In addition, the applicant's 24 semester hours of undergraduate work in mathematics must include a course in advanced calculus or its equivalent.

### Degree Requirements

The Master of Science degree in Mathematics requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work if student elects to write a thesis, or 36 semester hours of graduate work if student does not write a thesis. If a thesis is written, six of the 30 semester hours are expected to be Mth 669A and Mth 669B-Thesis. Degree plans may include as many as nine semester hours in an approved minor field, or a student may elect to take all of his/her work in mathematics. All degree plans must show a minimum of 18 semester hours of mathematics courses on the 500 level or above.

### Members

Professor Richard A. Alo

Analysis, topology, algebraic structures, programming languages, medical applications, mathematics education, mathematical programming, probability

Associate Professor Joseph A. Baj, II

Topology, analysis

Associate Professor Mary Katherine Bell

Mathematics education

Associate Professor George Berzsenyi

Analysis, problem solving

Professor Russell W. Cowan

Differential equations, applied mathematics

Professor Sterling C. Crim

Applied mathematics

Assistant Professor Michael A. Laidacker

Topology, applied mathematics

Professor Philip W. Latimer

Analysis, modern elementary mathematics

Professor Sterling W. McGuire

Statistics, applied mathematics

Associate Professor William C. Nylin

Computer science

Associate Professor Richard L. Price

Mathematics education

Associate Professor David Read

Topology, numerical analysis, statistics

Professor Jeremiah M. Stark

Analysis, applied mathematics

Professor Howard C. Vanzant

Applied mathematics

Associate Professor Sam M. Wood, Jr.

Analysis, abstract algebra

For **mathematics** majors:

**531 — Theory of Functions of Real Variable.** Analytical functions, pathological functions, set functions, Riemann integral, measure theory, Lebesgue integral, Riemann-Stieltjes and Lebesgue-Stieltjes integral. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Modern Algebra.** Numbers, sets, rings, fields, polynomials, and the theory of fields. The theory of fields includes the study of subfields, prime fields, simple field extensions, algebraic field extensions, and Galois fields. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Calculus of Variations.** The Euler-Lagrange differential equation, necessary conditions of Legendre, Jacobi, and Weierstrass, sufficient conditions for an extreme brachistochrone problem, geodesics, surface of revolutions of minimum area, other problems as time permits. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Topology.** Sets, compact spaces, topological spaces, embedding and metrization, and Urysohn lemma. Uniform spaces and function spaces as time permits. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Introduction to Advanced Analysis.** The Riemann mapping theorem, prime number theorem, functions of finite order, Turan's proof of Fabry gap theorem, other topics as time permits. Prerequisite: Mth 431G. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Integral Equations. Fredholm theory.** Eigenvalues and eigenfunctions. Volterra integral equation. Degenerate, symmetric, resolvent, iterated, and arbitrary kernels. Neumann series. Use of integral equations theory as a unified approach to boundary value problems, differential equations, and potential theory. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Methods of Applied Mathematics.** The Dirichlet problem, solution of boundary value problems, the Bergman kernel function, method of the minimum integral, applications of conformal mapping. Prerequisite: Mth 431G. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Fourier Series.** Expansion of functions in Fourier series, Fourier theorems, orthogonal sets of functions, orthonormality, Parseval's theorem. Integration and differentiation of Fourier series. Fourier integrals. Application to boundary value problems arising from partial differential equations of physics and engineering. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Infinite Series.** Sequences, power series, series of functions, complex series, expansion of functions, tests for convergence, uniform convergence, conditions for rearranging terms in a series. Fourier series, Lambert series, Weierstrass theorem on double series, asymptotic expansions, summation of series. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5301 — Operational Mathematics.** Ordinary differential equations, the Laplace Transform, elementary properties; Inverse Transforms, applications of the Laplace Transform to ordinary differential equations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5302 — Operational Mathematics.** Application of Laplace Transform to partial differential equations, boundary-value problems and characteristics, function representation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5303 — Modeling Theory.** Study of techniques of building and applying mathematical models. Applications in biology, ecology, economics and sociology. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5304 — Functional Analysis.** Study of linear topological spaces, convexity, Hilbert spaces and spectral theory. Applications in linear programming and solutions of partial differential equations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.



**5310 — Numerical Analysis.** Stiff and nonstiff ordinary differential equations. Steady state solutions. Finite element and finite difference approximations of elliptic boundary value problems. Direct and iterative methods. Extensions to parabolic equations. Finite differences schemes for hyperbolic equations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Complex Variables.** Conformal mapping and analytic continuation, calculus of residues, hydrodynamics, and asymptotic expansions. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5331 — Special Topics for Graduate Students.** Advanced topics in mathematics to suit the needs of individual classes of graduate students. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

Mth 431G — Complex Variables

Mth 433G — Linear Algebra

Mth 435G — Introductory Topology

Mth 437G — Probability and Statistics

Mth 438G — Theory of Statistics

Mth 4301G — Differential Equations and Linear Algebra

Mth 4302G — Partial Differential Equations

Mth 4315G — Numerical Analysis

Mth 4316G — Mathematical Programming

Mth 4317G — Modern Developments in Statistical Methods

Mth 4321G — Least Squares and Regression Analysis

Mth 4322G — Analysis of Variance

Mth 439G — Scientific Computer Applications (Computer Science)

CS 4101G, 4201G, 4301G, 4401G — Special Topics

CS 439G — Scientific Computer Application

CS 4302G — System Analysis and Design

CS 4307G — Survey of Programming Languages

CS 4309G — Introduction to Simulation Techniques

CS 4315G — Numerical Analysis

CS 4316G — Mathematical Programming

CS 4321G — Computer Uses in Education

## Mathematics — Education

**5137, 5237, 5337 — Special Topics in Mathematics Education.** Treats problems, recent techniques and developments in an identified area of Mathematics Education. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Class: 1, 2, or 3 hours. Credit: 1, 2, or 3 semester hours.

**5321 — Foundations I.** Basic set theory and mathematical logic, introduction to axiomatic systems, the role of definitions, theorems, examples, intuition versus rigor in mathematics, constructive foundation for the real number system, its algebraic and topological properties. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5322 — Foundations II.** Continuation of Mth 5321. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5323 — Real Analysis.** The first year of Calculus reviewed from a higher viewpoint. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5324 — Algebra.** Basic algebraic structures, groups, rings, Euclidean rings, division rings, integral domains, fields. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5325 — Linear Algebra.** Vector spaces with special emphasis on the algebraic structures of  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5326 — Probability and Statistics.** Permutation and factorials, elementary principles of probability, mathematical expectations, averages, curve fitting, application. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5327 — Data Processing.** A survey of higher level languages and an assembly language with applications to advanced programming techniques. Syntax, semantics, and numerical techniques as applied to programming applications. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5328 — Seminar in the History of Mathematics.** Historical origin of mathematical concepts, lives and achievements of great men of mathematics, balance kept between ancient and modern developments. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5329 — Seminar in Mathematical Discovery.** Case histories studied in detail, inductive and heuristic reasoning, teaching by the discovery method. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5330 — Seminar in Enrichment Topics in Mathematics.** Curves of constant width, squaring the square, magic squares, mathematical puzzles, games, many other topics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5332 — Seminar in Geometry.** Basic concepts and selected Euclidean topics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5333 — Seminar in Number Theory.** Pythagorean, Fibonacci, Lucas, triangular and other numbers, other topics as time permits. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5334 — Seminar in Problem Solving.** Understanding the problem, search for the solution, making sketches, the role of trial and error, checking the solution. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

