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Institution Evangel University

Site Information

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Added Site(s):

Selected Site(s):

Evangel University, 1111 N. Glenstone, Springfield, MO, 65802

CIP Information

CIP Code:

520213

CIP Description:

A program that focuses on leadership skills that can be applied to a business, government, non-profit, or educational setting. Includes instruction in organizational planning, dynamics of leadership, finance, team building, conflict resolution and mediation, communication and other management skills.

CIP Program Title:

Organizational Leadership

Institution Program Title:

Doctor of Strategic Leadership

Degree Level/Type

Degree Level:

Doctoral Degree (Professional Practice)

Degree Type:

Doctor of Strategic Leadership

Options Added:

Collaborative Program:

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Mode of Delivery

Current Mode of Delivery

Online

Student Preparation

Special Admissions Procedure or Student Qualifications required:

None that exceed regular university admissions and standards for a doctoral program.



Specific Population Characteristics to be served:

For organizational leaders with a master's degree who wish to pursue knowledge about leading their organization with intentional strategy.

Faculty Characteristics

Special Requirements for Assignment of Teaching for this Degree/Certificate:

Faculty are required to have a doctoral degree in order to teach courses in this degree program as well as practical experience in the fields they are teaching.

Estimate Percentage of Credit Hours that will be assigned to full time faculty:

25% credit hours in this degree program will be taught by full-time faculty.

Expectations for professional activities, special student contact, teaching/learning innovation: N/A

Student Enrollment Projections Year One-Five

Year 1	Full Time: 2	Part Time: 8	
Year 2	Full Time: 2	Part Time: 10	
Year 3	Full Time: 2	Part Time: 12	Number of Graduates: 8
Year 4	Full Time: 2	Part Time: 13	
Year 5	Full Time: 2	Part Time: 13	Number of Graduates: 15

Percentage Statement:

n/a

Program Accreditation

Institutional Plans for Accreditation:

This program is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission.

Program Structure

Total Credits:

52

Residency Requirements:

n/a

General Education Total Credits:

31

Major Requirements Total Credits:

52

Course(s) Added

COURSE NUMBER	CREDITS	COURSE TITLE
DSL 820	4	Applied Project
DSL 823	1	Applied Project
DSL 790	3	Special Topics
DSL 822	3	Applied Project

SLF 830	3	Consulting Principles
DSL 710	3	Institutional Leadership and Governance
DSL740	3	Technology in Organizations
DSL 760	3	Strategic Foresight
SLF 800	3	Strategy for Human Resource Development
DSL 750	3	Marketing that Informs the Strategic Plan
SLF 860	3	Assessing the Strategic Plan: Data Analysis
SLF 810	3	Global and Cross-Cultural Leadership
DSL 821	3	Applied Project
SLF 820	3	Innovation and the Creative Future
DSL 700	3	Leadership Theory and Practice
SFL 850	3	Developing a Resilient Organization
SFL 840	3	Anticipating Change
DSL 730	3	Institutional Research and Statistics
DSL 720	3	Budgets, Finance, & Resource Allocation in Organizations

Free Elective Credits:

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Internship or other Capstone Experience:

Four applied project courses are required, representing one large project/capstone experience to be completed for this degree program for a total of 11 credits.

Assurances

I certify that the program will not unnecessarily duplicate an existing program of another Missouri institution in accordance with 6 CSR 10-4.010, subsection (9)(C) Submission of Academic Information, Data and New Programs.

I certify that the program will build upon existing programs and faculty expertise.

I certify that the institution has conducted research on the feasibility of the proposal and it is likely the program will be successful. Institutions' decision to implement a program shall be based upon demand and/or need for the program in terms of meeting present and future needs of the locale, state, and nation based upon societal needs, and/or student needs.

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DOCTOR OF STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP DEGREE PROGRAM

EVANGEL UNIVERSITY

CORE PROGRAM COURSES:

DSL 700 LEADERSHIP THEORY AND PRACTICE (3 CREDITS)

DSL 710 INSTITUTIONAL LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNANCE (3 CREDITS)

DSL 720 BUDGETS, FINANCE & RESOURCE ALLOCATION IN ORGANIZATIONS (3 CREDITS)—to be cross-listed with EdD current course.

DSL 730 INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH & STATISTICS (3 CREDITS)

DSL 740 TECHNOLOGY IN ORGANIZATIONS (3 CREDITS)

DSL 750 MARKETING THAT INFORMS THE STRATEGIC PLAN (3 CREDITS)

DSL 760 STRATEGIC FORESIGHT (3 CREDITS)

DSL 790 SPECIAL TOPICS (AVAILABLE IN PLACE OF ANY PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED CORE COURSES) (3 CREDITS)

CAPSTONE PROJECT COURSES:

DSL 820 APPLIED PROJECT (4 CREDITS)

DSL 821 APPLIED PROJECT (3 CREDITS)

DSL 822 APPLIED PROJECT (3 CREDITS)

DSL 823 APPLIED PROJECT (1 CREDIT) (CONTINUATION AS NEEDED)

TOTAL CREDITS: 31

A concentration is required in addition to the above core courses. At this time, we only have one concentration.

CONCENTRATION: STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP AND FORESIGHT

SLF 800 STRATEGY FOR HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (3 CREDITS)

SLF 810 GLOBAL AND CROSS-CULTURAL LEADERSHIP (3 CREDITS)

SLF 820 INNOVATION AND THE CREATIVE FUTURE (3 CREDITS)

SLF 830 CONSULTING PRINCIPLES (3 CREDITS)

SLF 840 ANTICIPATING CHANGE (3 CREDITS)

SLF 850 DEVELOPING A RESILIENT ORGANIZATION (3 CREDITS)

SLF 860 ASSESSING THE STRATEGIC PLAN: DATA ANALYSIS (3 CREDITS)

TOTAL CONCENTRATION CREDITS: 21

TOTAL PROGRAM CREDITS: 52

DOCTOR OF STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP

EVANGEL UNIVERSITY

Supporting Documentation for Program

With surveys of alumni, a decision has been made to pursue the addition of a Doctorate in Strategic Leadership at Evangel University in the College of Adult and Graduate studies. There will be one track or concentration at this time: Strategic Foresight. We examined schools in a 250-300 mile radius and sister Assemblies of God colleges across the country and determined the opportunity exists for us to offer this degree.

What drives the proposal to add or change this program? We have upwards of 60-70 inquiries about a doctorate in leadership from General Council and interest surveys.

The US Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook states top executives are growing at a steady, average rate. This provides opportunity for graduates to take on executive roles as generations retire (US Bureau, 2021, https://tinyurl.com/6dyw7zk6)