Bachelor of Arts in Education; Major in Education in a Global Context
Pre-Registration Orientation!

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ABOUT US

Dr. Joseph Levitan, Director
- Educational Leadership
- Community-Based Participatory Research
- Social Justice in Education
- Education Policy
- Community Development

Amanda Simpson-Folco, Student Advisor
- McGill Bachelor of Arts Alumni
- Former Arts and Science Student Affairs Manager
- Former Assistant Supervisor Service Point
PROGRAM FRUITION AND LEARNING OUTCOMES

Development

- Education takes place in a myriad of contexts
- Understanding the role of education in addressing contemporary and emergent global challenges
- Educational research offers important insights into many social issues beyond the classroom

Learning Outcomes

- Apply critical analysis to social problems and effectively resolve issues through an educational lens
- Become experts in the science of learning and how to apply it to contexts outside of the classrooms
- Obtain the knowledge to organize and facilitate learning rich experiences and workshops
August 14: Last date to register for at least one course
Week of August 23: Orientation Week Events
August 31: Classes begin
September 13: Add/drop and S/U
September 20: W on transcript, with refund ($)
October 25: W on transcript, no refund
Your advanced standing will be determined by the Admissions Office once they receive your Official Transcripts.

The Admissions Office has until October 1st to finalize their initial review. This is often completed by the end of August.

No transfer credit will be approved until an Official Transcript is received.

i.e. Ensure to have your final admissions documents sent to McGill as soon as possible!

Deadline to request advanced standing is December 2nd, 2022.
ADVANCED STANDING

- Estimate Advanced Standing using the McGill Transfer Credit page

- Students with Advanced Standing:
  - Email edgc.advise@mcgill.ca with expected credit amount (See McGill’s Transfer Credit page)
  - Include your unofficial transcript/exam scores in the email where possible
  - We will devise a program plan together
FRESHMAN PROGRAM INFORMATION (U0)

- Entering McGill directly from high school or entering with 0-23 credits of Advanced Standing
- No defined courses that you must take. Choose things that are of interest to you at the 100 and 200 level
- Find course suggestions on our Freshman Courses Webpage (linked on our page)

**NOTE:** Registration restrictions vary by Faculty. To request a registration permit, you must contact the Department the course belongs to directly.
Three-year, 90 credit interdisciplinary program that focuses on understanding the role of education in addressing contemporary and emergent global challenges.

Plan of study allocates space for completing all the requirements in your degree and schedules your internship during the summer 2024 semester.
3 available minors:

- **Minor in Educational Psychology (Faculty of Education, Department of Educational & Counselling Psychology)**
  
  → Email edgc.advise@mcgill.ca for questions/permits

- **Minor in International Development Studies (Faculty of Arts, Institute for the Study of International Development)**
  
  → International Development Advisor: lisa.stanischewski@mcgill.ca
  → 9 credits at the 300 level. ECON 313 is a required course, ensure to take two more 300+. 

- **Minor in Management for non-Management Students (Desautels Faculty of Management)**
  
  → Management Advisor: marcella.casella@mcgill.ca
DECLARING YOUR MINOR

- You may declare your minor at the time of registration on Minerva
  - Latest winter 2023
  - *Caveat minor in management

- Steps for declaring your minor in Minerva (except Mgmt):
  1. Student Menu
  2. Student Records Menu
  3. Change your secondary curriculum
COMPLEMENTARY COURSES

- 12 Complementary Courses, see your program checklist!
- A maximum of 9 credits can be chosen from one specific list
- Winter 2023 term choose between EDGC 313 and EDER 494

### Leadership and Social Change
- EDGC 312 Understanding Teacher Leadership
- EDGC 313 Cultivating Process of Social Transformation
- EDGC 411 Affect, Education, and Social Change
- EDGC 412 Historical Knowledge: Agents of Change
- EDGC 300 Special Topics

### Ethics, Wellbeing, and Diverse Knowledge Approaches
- EDER 494 Human Rights & Ethics in Practice
- EDGC 222 Integrating Arts into STEM
- EDGC 324 Physical Health and Wellbeing in Education
- EDGC 423 Human Knowledge Claims and Education
- EDSL 390 Teaching English as a Second Language in the Community

### Critical Issues in Education
- EDGC 233 Learning in Out-of-School Contexts
- EDGC 335 Eco-Justice and Sustainability in Education
- EDGC 336 Race & Racialization in Education
- EDGC 337 Gendered Identities, Social Learning
- EDGC 336 Race, Class, and Power in Education in Global Contexts
- EDGC 200 Knowledge through the Arts
- EDGC 300 Special Topics
- EDPI 341 Instruction in Inclusive Schools

### Children and Youth
- EDGC 244 Investigating Children’s Reasoning
- EDGC 348 Global Perspectives of Early Childhood Education
- EDGC 444 Critical Contexts of Youth Develop. & Wellbeing
- EDGC 300 Special Topics
ELECTIVES

- 18 electives!

- You tailor your course selection based on YOUR interests!
  - Be aware, registration restrictions vary by Faculty. To request a registration permit, you must contact the Department the course belongs to directly.

- 10% of your elective courses may be completed under the S/U grading mode
  - 9 credits (normally 3 courses)
  - *Not applicable to freshman courses

- You can add the grading mode up until add/drop in Minerva
  - You can remove it up until the withdrawal with refund deadline in Minerva.
SUMMER 2024 INTERNSHIP

- Over 100 organizations waiting for you to apply!
- Chance to obtain real hands-on experience and write a formal research paper
- More information to come in our August orientation!
NEXT ORIENTATION IS IN AUGUST, IN-PERSON!

- Internship Information, My Progress, My Courses and more
- Meet your Career Advisor
- Get to know one another
- Games and McGill Prizes!
- Don’t forget to register for FROSH (McGill Education Frosh on FB)!
Questions

Virtual advising begins June 6. Make your appointment online!