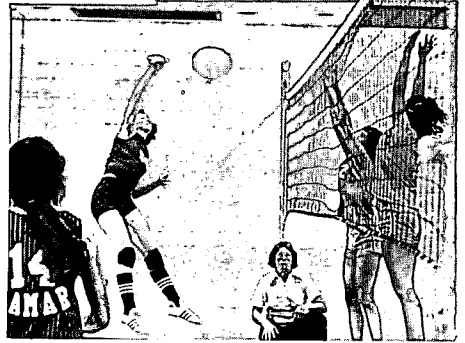
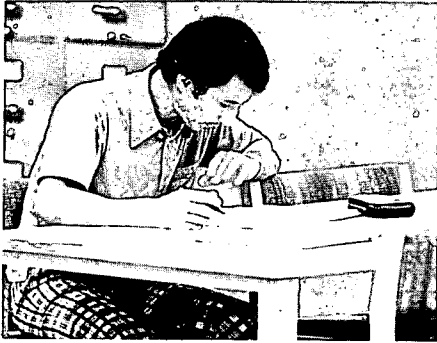
**5335 — Seminar in Mathematical Research.** An individual research project under supervision with emphasis placed on concepts and methods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5336 — Descriptive Topology.** Study of topological properties of familiar geometric figures. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5341 — Special Topics in Algebra.** Advanced topics in algebra to suit the needs of individual classes of graduate students. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5342 — Special Topics in Analysis.** Advanced topics in analysis to suit the needs of individual classes of graduate students. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5343 — Special Topics in Geometry.** Advanced topics in geometry to suit the needs of individual classes of graduate students. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.



# College of Fine and Applied Arts

The College of Fine and Applied Arts offers graduate programs of study leading to the Master of Science degree in the fields of public address, theater, and speech pathology/audiology, and the Master of Music and Master of Music Education degrees.

Persons seeking admission to these programs must meet the requirements specified by the College of Graduate Studies and the individual department. Admission to a degree program is not an admission to candidacy.



## **Department of Communication**

A Master of Science degree in Speech is offered by the Department of Communication and may be obtained through programs of study with specializations in Public Address, Theater, Speech Pathology, Audiology or Audiology with emphasis in education of the deaf. The master's program is designed to help the student deepen and expand his/her knowledge and provide him/her with the opportunity to develop skills and concepts which may be applied to the several vocational ends relating to the above fields of study. Persons seeking admission to these programs must meet the general requirements for admission that are outlined in the College of Graduate Studies catalog. Generally, an applicant should have completed 24 semester hours of undergraduate courses in the speech curriculum. Each student's curriculum choices will be guided by a graduate advisor.

### **Specializations in Speech Pathology/Audiology/Audiology-Deaf Education**

The candidate for the Master of Science degree in Speech must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in this catalog, plus the special requirements of obtaining a minimum of 100 supervised hours of clinical experience. A total of 36 semester hours of course work is required for the degree, including six semester hours of electives. An optional thesis program may be elected by the candidate which would eliminate the six hours of electives. The Audiology-Deaf Education option meets the requirements for Professional Certification of the Council on Education of the Deaf.

Applications for admission to the graduate program in speech and hearing will be considered by a committee of the graduate faculty of the Speech and Hearing Center. This committee will follow standards for faculty/student ratio set by the American Speech and Hearing Association. Criteria used by the committee will include G.P.A., G.R.E., letters of recommendation and personal interviews with the students.

### **Professional Certification Requirements of the American Speech & Hearing Association (including undergraduate work):**

The Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech Pathology or Audiology requires the completion of 60 semester hours that includes 18 hours in fundamentals and 42 hours in the management of disorders of communication. Of these 42 hours, 24 (not including thesis) must be in courses in either Speech Pathology or Audiology, and no fewer than six in either. Furthermore, 30 of the 42 semester hours must be in the courses acceptable toward a graduate degree. Certification also requires verification of 275 hours of supervised clinical practice.

### **Specialization in Public Address/Theater**

Thirty semester hours are required to complete programs in these areas, 18 of which will come as a result of course work in either of these two fields, six hours in thesis, and six hours of course work in an approved minor field. At least 12 semester hours, exclusive of the thesis, must be in speech courses numbered 500 or above. With the approval of the Head of the Department of Communication, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

- Professor Robert F. Achilles  
Speech pathology
- Professor W. Brock Brentlinger  
Speech, mass media
- Associate Professor W. Patrick Harrigan, III  
Theater, oral interpretation
- Professor DeWitte T. Holland  
Public address
- Professor S. Walker James  
Theater
- Associate Professor John P. Johnson  
Speech Pathology
- Assistant Professor Robert Moulton  
Speech pathology, education of the deaf
- Associate Professor Olen Pederson  
Audiology, speech pathology

The graduate student with guidance from an advisor may select from the following **speech** courses:

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5401, 5501, 5601 — Institute in Communication.** Credit for participation in summer or other institutes. Subject of each institute to be noted on the schedule. May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Class: 1-6 hours. Credit: 1-6 semester hours.

**515, 525 — Individual Study.** Independent study of special problems in disorders of communication. Credit: 1-2 semester hours.

**530 — Neurology Anatomy.** Anatomy, physiology, and pathology of the neural system with emphasis on functions and pathologies that relate to speech and language processes. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Advanced Clinical Practice.** Diagnostic and therapeutic procedures in speech pathology or audiology. One hour of clinical practice per week per credit hour. May be repeated once for credit. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Special Audiometric Tests.** Lecture, research literature, and practical course including theory and practical training associated with each test within special test batteries for the purpose of special problem determination with the unusual patient. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Diagnostics, Clinical Management, Counseling.** Lecture, review of literature, and demonstration relative to evaluation procedures and clinical supervision. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Cerebral Palsy, Cleft Palate.** Lecture, review of literature, and demonstration of techniques for habilitation — rehabilitation of speech disorders in cerebral palsy and cleft palate cases. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Individual Study.** Independent study of special problems in disorders of communication. May be repeated once for credit. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Bone Conduction and Masking.** A lecture, research literature, and practical course which includes discussions of the theoretical mechanisms of bone conduction, the theoretical constructs of signal masking, the influences of the different aspects of the

