Educational, School, and Counseling Psychology

ESCP provides a diverse, supportive, and caring environment for students. Our faculty members create rich and stimulating learning opportunities through their teaching, research, and service. Our faculty are more than academic advisors and teachers - they are mentors providing students with role models featuring the scientist-practitioner model.

**Faculty**

**Professor** M. Burns**, L. Flores**, M. Heppner**, K. Herman**, M. Martens**, T. Riley-Tillman**

**Associate Professor** D. A. Bergin**, C. Frisby**, W. M. Reinke**, P. Rottinghaus**, A. Waigandt**, S. D. Whitney**


**Teaching Professor** R. J. Scholes**

**Associate Teaching Professor** K. Boggs*, K. Schieltz*

**Assistant Teaching Professor** M. Carney*, S. Dhaliwal*, R. T. McGuire Jr.*, C. A. Offutt**, B. Orr*

**Associate Clinical Professor** A. J. Knoop**

**Assistant Clinical Professor** C. M. Brooks**

**Associate Research Professor** L. Newcomer*

**Dean of Education** D. L. Clay


* Graduate Faculty Member - membership is required to teach graduate-level courses, chair master’s thesis committees, and serve on doctoral examination and dissertation committees.

** Doctoral Faculty Member - membership is required to chair doctoral examination or dissertation committees. Graduate faculty membership is a prerequisite for Doctoral faculty membership.

**Undergraduate**

While MU does not offer undergraduate degrees specifically in educational and counseling psychology, the University does offer baccalaureate opportunities in a number of related areas, both within the College of Education, and in the other Schools and Colleges that make up the University. The catalog provides a complete list of these degree options (http://catalog.missouri.edu/degreesanddegreeprograms).

**Graduate**

- MA in Educational, School, and Counseling Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology)
  - with emphasis in Counseling Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-counseling-psych)
  - with emphasis in Educational Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-educational-psych)

- with emphasis in Educational Research Methods and Analysis (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-education-research-method-analysis)

- with emphasis in Health Education and Promotion (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-health-ed-promotion)

- with emphasis in School Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/ma-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-school-psych)

- MEd in Educational, School, and Counseling Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology)
  - with emphasis in Career Counseling Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-career-counsel-psych)

- with emphasis in Counseling Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-counsel-psych)

- with emphasis in Educational Psychology (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-educational-psych)
  - with emphasis in Educational Research Methods and Analysis (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-education-research-method-analysis)

- with emphasis in Health Education and Promotion (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-health-ed-promotion)

- with emphasis in Mental Health Practices in Schools (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-mental-health-practice)

- with emphasis in Positive Coaching (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-positive-coach)

- with emphasis in School Counselor, Elementary, Certification (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-school-counsel-elem-cert)

- with emphasis in School Counselor, Secondary, Certification (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/collegeofeducation/educationalschoolandcounselingpsychology/med-educational-counseling-psychology-emphasis-school-counsel-sec-cert)

- with emphasis in School Counselor, Elementary and Secondary, Certification (http://catalog.missouri.edu/undergraduategraduate/
About the Program

The PhD programs in counseling psychology and school psychology is accredited by the American Psychological Association. The 2005 Faculty Scholarly Productivity Index ranked MU’s graduate program in counseling psychology 4th in the nation and the 2010 U.S. News & World Report ranked it 9th nationally.

Our faculty members create a rich and stimulating learning environment for students through their teaching, research, and service. ESCP has three centers that provide students and faculty with many opportunities to collaborate on research and service-related projects while focusing on improving life for learners in all environments.

Career Opportunities

Our graduates find employment in a wide range of settings, including colleges and universities, public schools, agencies, clinics, hospitals, business and industry, research laboratories and government service. Occupations include, but are not limited to, school counselors, licensed professional counselors, faculty members, school psychologists, psychometricians, health educators and educational researchers.

Application Deadlines

- Fall Deadline: December 1st for Counseling and School Psychology
- Fall Deadline: January 15th for Educational Psychology and Educational Research Methods and Analysis
- M Ed in Ed Psych/Student Learning and Well-being focus (online degree) - rolling admission
- M Ed, EdSp in Mental Health Practices in Schools (online degrees) - rolling admission
- M Ed in Positive Coaching (online degree) - rolling admission
- Graduate Certificate in Multicultural Education - rolling admission
- Graduate Certificate in Positive Psychology - rolling admission

Financial Aid from the Program

Some programs require an extra form or statement from those who wish to be considered for internal assistantships, fellowships or other funding packages. Check the program Web site or ask the program contact for details.