ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A good degree, usually 2:1 or equivalent.

Relevant experience in an educational setting.

**English requirements**

IELTS average test score of 6.5 with all elements at least 6.

FEES

Each year, students will pay our standard fee for three 20 credit modules. For current information about fees, please contact *ioe-ma@reading.ac.uk*. Accommodation / living expenses are not covered in the course fee.

From the Institute of Education in collaboration with the Henley Business School; an exceptional three year part-time programme aimed at educational leaders, future leaders and administrators.

On successful completion of the programme, scholars will have arrived at a better understanding of their own role and identity as an education leader and manager. This will in turn positively affect the institutions in which they work.

The programme is delivered through summer schools, with follow up distance learning, so students can study while working full-time anywhere in the world.

It is a three-stage programme that will lead to an MA in Education (Leadership and Management) with exit qualifications of Postgraduate Certificate (Stage 1) and Postgraduate Diploma (Stage 2).
WHAT WILL I LEARN ON THE COURSE?

Throughout the course, students will critically analyse key concepts in educational leadership and management theory and practice within the context of an ever changing political climate and an increasing culture of both market and government accountability.

A unique feature of the course is that students will benefit from modules on strategic marketing and finance delivered by experts from Henley Business School.

The course will also examine moral and ethical aspects of educational leadership and management and students will reflect on, and challenge, some of the underlying values present within leadership and management practice in today’s education sector.

HOW IS THE PROGRAMME STRUCTURED?

In the first two years, students will study six 20 credit modules:

- Key Concepts in Educational leadership and Management
- Strategic Marketing
- Educational Leadership and Management
- Independent Study (distance learning)
- Leading and Managing Educational Change
- Managing Financial Resources
- Investigating Education (distance learning)

In the third year, students will write a dissertation (15,000 words).

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The Institute of Education is rated ‘Outstanding’ by Ofsted. Scholars and educational leaders visit our historic campus from all corners of the globe to accelerate their professional development, extend their network and enhance their intellectual satisfaction.

Educational Leadership and Management is one of a number of research strengths of the Institute, and with strong links to the world-renowned Henley Business School it makes an excellent choice for busy professionals wishing to pursue a specifically designed postgraduate qualification in the field.

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