hearing mechanism upon bone conduction signals and signal interference and the practical methods of testing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Advanced Phonetics and Voice Disorders.** Lecture, review of the literature, and demonstration of techniques for habilitation — rehabilitation of phonatory disorders. Emphasis on voice disorders of children. Discussion of mechanisms of phonation and a review of the anatomy and physiology of the vocal mechanism. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Advanced Auditory Rehabilitation.** Discussion, reading assignments, and practical demonstration of the situation, current practices and potential development of industrial audiology, geriatric audiology, and adult amplification application areas. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5310 — American Public Address.** Studies of significant American oral rhetoric from colonial times to the present. May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5315 — Advanced Argumentation and Debate.** The application of the principles of logic and motivation to the argumentative process. A review of the place of forensics in the high school and how such a program is developed and maintained. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5321 — Contemporary Problems — Audiology.** Impedance assessment of the middle ear, electronystagmic assessment of the vestibular mechanism, the format and practical considerations of private practice in audiology, and other controversial areas or problems associated with current audiological practices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5322 — Language, Aphasia.** Lecture review of the literature and demonstration of techniques for habilitation — rehabilitation of various language disorders including aphasia. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5323 — Pediatric Audiology.** A lecture, research literature, and practicum course which includes discussions of the development of the fetal hearing mechanism, the young child's development related to normal and abnormal auditory behavior, testing procedures, techniques, programs and audiological services for persons from birth-18 years of age. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5324 — Stuttering, Mental Retardation.** Lecture, review of the literature and demonstration of techniques for habilitation — rehabilitation of speech disorders due to stuttering or those associated with mental retardation. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5325 — (Theater) Advanced Directing.** Theory and problems in directing plays of different periods and styles including musical comedy. Prerequisite: The 335 or equivalent. Class: 2 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5340 — (Theater) Studies in Modern Theater.** Trends in theater production, theory, practice, and techniques from Adolph Appia to the present. Prerequisite: The 233 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5341 — Seminar in Oral Interpretation.** A study of the history of oral interpretation and its contributions to the field of communication. Experimental studies in literary analysis, rhetorical principles, and performance skills. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5342 — Advanced Speech and Hearing Science and Instrumentation.** A theoretical and practical involvement with the sophisticated apparatus necessary for the measurement and quantification of speech samples, their analysis, their recording, and the instrumentation associated with the assessment of the hearing mechanism. Discussion and demonstration and review of the literature concerning contemporary application of speech and hearing sciences. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5345 — Rhetorical Criticism.** Theories and criteria of rhetorical criticism from Aristotle to the present. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5346 — (Theater) Dramatic Criticism.** Theories and criteria of dramatics from Classical Greek period to the present. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5350 — Individual Study.** Independent study of special problems in speech under faculty guidance. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5350 — (Theater) Individual Study.** Independent study of special problems in theater under faculty guidance. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5360 — Psychology of Deafness.** A lecture course dealing with psychological, personal, and social impact of deafness. Educational implications will be stressed. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5393 — Advanced Manual Communication.** Practical application of and improvement in sign language skills. Emphasis on interpreting for the hearing impaired. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A, 669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- 430G — Creative Communication (Theater)
- 430G — Problems and Projects in Speech (Speech)
- 431G — Problems and Projects in Theater (Theater)
- 431G — Laws and Ethics of Mass Media (Communication)
- 432G — History and Principles of American Journalism (Communication)
- 434G — Advanced Stagecraft (Theater)
- 434G — Persuasion (Speech)
- 435G — Speech, Hearing, and Voice Science (Speech)
- 436G — History of Theater (Theater)
- 437G — Italian Rhetoric (Speech)
- 437G — Directing Secondary School Theater Activities (Theater)
- 438G — Directing Secondary School Speech Activities (Speech)
- 438G — Broadcast News (Communication)
- 438G — History of Theater in Italy (Theater)
- 439G — Seminar in Fine Arts (Humanities)
- 439G — Rhetoric and Public Address (Speech)
- 4311G — Theory and Practice of Scenery and Lighting Design (Theater)
- 4312G — Costume Design and Construction (Theater)
- 4321G — Advanced Language for the Deaf (Speech)
- 4322G — Advanced Speech for the Deaf (Speech)
- 4324G — Hearing Evaluation Procedures (Speech)
- 4326G — Instructional Methods in Education of Deaf Children (Speech)
- 4329G — Hearing Aid Services (Speech)
- 4371G — Advanced Oral Interpretation (Speech)
- 4381G — Black Rhetoric (Speech)
- 4383G — Print Advertising (Communication)
- 4391G — Advanced Television Production (Communication)
- 4393G — Intermediate Manual Communication (Speech)



## Department of Music

The Master of Music and the Master of Music Education degrees are offered by the Department of Music. The master's program is designed to help performers and specialists in the several areas of the music program to develop skills and concepts which may be applied to their particular fields of endeavor. Persons seeking admission to these programs must meet the general requirements for admission that are outlined in this catalog. Generally, an applicant should hold a Bachelor of Music degree or its equivalent in music courses, this equivalency to be determined by the Department of Music.

### Degree Requirements

The candidate for the Master of Music degree must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in this catalog. The Master of Music in performance requires 30 semester hours of course work, of which six hours consist of a thesis, or a recital and a research paper. The Master of Music Education degree requires 36 hours of course work, which may include six hours of thesis work. All degree candidates must take MEd 532, Seminar in Special Problems. An oral examination is required for all students before completion of a degree.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

Professor Joseph B. Carlucci  
Single reed woodwinds  
Associate Professor Paul W. Holmes  
Theory and composition  
Professor Hubert B. Kaszynski  
Piano, organ  
Assistant Professor John R. LeBlanc  
Voice, choral  
Professor George L. Parks  
Voice, music education  
Associate Professor Joseph Truncale  
Voice, opera  
Professor Charles A. Wiley  
Double reed woodwinds

The graduate student will select **music** courses from the following list:

### Applied Music (AM)

**521, 522, 523, 524, 525 — Graduate Applied Music.** For music education majors only. Graduate applied music in any instrument category, including composition. No more than eight hours may be applied to the music education degree toward graduation. Class: 2 hours. Credit: 2 semester hours.

**541, 542, 543, 544, 545 — Graduate Applied Music.** Graduate applied music in any instrument category, including composition. No more than 12 hours may be applied to the Master of Music degree. Class: 4 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**Music Education (MEd)**

**520 — Piano Accompanying.** A study of the techniques of accompanying, with practical experience. Class: 2 hours. Credit: 2 semester hours.

**521 — Seminar in Music Education.** Research dealing with special problems related to field work for professional music teachers. Course may be repeated for credit. Class: 15 clock hours. Laboratory: 20 clock hours. Credit: 2 semester hours.

**530 — Advanced Instrumental Organization and Administration.** Organization and administration of public school bands and orchestras, with emphasis on rehearsal methods and techniques, library systems, program building, publicity procedures, contest preparation, techniques of class instruction and budget. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Advanced Choral Organization and Administration.** Philosophy, organization, and administration of vocal music programs at the public school level; emphasis similar to MEd 530. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Seminar in Special Problems.** Research problems of special interest to students whose major emphasis is in the graduate field of music. Research paper required. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Basic Concepts in Music Education.** The historical, philosophical and psychological bases of music education. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Supervision of Music.** Supervision of public school music programs, with emphasis on leadership, instruction, public relations and problems in scheduling and finance. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Advanced Materials and Methods in Elementary Music.** Study of current trends, methods and materials in teaching elementary school music, with emphasis on individual study and presentations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Advanced Choral Conducting.** Development of technical facility in conducting choral music, with emphasis on complex interpretive elements and problems of the choral conductor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Advanced Instrumental Conducting.** Advanced interpretive problems and rehearsal techniques related to the conducting of various types of band and orchestral music. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Advanced Instrumental Methods.** The principles and techniques of teaching instrumental music. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Advanced Vocal Methods.** The principles and techniques of teaching vocal music. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**Music Literature (MLt)**

**532 — Instrumental Literature.** Survey of music for large instrumental ensembles, chamber music and music for solo instruments. Emphasis on the concerto and symphony, the string quartet, and sonata literature, with special attention to the needs and interests of students enrolled. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Keyboard Literature.** Survey of keyboard literature from the pre-piano period to the present, including study of the piano sonata and other characteristic forms. Emphasis on performing, listening and analysis. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Choral Literature.** The literature, performance practices, and history of choral music, including a study of representative works from various countries. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Twentieth Century Harmony.** The analysis and writing of music based on twentieth century harmonic techniques and devices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Survey of the Baroque Era.** Comprehensive study of the period, beginning with the transition to Baroque, c. 1580, and ending c. 1750. Emphasis on advances in musical form, stylistic developments and performance practices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Survey of the Classic Era.** Comprehensive study of the period, beginning with the transition to classicism, c. 1730, and ending c. 1827. Emphasis on advances in the musical form, stylistic developments and performance practices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Survey of the Romantic Era.** Comprehensive study of the period, beginning with the transition to Romanticism, c. 1815, and ending c. 1910. Emphasis on advances in musical form, stylistic developments and performance practices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Twentieth Century Music.** A survey of major composers and schools of composition from Debussy to the present. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

