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DOCTORATE IN EDUCATION
(CANDEL)

School of Education

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The Educational Leadership (CANDEL) Program leading to a Doctor of
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in schools, community colleges, and related educational capacities that
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processes and shape the educational policies that bear on the practice of
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