

HEALTH, OUTDOOR, PHYSICAL EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION (HOPE)



UBC VANCOUVER COHORT

JULY 2017

**APPLY BY
JANUARY 31**

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This unique master's program is based on integrating three fields of study Health, Outdoor and Physical Education to begin in July 2017. This cohort is offered to health, outdoor and physical educators interested in developing curriculum in their schools and improving their opportunities for leadership in departmental and school administrative positions.

The three fields will be represented as three streams, so that teachers may study content in depth as well as cross over into other stream core courses as part of their one elective course. Teachers will come together in six shared courses (including the final project). The cohort's core focus of experiential education and provide a platform from which all cohort members may begin to explore philosophical connections between intentions, actions, ontologies and epistemologies, which will be further developed in the other shared cohort courses. The M.Ed cohort is timely, as many educators move away from instrumental hierarchical approaches in order to engage students and school communities in participatory cultures.

Our integrative model will contribute to curricular and pedagogical innovation at local and provincial levels and be part of the dialogue as school districts respond to the new BC curriculum.

This model moves towards: 1) integrating fields of study that have largely existed in isolation, and 2) diffusing realms of knowledge inherent to specific subject areas.

In addition to the collaboration within these fields, the potential for shared research is exciting and promising, especially given the rich and productive existing collaborations that have occurred with current faculty lined up to teach this cohort. We draw on Experiential Education (EE) to include Experiential Learning (EL), as our core focus for the HOPE-Education cohort. We aim to maximize opportunities for EL while at the same time remain cognizant and mindful that education exists as part of larger systems that point to broader issues that we will need to consider as we develop and revise our curricular programs.

ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION

Join us to meet the program advisors and learn more about applying to become a graduate student.

MONDAY, JANUARY 9 | 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Visit the program website for complete details.

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