### **Music Theory (MTy)**

**532 — Advanced Band Arranging.** Advanced techniques in arranging music for various types of bands, and study of models by masters of band arranging. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Advanced Counterpoint.** Application, through analysis and creative writing, of contrapuntal techniques in larger forms such as canon and fugue. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Advanced Orchestration.** Techniques of scoring for various types of orchestras, and study of models by masters of orchestration. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Twentieth Century Harmony.** The analysis and writing of music based on twentieth century harmonic techniques and devices. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Pedagogy of Theory.** The principles and techniques of teaching the various branches of music theory, including principles of learning, history of theory, critical study of appropriate texts and supervised teaching of music theory classes. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

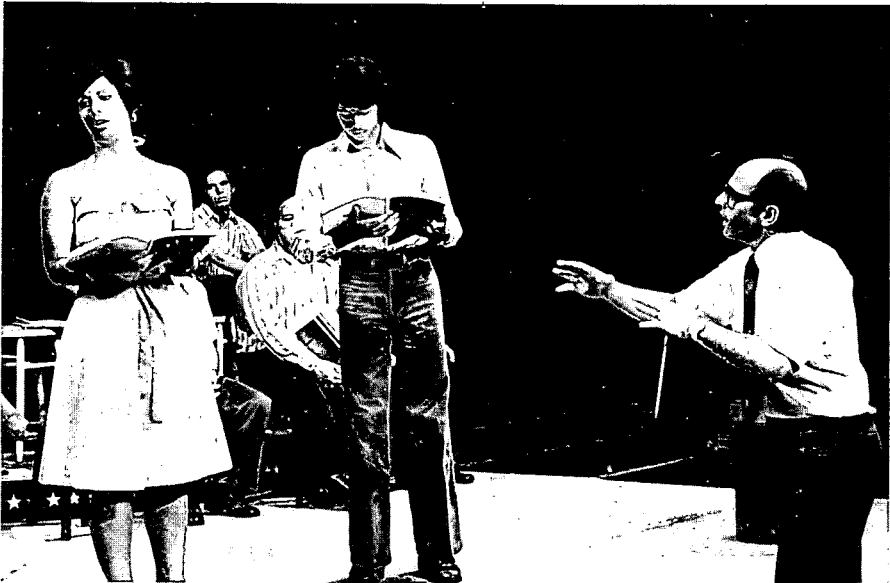
**537 — Analytical Techniques.** Traditional and contemporary approaches to the visual and aural analyses of music from all periods. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Advanced Choral Arranging.** Advanced techniques in arranging music for various vocal combinations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Jazz Arranging.** Techniques in arranging music for various jazz combinations. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

### **Music (Mus)**

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.





# College of Liberal Arts

The College of Liberal Arts offers programs of study leading to the Master of Arts degree in the fields of English, government, and history and to the Master of Public Administration degree.

Persons seeking admission to these programs must meet the requirements specified by the College of Graduate Studies and the individual department. Admission to a degree program is not an admission to candidacy.



## Department of English

### Degree Requirements

The degree of Master of Arts in English requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in English, six in thesis and six in an approved minor. With the approval of the Head of the Department of English, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis. At least 18 semester hours, including the thesis, must be in English courses numbered 500 or above. The minor must be approved by the Head of the Department of English, or with the department head's approval, six additional hours in English may be substituted for the minor.

### Professional Certification Requirements (Texas) in English

The plan for the Professional Certificate — Secondary requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in English, six in resource areas, and six in approved teacher education. At least 12 semester hours must be in English courses numbered 500 or above. The courses in the resource areas must be approved by the Head of the Department of English; such approval will be given on the basis of the support they can give to the major and on the specific needs of the graduate student. The six semester hours of teacher education must be taken in courses specifically approved for the Professional Certificate — Secondary.

Depending on the student's undergraduate course work, his/her graduate program in English will include Eng 4327G, 533 and 539, and one course from either 535, 536, 537, 538 or 5311.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

Professor Robert J. Barnes

British and Continental literature: 1840 to the present

Professor George W. de Schweinitz

Modern American literature, creative writing

Professor Winfred S. Emmons, Jr.

Middle English language and literature, American literature

Professor Harry L. Frissell

Seventeenth century British literature

Professor Marilyn D. Georgas

Renaissance and Victorian literature

Associate Professor Olga D. Harvill

British Romantic literature

Associate Professor Kirkland C. Jones

Medieval and Renaissance literature

Professor Elizabeth M. Meeks

American literature and English education

Professor Robert C. Olson

Eighteenth century British literature

Associate Professor Jack N. Renfrow

Renaissance literature: dramatic

Professor Henry B. Rule

American literature: 1840 to the present

Associate Professor Arney L. Strickland

Linguistics and English education

Professor Robert Blaine Thomas

Seventeenth and eighteenth century British literature, short story

Professor Alvice W. Yeats

British literature: 1840 to present

The graduate student will select **English** courses from the following list:

**533 — Special Topics in Old and Middle English Language and Literature.** Intensive study of the language necessary for reading literature of the period focused on. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing and Eng 430G or 431G. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Special Topics in Renaissance and Seventeenth Century English Literature.** An intensive study of an author or related authors selected from the period. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Special Topics in Restoration and Eighteenth Century English Literature.** An intensive study of an author or related authors selected from the period. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Special Topics in Nineteenth Century English Literature.** An intensive study of an author or related authors selected from the period. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**538 — Special Topics in Twentieth Century Literature.** An intensive study of an author or related authors selected from the period. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Special Topics in American Literature.** An intensive study of an author or related authors selected from the period. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Special Topics in Comparative Literature.** Intensive study of an author or authors, genre, or period selected from the range of world literature. Emphasis on analysis and literary method. Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**699A-699B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

430G — History of the English Language

432G — Studies in Sixteenth Century Literature

434G — Shakespeare

435G — Studies in Seventeenth Century Literature

438G — Studies in Eighteenth Century Literature

439G — Studies in Romantic Literature

4311G — Studies in Victorian Literature

4317G — Contemporary Drama



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- 4318G — Contemporary Poetry
- 4319G — Contemporary Fiction
- 4322G — Russian Literature
- 4325G — Language: Sound and Meaning
- 4326G — Expository Writing
- 4327G — Bibliography and Methods of Research
- 4328G — Early American Literature
- 4329G — Modern American Literature
- 4333G — Studies in a Particular Author
- 4334G — Critical Studies in Literature



## Department of Government

The Department of Government offers programs of study leading to the Master of Arts in Government degree and the Master of Public Administration degree. Persons seeking admission to either program must meet the general requirements for admission that are outlined in the Graduate catalog. An applicant must have completed a bachelor's degree in government or political science, or if the degree is in another area, a minimum of 24 semester hours of undergraduate courses in government. Twelve of the 24 hours must be on the junior and senior level.

### Degree Requirements

The degree of Master of Arts in Government requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in government, six in thesis, and six in an approved minor. With the approval of the Head of the Department of Government, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis. At least 18 semester hours, including the thesis, must be in government courses numbered 500 or above. The minor must be approved by the Head of the Department of Government or with the department head's approval six additional hours in government may be substituted for the minor.

The student's graduate program must include Government 530.

The degree of Master of Public Administration requires the completion of 36 semester hours of graduate work: 21 in the core curriculum and 15 from the approved list of courses. The applicant must have completed the following undergraduate courses or their equivalents: urban politics, three semester hours; introduction to public administration, three semester hours; statistics for social scientists, three semester hours. A foreign language is not required.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

Assistant Professor Elbert T. Dubose, Jr.

