

Master of Education

Experience personalized learning through flexible options.

Learn in a personalized environment—one that supports student success. The Master of Education (MEd) is designed for you, an inquisitive learner who embraces the adage "we never step into the same river twice", the very essence of life-long learning. At each step on our journey we identify new relevance, contexts and meanings—all informed by careful consideration of research. Benefit from the flexibility of either on-campus or online study in an interdisciplinary program designed for Canadian and international students from diverse backgrounds who intend to apply their degree in education, training, employee development, health care, private industry or government.

This 30-credit program is comprised of

- a required core program of five courses (Research Methods, Curriculum, Teaching and Learning, Diversity: Constructing Social Realities, Principles and Processes of Leadership, and Philosophy and History of Education)
- elective courses that offer you the flexibility to delve more deeply into one or more areas
- a flexible degree completion route that you select (capstone, final project or thesis)

Carve your own career path.

Graduates work in a diverse range of educational settings, including:

Early childhood education teachers

K-12 teachers in the private sector

Post-secondary instructors and sessional professors

Online education faculty members

Instructional designers and editors

Marketing and communications editors and writers

Subject matter consultants and reviewers

Textbook writers and editors

Private tutors

Teaching English as a Second Language instructors

Project managers and business analysts in education

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A TRU STORY

Leena Yahia

Master of Education, 2016



PhD student in Measurement, Assessment, Policy, Leadership, Evaluation, Queen's University

"The opportunities for leadership and critical thinking are a great gateway to my dream of pursuing

a PhD in educational leadership and a future career in the leadership and administration of higher education." – **Leena Yahia**

Hasan Kettaneh

Master of Education, 2016

Globalization researcher and PhD student in Measurement, Assessment, Policy, Leadership, Evaluation, Queen's University

"It was time for me to further develop myself in education in order to be of service to more people around the world and make a bigger difference, which is why I chose a master's degree at TRU." – **Hasan Kettaneh**

FIND YOUR TRU

At TRU, settle into the stunning natural beauty of the BC Interior and be surrounded by panoramic views of rivers, lakes and mountains. Located in the heart of the city, our beautiful and sprawling campus is close to shopping, entertainment and a spectacular outdoor lifestyle. Enjoy our small class sizes and be engaged with your professors and classmates. Learn by doing and take your passion beyond the classroom—whether through co-op placements, applied research, volunteering in the community or studying abroad. Find your path. Find your passion. Find your TRU.

LADDERING AND TRANSFER OPTIONS

If you have successfully completed the Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies (GCES) program, you can ladder into the MEd program. The GCES is designed to support you if you need to upgrade your GPA to meet MEd admission requirements or if you are an international student who is currently developing the English language and academic skills necessary to succeed in the MEd program.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

You choose your route to an MEd: Start with a Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies, take direct entry into the MEd, or enter after five to seven ESL courses.

Core and electives – a winning combination: There are five required courses that prepare the foundation for your studies and future career. You select electives of interest to you that expand on this foundation. Finally, you choose your exit option: capstone, project or thesis.

You will learn in small classes: Obtain personalized instruction in a very supportive and collegial environment.

You participate in face-to-face interactions, online discussions, and personal research: Engage in dynamic and fluid communicative activities and in collegial dialogues – all informed by your reading and research.

You thrive through experiential learning: Participate in classroom discussions and readings, reflect on what you have learned and apply your knowledge in professional contexts.

You take an active role in your learning: Through independent study, web-based research and guided inquiry, you will strengthen and enhance your current understanding of educational issues.

You receive and give instructional support: Benefit from the practice-based knowledge of your instructors and cohort members. Experience a new understanding of your professional practice.

Graduate Programs In Education Success Centre: Receive support from the Centre with your writing and scholarly communication from trained and motivated Graduate Teaching Assistants in a dedicated graduate student space via workshops and private appointments.

FINANCIAL AWARDS

As a TRU student, you are eligible to apply for a variety of awards. Search TRU's awards guide on the Student Awards and Financial Support page at **tru.ca/awards**.

WHO CAN I TALK TO?

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