**2019-2020 M.Ed. in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**

**Degree Requirements:**

All students must complete 33 hours of course work

Major Required Courses

CIED 5923      Second Language Acquisition

CIED 5933      Second Language Methodologies

CIED 5943      Teaching People of Other Cultures

CIED 5953      Second Language Assessment

CIED 5393      Introduction to Linguistics

CIED 5543      Structures of American English

CIED 5313      Principles of Qualitative Research in Curriculum & Instruction

SPED 5883     Research in Inclusive Education

CIED 6193      Teaching English Language Learners in the Content Areas

CIED 599V     Special Topics3

CIED 600V     Master's Thesis (or Elective)

Total Hours     33

Students are encouraged to take CIED 599V in their first semester as this course introduces students to TESOL and helps them explore the career options through field experiences.

Students who do not wish to complete a thesis may choose one elective to complete the 33 credit hour course of study.

**Research Requirements:**  Students are required to take two research courses (CIED 5313 and SPED 5883). Students wishing not to complete a thesis are required to design and carry out an action research project or to take a comprehensive exam in the final semester of their coursework.

For students who have the experience and desire to complete a formal thesis, this option exists. In such cases, students will form a thesis committee and then propose, write and defend a thesis. The successful defense of the thesis will represent the comprehensive exam for the M.Ed. degree but students must complete at least three hours of master's thesis credit (CIED 600V).

Students should also be aware of Graduate School requirements with regard to master's degrees.

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CIED 5393      Introduction to Linguistics

CIED 5543      Structures of American English

CIED 5313      Principles of Qualitative Research in Curriculum & Instruction (available

online)

SPED 5883     Research in Inclusive Education (available online)

CIED 6193      Teaching English Language Learners in the Content Areas (available

online)

CIED 5913     Parent/Family Engagement of Culturally & Linguistically Diverse

Students

(available online)

CIED 600V     Master's Thesis (or Elective)

Total Hours     33

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**Research Requirements:**  Students are required to take two research courses (CIED 5313 and SPED 5883). Students wishing not to complete a thesis are required to take a comprehensive exam in the next to last semester of their coursework.

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