Public administration

Associate Professor William M. Pearson

Public administration

Associate Professor Bruce Drury

Latin American government and the developing areas

Associate Professor Boyd Lanier

International relations

Professor Manfred Stevens

Comparative government, Europe

Professor William R. Tucker

Political thought

Associate Professor Glenn Utter

Theory and methodology

The graduate student in the MA program will select **government** courses from the following list:

**530 — Scope and Methods of Political Science.** The study in depth of selected topics concerning the theoretical foundations underlying a scientific approach to the study of

political phenomena and analytical techniques to be applied to a study of political behavior. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Seminar in Political Theory.** Selected issues in political thought with emphasis on the classical thinkers and their relationship to contemporary political, economic and social problems. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Directed Study.** Graduate students may study individually with an instructor in an area of mutual interest to the student and the instructor. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Seminar in American Government and Politics.** A survey of the literature in the field of American government and politics. Classical and contemporary works are examined, with emphasis on the modern approaches to the study of American government and politics. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Seminar in Administrative Theory.** An examination of major theories dealing with organizations and their characteristics, scope, and effect on public administration and executive behavior. Emphasis will be placed on the relationships between theories and supporting empirical research. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Seminar in International Relations.** The study in depth of selected problems in international relations both historical and current. Problems of a theoretical, legal and institutional nature as well as specific policies will be dealt with. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Seminar in Comparative Study of Political Systems.** Study of the theory and method of comparative political analysis; systematic examination and explanation of the structure and function of Western and non-Western political systems. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- 430G — Organization Theory and Behavior
- 433G — Contemporary Political Thought
- 434G — Formulation of Public Policy
- 435G — The International System
- 436G — American Constitutional Law and Development
- 437G — American Constitutional Law and Development
- 439G — Special Topics in Public Administration
- 4310G — Directed Study
- 4312G — American State Government
- 4381G — Government and Politics of the Soviet Union
- 4382G — Government and Politics of East Asia
- 4383G — Government and Politics of Latin America

The graduate student in the MPA program is required to complete the following core curriculum of 21 hours:

**535 — Seminar in Administrative Theory.** An examination of major theories dealing with organizations and their characteristics, scope, and effect on public administration and executive behavior. Emphasis will be placed on the relationships between theories and supporting empirical research. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5351 — Seminar in Personnel Administration.** Personnel theory and practice in the public setting. The basic methods and functions of personnel administration in the context of public organizations; employee motivation, employee relations and collective bargaining will be emphasized. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5352 — Seminar in Fiscal Administration.** The study of formulation and administration of government budgeting, including the role of the budget in the policy process, approaches to budget formulation and analysis, the development of the PPB approach, and other basic concepts and practices in government budget and finance administration. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5353 — Seminar in Public Policy Formulation.** The process of policy-making within governmental agencies and within the total political process. Emphasis will be placed on decision-making, public policy analysis, and policy implementation. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5354 — Seminar in Special Studies in Public Administration.** Analysis of selected problems in public administration; urban and regional planning and management, administrative reorganization, the environment, and related problems. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5358 — Internship.** Practical administrative experience in a local, state, regional, or federal office or agency that is the equivalent of one-half time for one semester (full-time in a summer semester). Examinations and reports on practices and problems in agencies are required. This course may be waived for students already employed in an administrative capacity in a governmental agency if they select three additional hours from the approved program courses. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5359 — Internship.** Practical administrative experience in a local, state, regional, or federal office or agency that is the equivalent of one-half time for one semester (full-time in a summer semester). Examinations and reports on practices and problems in agencies are required. This course may be waived for students already employed in an administrative capacity in a governmental agency if they elect three additional hours from the approved program courses. Prerequisite: Gov 5358 and graduate standing. Class: Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

The graduate student in the MPA program will select an additional 15 hours to the 21 hour core requirement with the approval of the graduate advisor.

## Department of History

### Degree Requirements

The degree of Master of Arts in History requires the completion of 30 semester hours of graduate work: 18 in history, six in thesis, and six in an approved minor. At least 12 semester hours, exclusive of thesis, must be in history courses numbered 500 or above, and six of these must be in seminar courses. With the approval of the Head of the Department of History, 12 semester hours of course work may be substituted for the thesis. In this latter program, at least 21 semester hours of course work must be in courses numbered 500 or above, and nine of these must be in seminar courses. The minor must be approved by the Head of the Department of History; such approval will be given on the basis of the support the minor can give to the major. With the approval of the Head of the Department of History, six additional hours in history may be substituted for the minor.

### GRADUATE FACULTY

#### Members

- Associate Professor Adrian N. Anderson  
United States history, revolution, early national
- Associate Professor Howell Holmes Gwin, Jr.  
European history, classical and medieval
- Professor Paul E. Isaac  
United States history, recent, the West
- Professor William W. MacDonald  
Modern European history, Great Britain
- Professor Howard Mackey  
Modern European history, Great Britain
- Professor L. Wesley Norton  
United States history, social and intellectual
- Professor R. Beeler Satterfield  
United States history, middle period
- Associate Professor John W. Storey  
United States history, urban, social and intellectual
- Associate Professor Walter A. Sutton  
United States history, diplomatic
- Professor Preston B. Williams  
Modern European history, Central and Western Europe
- Professor Ralph A. Wooster  
United States history, Civil War, the South

The graduate student will select **history** courses from the following list:

- 530 — Classical and European Historiography.** Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.
- 531 — American Historiography.** Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.
- 532 — Readings in American History.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Readings in European History Before 1815.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Readings in European History Since 1815.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Seminar in Texas History.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**536 — Seminar in Southern History.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Seminar in United States History.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539 — Seminar in the American West.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Seminar in European History.** Course may be repeated for a maximum of six semester hours credit when the topic varies. Prerequisite: graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5312 — Directed Readings in History.** Directed readings arranged with instructor in area of mutual interest. Will not apply to 500 level course requirement in program. Class: Arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

430G — Era of the Renaissance and Reformation

431G — The Old Regime

432G — The French Revolution and Napoleon

433G — Russia and Eastern Europe to 1860

434G — Nineteenth Century Europe

435G — Twentieth Century Europe

436G — The American West

437G — The Old South

438G — The New South

4311G — Colonial America

4312G — The American Revolution

4313G — The Age of Jackson

4314G — The American Civil War

4315G — Reconstruction and Industrialization: The United States from 1865 to 1898

