

# EDUCATION: SOCIAL FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION, PHD

**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2024-2025.** Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 (<http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70>).

**Total Hours:** 69

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Common Program Core</b>		
(Typically taken within the first 3 semesters)		
SCFD 6983	Diversity and Equity Issues in Education	3
SCFD 6113	Theoretical Foundations of Inquiry	3
CIED 6503	Doctoral Seminar	3
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Research Courses</b>		
12 credit hours, at least one qualitative and one quantitative course at 6000-level. (Note: all 6000-level REMS quantitative courses require prerequisites of REMS 5013 and REMS 5953, which will not count toward the 69 total hours). Only one 5000-level course (excluding REMS 5013 and REMS 5953) may count toward the required coursework in this category.		
Pending committee approval, appropriate courses include the following:		12
CIED 6073	Advanced Pedagogical Research	
CIED 6163	Advanced Research Strategies in Curriculum	
CIED 6253	Designing and Conducting Mixed Methods Research	
EDLE 6910	Practicum (May only be taken the last term of coursework)	
HIST 5023	Historical Methods	
HIST 6023	Historiography	
REMS 6373	Program Evaluation	
REMS 6383	Program Evaluation II	
<b>Quantitative Approaches</b>		
REMS 6003	Analyses of Variance <sup>1</sup>	
REMS 6013	Multiple Regression Analysis in Behavioral Studies <sup>2</sup>	
REMS 6663	Applied Multivariate Research in Behavioral Studies <sup>3</sup>	
STAT 5033	Nonparametric Methods	
STAT 5043	Sample Survey Designs	
<b>Qualitative Methodologies</b>		
GEOG 5423	Geographic Renderings in Qualitative Methods	
SCFD 5913	Introduction to Qualitative Inquiry	
SCFD 6123	Qualitative Research I	
SCFD 6163	Ethnography	
SCFD 6173	Visual Methodologies	
SCFD 6183	Narrative Research Methodologies	

SCFD 6190	Qualitative Research: Selected Methods	
SCFD 6193	Qualitative Research II	
SOC 6853	Seminar in Symbolic Interactionism	
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Social Foundations Core</b>		
24 credit hours, at least one 6000-level course (except for SCFD 5713, SCFD 5883) from each of the four areas of Social Foundations: Philosophy of Education, History of Education, Anthropology of Education, and Sociology of Education.		24
SCFD 5023	The Comparative Approach: Theory, Method, and Practice	
SCFD 5123	History of Education	
SCFD 5713	Educational Philosophy <sup>4</sup>	
SCFD 5883	Educational Sociology <sup>4</sup>	
SCFD 6853	Anthropology of Education <sup>4</sup>	
SCFD 5873	Culture, Society and Education	
SCFD 5923	Popular Culture and Education	
SCFD 5990	Problems and Issues in Social Foundations	
SCFD 6023	Comparative Education	
SCFD 6443	Ethics and Moral Education	
SCFD 6850	Directed Reading	
SCFD 6883	Transforming Pedagogies	
SCFD 6630	Topics in Philosophy Education	
SCFD 6990	Seminar in Social Foundations	
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>24</b>
<b>Cognate Area</b>		
Students take 9 credit hours in a concentration or cognate area based on their research interest and in consultation with their advisor and dissertation committee. These areas are available at Oklahoma State University, especially in the College of Education, Health and Aviation and the College of Arts and Sciences. They can be, but are not limited to, the following areas:		9
History; Philosophy; Sociology; International Studies; Comparative Education; Gender and Women's Studies; Higher Education; Educational Administration; Educational Technology; Pedagogy; STEM Education; College Teaching; Qualitative Inquiry; Research, Evaluation, Measurement, and Statistics; Special Education; Curriculum Studies; Media and Culture		
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>9</b>
<b>Independent Research</b>		
CIED 6000	Doctoral Dissertation	15
<b>Hours Subtotal</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>69</b>

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Requires REMS 5013 and REMS 5953 as prerequisites.

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Requires REMS 6003 as prerequisite.

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Requires REMS 6013 as prerequisite.

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Must take if no equivalent course has been taken in Master's program.

## Education: Social Foundations of Education Requirements

- All students admitted into the Ph.D. degree option in Social Foundations are expected to meet all university requirements and the requirements for admission to the Ph.D. in Education. Students with little or no background in social foundations may be required to take additional leveling coursework. The Social Foundations admission committee determines such prerequisite considerations. Specific graduate courses that may be required as a leveling course include SCFD 5223, SCFD 5873, SCFD 5923, SCFD 5990, SCFD 5998.
- Students will be expected to use technology resources appropriately in course projects, assignments, and research. Ph.D. in Education (69 credit hours minimum, with typically no more than two 5000-level courses (in addition to SCFD 5713, SCFD 5883, if these courses are taken as part of Ph.D. coursework). Leveling courses are not included in the 69 hours.)

## Graduate College Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) Requirements

Learn more about Graduate College 2024-2025 Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) Degree Program Requirements (<http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/>). Check the General Graduate College academic regulations for minimal GPA, language proficiency and other general requirements.