Elon’s Master of Arts in Higher Education (MHE) program immerses students in hands-on, student-centered learning with a global perspective. Students learn and practice principles of effective education, strategic leadership, ethical decision making, and social justice advocacy. MHE graduates are prepared for leadership roles in diverse higher education institutions.

The MHE is a two-year, 36-credit hour program, open to students with any undergraduate major. In a full-time cohort structure, students experience a rigorous curriculum linked together by a series of professionally enriching activities and relationships.

- A shared, integrated learning experience in and out of the classroom with a diverse cohort of 12 students
- A funded global experience (study abroad or study away) embedded in a Winter Term course
- A paid, mentored apprenticeship in a campus program
- Two internships to gain experience in diverse higher education settings
- A team capstone project that addresses a relevant issue in a campus program
- Guided development of a personalized professional development plan with funds to support student’s participation in professional development events regionally and nationally

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR ADMITTED STUDENTS

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