4316G — World Power and Reform: The United States from 1898 to 1920

4317G — New Deal and World Leadership: The United States from 1920 to 1940

4318G — Classical Civilization

4319G — Medieval Civilization

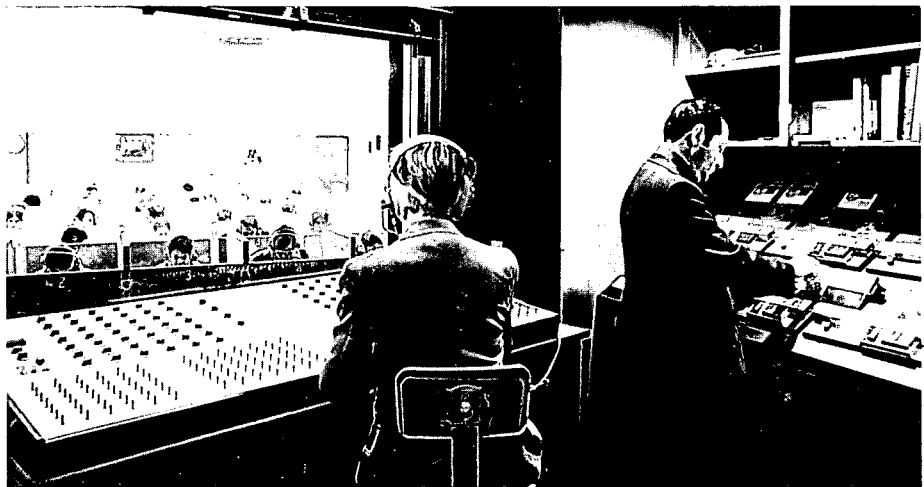
4321G — The Far East to 1800

4322G — The Far East Since 1800

4323G — Latin America to 1810

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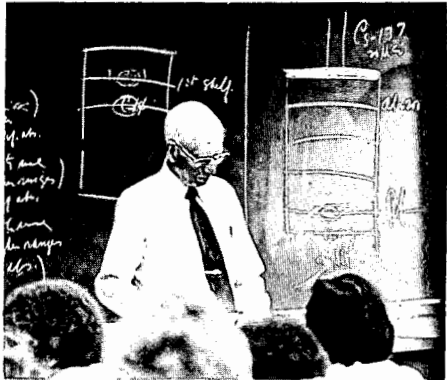
- 4324G — Latin America Since 1810
- 4325G — Tudor and Stuart England
- 4326G — Eighteenth Century England
- 4327G — Victorian England
- 4328G — Contemporary America: The United States Since 1940
- 4329G — Modern European Intellectual History
- 4331G — Russia Since 1860
- 4332G — Afro-American History to 1865
- 4333G — Afro-American History Since 1865
- 4334G — Early National Period
- 4335G — Topics in History
- 4336G — Ancient Near East



# College of Sciences

The College of Sciences offers programs of study leading to the Master of Science degree in the fields of biology, chemistry and psychology. In addition, graduate study is available in geology and physics as areas of support or specialization in other advanced degree programs.

Persons seeking admission to these programs must meet the requirements specified by the College of Graduate Studies and the individual department. Admission to a degree program is not an admission to candidacy.





## Department of Biology

The Department of Biology offers a program of study leading to the Master of Science in Biology degree. It is designed to enhance the professional competence of graduates in biology or closely related disciplines who are presently engaged in or planning to enter secondary school or college teaching, or who expect to be employed by private or governmental agencies in biologically oriented fields. Applicants must have completed a minimum of 24 semester hours in the biological sciences and a minimum of one semester of organic chemistry, and remove any deficiencies as provided in the section on Admission and score a total of 950 on the Graduate Record Examination

### Degree Requirements

The candidate for the M.S. in Biology degree must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general requirements as listed in this catalog. Additional specific requirements are:

1. Thirty-three hours of graduate credit which may include a maximum of 16 semester hours in approved 400G level courses with augmented requirements. All course work will be in biology. Exceptions must be approved by major advisor and head of department.
2. Submit a written proposal for the thesis. After the thesis proposal is written, but before actual research is begun, take an oral examination before the biology graduate faculty over general biological concepts and on the experimental design of the proposed thesis and related disciplines. Weaknesses shown by this examination will result in recommended remedial formal course work or informal study, and a second exam will be held over these areas. Failure in the second exam results in rejection. The preliminary examination must be completed within the first two years of graduate study.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

Professor Richard C. Harrel

Limnology, environmental science

Professor Russell J. Long

Mammalogy, histology, embryology

Assistant Professor Phillip Malnassy

Botany, plant physiology

Associate Professor J. Leon McGraw, Jr.

Ichthyology, cellular biology, invertebrate zoology

Professor Jed J. Ramsey

Ornithology, comparative physiology

Associate Professor Philip B. Robertson

Marine biology

Assistant Professor William C. Runnels

Botany, algology

Professor W. Russell Smith

Microbiology

Associate Professor Charles P. Turco

Parasitology, invertebrate zoology

Professor Henry T. Waddell

Mycology, genetics

Professor Michael E. Warren

Entomology, biochemical systematics

**Biology** courses may be selected from the following list:

**510 — Materials and Techniques of Research.** Survey of laboratory and library research techniques, instrumentation and materials requisite to scientific investigation. Required of all entering graduate students. Class: 1 hour. Credit: 1 semester hour.

**511 — Graduate Seminar.** Current topics in biological research. May be repeated for credit. Class: 1 hour. Credit: 1 semester hour.

**531 — Seminar in Biological Sciences.** A resource area course for those seeking the M.Ed. degree and teaching at the elementary and junior high level. Topics include modern biological concepts and demonstrations of how these concepts may be applied to varied grade levels. Emphasis is placed on practical application in the classroom. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**540 — Ornithology.** Natural history, taxonomy and ecology of birds. Prerequisite: Bio 440. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**542 — Mycology.** Isolation, cultivation and identification of fungi with special emphasis on those of economic importance. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**543 — Ichthyology.** Natural history, taxonomy and ecology of freshwater and marine fishes. Required field trip. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**544 — Herpetology.** Natural history, taxonomy and ecology of amphibians and reptiles. Required field trip. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**545 — Mammalogy.** Natural history, taxonomy and ecology of mammals. Required field trip. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**546 — Marine Invertebrate Zoology.** Field study and identification of area species; current research. Required field trips. Recommended prerequisites: Bio 346 or 445. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**547 — Ecology of Polluted Waters.** Analyses of effects of water pollutants on aquatic ecosystems. Prerequisite: Bio 443. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**548 — Helminthology.** Biology of free-living and parasitic worms. Prerequisite: Bio 346 or 441. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**549 — Comparative Physiology.** Fundamental physiological processes in animals from the phylogenetic viewpoint. Prerequisite: Bio 344, Chm 342. Class: 3 hours. Laboratory: 3 hours. Credit: 4 semester hours.

**560 — Field Biology.** Basic environmental relationships and natural history of plants, invertebrate and vertebrate animals. Laboratory includes extensive field trips for the study and collection of organisms in their natural habitat. Prerequisite: Bio 345, 20 hours credit in Biology and consent of instructor. Offered summers only. Credit: 6 semester hours.

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5401 — Special Topics.** Research in areas other than thesis. Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. May be repeated when topic changes. Time arranged. Credit: 1-4 semester hours.

**5333, 5666 — Institute in Biological Sciences.** Designed to provide credit for participation in summer or in-service institutes. Credit varies with duration. May be repeated for credit when nature of institute differs from those taken previously. Class: 3 or 6 hours. Credit: 3 or 6 semester hours.

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**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

From the list below a maximum of 16 semester hours of 400G level courses with augmented requirements may be taken for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor and department head. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- 440G — Ornithology
- 441G — Parasitology
- 442G — Entomology
- 443G — Limnology
- 444G — Vertebrate Natural History
- 445G — Marine Biology
- 446G — Ecology
- 447G — Cellular Biology
- 449G — Protistology
- 460G — Field Biology
- 4101G-4401G — Special Topics in Biology
- 4302G — Cellular Physiology
- 4402G — Taxonomy of Vascular Plants
- 4403G — Electron Microscopy



## Department of Chemistry

The Department of Chemistry offers a program of study leading to the Master of Science degree in Chemistry. Those seeking admission to this program must meet the general requirements as set forth in this catalog for admission to the College of Graduate Studies. In addition, the applicant must offer the substantial equivalent of the courses in general chemistry, inorganic chemistry, analytical chemistry, organic chemistry and physical chemistry required of undergraduate students in the chemistry curriculum. The applicant also must have completed one year of college physics and mathematics through integral calculus.

Students working toward the graduate degree in chemistry will take a set of four proficiency examinations, one in each of the fields of chemistry; analytical, inorganic, organic and physical. These examinations are taken on entrance and are offered in the fall and again during the beginning of the spring semester. The results of these examinations are used for orientation and guidance.

### Degree Requirements

The candidate for the M.S. degree in Chemistry must meet all the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in this catalog. Additional specific degree requirements are as follows:

1. Fifteen to 18 semester hours of course work in Chemistry which must include Chm 531, 533, 535, 537 and at least one 500 level Selected Topics course in Chemistry with a grade point average of 3.0 (B) in these courses.
2. Presentation of a thesis.
3. Six to nine additional semester hours of 400G or 500 level courses in an approved field of study.
4. A reading knowledge of a modern foreign language (German, French or Russian recommended) or Fortran Computer Science 439.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

Professor Harold T. Baker

Physical chemistry

Professor Margaret D. Cameron

Organic chemistry

Associate Professor Kenneth L. Dorris

Physical chemistry

Professor Ewin A. Eads

Inorganic chemistry

Associate Professor Keith C. Hansen

Organic chemistry

Associate Professor J. Dale Ortego

Inorganic chemistry

Associate Professor John A. Whittle

Organic chemistry, biochemistry

Professor Roger E. Yerick

Analytical chemistry

The graduate student will select **chemistry** courses from the following list:

**531 — Advanced Analytical.** Prerequisites: Graduate standing or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Advanced Inorganic.** Prerequisite: Graduate standing or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Advanced Organic.** Prerequisite: Graduate standing or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**537 — Advanced Physical.** Prerequisite: Graduate standing or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**539, 569 — Graduate Problems in Chemistry.** May be repeated for credit. Techniques of research under close supervision of instructor; individual consultations; reports. May not be substituted for required courses. Prerequisite: Graduate standing and consent of instructor and department head. Time arranged. Credit: 3 or 6 semester hours.

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5401, 5501, 5601 — Special Topics.** The course is designed to meet special needs of students. Each topic is offered on an irregular schedule as the demand requires. Prerequisite: departmental approval. Class: 1-6 hours and/or laboratory 0-6 hours. Credit: 1-6 semester hours.

**5311 — Selected Topics in Analytical Chemistry.** May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Description of course content will appear in schedule of classes. Prerequisite: Chm 531 or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5331 — Selected Topics in Inorganic Chemistry.** May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Description of course content will appear in schedule of classes. Prerequisite: Chm 533 or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5351 — Selected Topics in Organic Chemistry.** May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Description of course content will appear in schedule of classes. Prerequisite: Chm 535 or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5352 — Modern Synthetic Organic.** Selected topics in modern synthetic organic chemistry. Prerequisite: Graduate standing. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5371 — Selected Topics in Physical Chemistry.** May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Description of course content will appear in schedule of classes. Prerequisite: Chm 537 or consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A, 669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

411G — Chemical Literature

412G — Senior Seminar

430G — Organic Polymers

433G — Modern Physical

436G — Inorganic

441G — Biochemistry I

442G — Biochemistry II

444G — Qualitative Organic Analysis

446G — Instrumental Methods of Analysis

## Department of Geology

The Department of Geology offers the following graduate courses to be used primarily as a support to other advanced degree programs.

### GRADUATE FACULTY

#### Members

- Professor H. E. Eveland  
 Geomorphology, glacial geology  
 Professor William H. Matthews, III  
 Paleontology, stratigraphy  
 Associate Professor William R. Pampe  
 Paleontology, meteorology, stratigraphy  
 Professor Anthony C. Tennissen  
 Mineralogy, economic geology

**530 — Survey of Earth Science.** A survey of earth materials and processes, earth history, astronomy, and meteorology. Identification of mineral, rock and fossil specimens, and cloud formations. Demonstrations of topographic, geologic, and weather maps. Field trip required. Prerequisite: graduate standing, 16 semester hours of laboratory science, including 8 hours geology. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Teaching Earth Science in the Secondary School.** Content, methods, and materials for teaching Earth Science in the secondary school. Field trip required. Prerequisite: Geo 530 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Environmental Geology.** The geological aspects of the environment. The environmental significance of man's use of natural resources. Field and laboratory studies of the local environment. Field trip required. Term paper based on laboratory, library, or field studies. Prerequisite: Geo. 530 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Fossils and Earth History.** The evolution and history of life as recorded by fossils. Laboratory identification of common fossils. Demonstration of "hands-on" approach to the use of materials that illustrate the fossil record. Field trip required. Term paper based on laboratory, library, or field studies. Prerequisite: Geo. 530 or equivalent. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5601 — Institute in Earth Science.** Summer, in-service or other institute for earth science teachers patterned after the inquiry-oriented Earth Science Curriculum Project approach to earth science. The course includes laboratory and field investigations in astro-space science, geology, meteorology, and oceanography and "hands-on" experience with rocks, minerals, fossils, maps, and other earth science materials and techniques. Field trips required. Class: 6 hours. Laboratory: 9 hours. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- 4370G — Meteorology  
 4380G — Oceanography

## Department of Physics

The Department of Physics offers the following graduate courses to provide an area of specialization for the Master of Education degree in Secondary Education and as support to other advanced degree programs. For the M.S. degree in Mathematics, a nine semester-hour minor in Physics is accepted; in addition, the subject of the thesis may be a mathematical problem from physics.

### GRADUATE FACULTY

#### Members

Associate Professor Hugh O. Peebles, Jr.  
Astrophysics  
Professor Joseph F. Pizzo, Jr.  
Theoretical physics, relativity  
Professor Carl J. Rigney  
Thermal physics

**5101, 5201, 5301, 5401, 5501, and 5601 — Institute in Physics.** Designed to provide credit for participation in summer, in-service or other institutes. Credit varies with duration. The description of the area of study of each institute will appear on the printed schedule. May be repeated for credit when nature of institute differs sufficiently from those taken previously. Class: 1-6 hours. Laboratory: 2-4 hours. Credit: 1-6 semester hours.

**530 — Seminar in Physical Science.** Designed for non-science majors. Measurement, light, the solar system and stars, force and motion, work and energy, heat, weather, lightning, electric charge and current, magnetism, batteries, atoms, and molecules. Credit in this course may not be applied toward a degree in science, engineering, or mathematics. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Theoretical Physics.** The application of typical mathematical techniques, with emphasis on field and potential concepts. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Relativity.** Brief introduction to the special and general theory followed by detailed study of a particular topic. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Seminar.** Selected topics pertaining to the research reported in contemporary publications. Course may be repeated for credit when the topic varies, but only six semester hours credit in this seminar may be applied toward a degree. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

Below is the approved list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

- 431G — Classical Mechanics
- 432G — Introductory Quantum Mechanics
- 433G — Solid State Physics
- 436G — Nuclear Physics
- 437G — Astrophysics
- 448G — Optics

## Department of Psychology

The Department of Psychology offers a program of study leading to the Master of Science degree in Psychology. It is designed to prepare professional personnel for employment in industry or in the area of community mental health. Those seeking admission to this program must meet the general requirements as set forth in the catalog for admission to the College of Graduate Studies. Special attention is called to the requirement that GRE scores must be on record in the graduate dean's office and that provisional students will not receive credit for more than 12 semester hours. In addition, the applicant must offer the substantial equivalent of the courses in statistics and experimental psychology required of undergraduate students in the psychology curriculum.

### Degree Requirements

The candidate for the Master of Science degree in Psychology must meet all of the College of Graduate Studies general degree requirements as listed in the catalog. Additional specific degree requirements are as follows:

1. Twenty-one semester hours of course work in psychology which must include nine semester hours in Psychology 530, 531 and 532. For the Community Psychology Program, an additional 12 semester hours in Psychology 5310, 5311, 5312 and 5313 is required. For the Industrial Psychology Program, an additional 12 semester hours in Psychology 5320, 5321, 5322 and 5323 is required.
2. Satisfactorily pass candidacy examinations as devised by the Psychology Department Graduate Faculty. A student may request and be administered both the written and oral examinations upon completion of a minimum of 15 semester hours of graduate credit in psychology with a grade point average of 3.0 (B) and consent of the Program Coordinator. A student must have satisfactorily passed candidacy examinations prior to enrolling in Psychology 5330.
3. Nine additional semester hours of 400G and/or 500 level courses in an approved field of study.
4. Six semester hours of Psychology 5330 and 5331 or six additional hours in 400G and/or 500 level courses if this requirement is waived.
5. Thesis Option: Submission of an acceptable thesis and satisfactory performance on a final written comprehensive and/or oral examination.  
 Nonthesis Option: The nonthesis option applies only to the Community Psychology Program. With the approval of the Head of the Department of Psychology, Psy 5332, Practicum III, and Psy 631, Field Study, may be substituted for the thesis. Satisfactory performance on a final written comprehensive and/or oral examination is required.

### Departmental Policies

Special attention is called to the following departmental policies:

1. Graduate students are prohibited from providing psychological services except when supervised by a faculty member as part of a course requirement or when regularly employed by an exempt agency as defined by the Psychologists' Certification and Licensing Act.
2. More than six hours of "C" level work will result in the student's dismissal from the program.



3. Students may not enroll in a course more than twice.

## GRADUATE FACULTY

### Members

- Professor Billy Ray Barrington  
Individual and group psychotherapy, diagnostics
- Professor Myrtle Lee Bell  
Developmental psychology, child psychology, group dynamics
- Assistant Professor James K. Esser  
Social, organizational behavior, group dynamics
- Associate Professor Otto R. Flocke  
Individual and group psychotherapy, diagnostics, child psychology
- Professor James R. Hawker  
Program Coordinator, Industrial Psychology  
Industrial-organizational psychology, communications,  
human learning, research methodology
- Assistant Professor Richard G. Marriott  
Physiological, learning, psychopharmacology
- Assistant Professor James E. Schroeder  
Animal learning, motivation, cognitive processes
- Assistant Professor James L. Walker, Jr.  
Psychological measurement, statistics, instrumentation and methodology
- Assistant Professor Mary C. Welsh  
Program Coordinator, Community Psychology  
Diagnostics, individual and group psychotherapy,  
women's studies

The graduate student will select **psychology** courses from the following list:

**530 — Advanced General Psychology I.** A comprehensive overview of the history of psychology, systems of psychological thought, and the areas of physiological psychology, sensation and perception, learning and cognition. Emphasis will be placed on both background material and current research. May be taken out of sequence. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**531 — Advanced General Psychology II.** A comprehensive overview of the following areas of psychology: personality, motivation, developmental, social and abnormal. Emphasis will be placed on both background material and current research. May be taken out of sequence. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**532 — Experimental Design.** A study of the research procedures and techniques commonly used by the applied and theoretical psychologist in the design, execution, control and evaluation of experiments. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**533 — Individual Study.** Independent study of special problems in industry or in the community. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**534 — Special Topics in Psychology.** Topics in developmental, physiological, social, differential, experimental, quantitative, cognitive or clinical psychology. Includes library and/or laboratory work and conferences with a staff member. A description of the particular area of study will be indicated. A student may repeat the course for credit when

the area of study varies. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**535 — Seminar in Psychology.** An intensive study of selected areas of psychological thought and/or research. Emphasis will be on locating and evaluating literature in a selected area of psychology. Description of course content will appear in the schedule of classes. May be repeated for credit when topic varies. Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5310 — Introduction to Psychological Assessment.** An introduction to psychological evaluation techniques including test construction, statistics, and administration and scoring techniques for selected objective and projective tests. Prerequisite: Acceptance to psychology graduate program. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5311 — Community Psychology: Introduction to Psychotherapy.** Psychotherapy skills are introduced through didactic, demonstration and experiential learning situations. Students will study their own behavior by participating as a member of a group. Emphasis is placed upon each student developing greater self awareness while being exposed to psychotherapeutic techniques by the instructor. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5312 — Advanced Psychological Assessment.** A study of evaluative procedures stressing test interpretation and report writing with field experience included. Prerequisite: Psy 5310. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5313 — Community Psychology: Advanced Psychotherapy.** The emphasis shifts toward the student taking on greater responsibility as a therapist. Each student will assume a client case load to practice psychotherapy techniques under the supervision of a faculty member. In addition, students will alternate between being a member of a group and being a group facilitator. Prerequisite: Psy 5311. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5320 — Theory and Techniques of Psychological Measurement.** Theory of measurement of human behavior; survey of representative tests of intelligence, aptitudes, interests, personality, etc. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5321 — Advanced Industrial Psychology I.** A critical examination of the social and organizational factors in the work situation. Primary emphasis on human relations, leadership, and organizational influences on behavior. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5322 — Advanced Industrial Psychology II.** Psychological principles and techniques applied to job analysis, selection and placement of workers, training, and organizational efficiency. Prerequisite: Psy 5320. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5323 — Advanced Experimental Psychology.** Theory and application of experimental design in psychological research. Students will have an opportunity to design and conduct an original research study. Prerequisite: Psy 532. Class: 3 hours. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5330 — Practicum I.** Supervised training and experience in a local, state, or regional agency, institution, or employment setting. The specific nature of the practicum depends on the professional background and goals of the candidate and will be determined by the candidate, his faculty advisor, and a member of the cooperating agency. This course may be waived by the Graduate Faculty of the Psychology Department for students already employed in a professional capacity if they elect three additional hours from the approved program courses. Prerequisite: Admission to candidacy. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5331 — Practicum II.** Supervised work in an area of particular interest to the student. The practicum includes both a close relationship with a faculty member and a member of the cooperating agency. This course may be waived by the Graduate Faculty of the Psychology Department for students already employed in a professional capacity if they

elect three additional hours from the approved program courses. Prerequisite: Psy 5330. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**5332 — Practicum III.** Supervised internship in the area of particular interest to the student upon approval of the graduate coordinator. The practicum includes teaching and training other graduate students who are in the process of developing community mental health intervention skills and diagnostic abilities. Prerequisite: Psy 5331, selection of nonthesis option, and consent of instructor. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**631 — Field Study.** Design, conduct and report a project utilizing appropriate methods of research. Prerequisite: Must have completed or be enrolled in Psy 5332, selection of nonthesis option and consent of instructor. Time arranged. Credit: 3 semester hours.

**669A-669B — Thesis.** Prerequisite: Approval of graduate advisor. Credit: 6 semester hours.

Below is the list of 400G level courses which may be taken with augmented requirements for graduate credit, subject to approval by the graduate advisor. Course descriptions may be found in the Bulletin of Lamar University.

431G — Sensation and Perception

433G — Differential Psychology

434G — An Introduction to Group Psychotherapy

435G — Leadership and Group Dynamics

436G — Learning

437G — Quantitative Psychology

438G — Physiological Psychology

439G — Contemporary Problems in Psychology



## How to Enter the College of Graduate Studies at Lamar

1. Complete two application blanks and mail to the Dean of Admissions and Records.
2. Ask the Registrar of each college that you attended to send two transcripts to the Dean of Admissions and Records.
3. Have Graduate Record Examination scores (or GMAT scores) sent to the Dean of Admissions and Records.
4. If University housing is desired, send request to Student Housing Office.
5. Submit health data form which will be provided by the University.



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