by a collaboration of committed stakeholders who have been brought to agree on the problem to be solved and led to a consensus on the innovative solution to the problem.

The internship will emphasize practical experiences in the context of "living classrooms and schools" and districts. It extends the mission of the College of Education to translate theory into practice. Since the Administrative Internship occurs at a minimum of six months with actual schools as the "real-life" laboratory of work, the candidate is encouraged to focus on NELP Standards Components 4, 5, 6 and 7. Components 1, 2 and 3 were completed in MED 8900. This will afford a thorough experience and an in-depth opportunity for authentic learning of the various skills involved in building leadership.

The internship requires practical experiences for our candidates that are contextual, real-world, and based on the NELP Standards Components.

Structured External Assignment Building Leaders Each candidate must complete 240

•	findings and analysis of the components addressed	
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- Collaboratively develop the instructional improvement goals for a subject area of the curriculum and present the implementation, communication and evaluation plan for the designed goals.
- Collaboratively articulate the technology and data systems use, current state and needs for the future to the school community and stakeholders or the district administrative leadership team.
- Collaboratively develop and implement quality, clear communication regarding the school's curriculum and instruction in light of student learning purposes and progress to the faculty.
- Collaboratively represent the best practices, coherence and equitability of the school's curriculum, instruction and technology to all the school's constituents.
- Collaboratively align and present professional development activities with the School Leadership Team that advances current and prospective leaders in presenting and enhancing instructional and assessment practices in the school.
- Develop simulations with the School Leadership Team that serve as opportunities for all school leaders to demonstrate the best practices in technology, assessment, and instruction.
- Write school policies that protect instructional time and are aligned with the instructional and assessment curriculum advances and best practices that supports coherent and equitable student learning success.
- Present to the school community or the board an analysis of current policies that are aligned with the curriculum regarding the protection of instructional time and technological resources that supports coherent and equitable student learning success.
- Collaboratively analyze and present to the school community or the board an analysis
 of current policies that are aligned with the non-academic areas regarding their
 interrelation and support of instructional time that supports coherent and equitable
 student learning success through efficiency and effectiveness.
- Present the results of research on the policies of other schools that represent quality policies that protect and enhance coherent and equitable curriculum, instruction and assessment practices.
- Based on an analysis of the current school schedule, collaboratively develop and present a master schedule to the School Leadership Team that resolves issues and is beneficial and equitable to the learning needs of all constituents.
- Conduct a focus group with representatives of all the school's constituencies to determine and develop the coherent and equitable curriculum, instruction, assessment and technology needs for the school that will influence and drive the master schedule.
- Collaborate with the School Leadership Team to analyze the individual school schedule needs as they relate to the school master schedule.
- Produce a report for presentation to the faculty on the major goals, initiatives, and actions in relation to curriculum, instruction, technology or assessment.
- Analyze the potential impact of emerging trends in curriculum, instruction, technology or assessment on the school and its mission.

- Prepare a series of recommendations for the principal regarding the schools' position as a result of data systems analysis relative to curriculum, instruction, technology or assessment. Select and one area or interrelate a combination of areas.
- Collaborate with the School Leadership Team prioritize curriculum, instruction, technology or assessment trends that will most likely affect the school and determine how these trends can best serve the school in a coherent and equitable manner.

Building rubric

4.4	Novice	Emerging	Proficient (TARGET)	Advanced Performance
NELP 4.4 Educational Leadership Skills	Candidate engage staff in gathering,	Candidate engage staff in	Troncient (TARGET)	Advanced Fertormance
Candidates demonstrate skills required to	data to evaluate results in the school's academic			
engage faculty in gathering, synthesizing, and using data to evaluate the quality,	and non- academic services.			
coordination, and coherence of the school's curriculum,	Candidate uses research to			
instruction, and assessment practices; use research and evidence to propose designs	implement strategies for improving			
and implementation strategies for improving coordination and coherence	academic and non- academic systems.			
among the school's curriculum, instruction, and	Candidate uses technology and			
assessment practices; and use technology and performance management	performance management systems to			
systems to monitor, analyze, implement, and evaluate school curriculum.	evaluate district assessment results.			
instruction, and assessment practices and results.	1 oddito.			

Learning Outcomes 5.2 Candidate will

- Research and report the current relationship of the diverse members, partners, and
 other constituencies in your school to the School Leadership Team and collaboratively
 generate strategies to engage them for school and student learning improvement.
- Collaboratively create an alignment document that reconciles diverse community resources that can be used to enhance school and student learning improvement.
- Collaboratively work with diverse community members to review, analyze and develop curriculum resources for the benefit of school improvement and student development.
- Write interview questions for prospective school leaders that determine a candidate's commitment to cultivating diverse community relations with respect to successful learning and school improvement for all children.
- Collaboratively conduct a needs assessment among community partners to cultivate diverse constituency relationships.
- Collaboratively analyze the results of a needs assessment on your diverse community partners and school improvement initiatives.
- Collaboratively develop regular meetings between school leadership and diverse community partners to discuss the school's and partners' needs and progress for the benefit of school improvement and student development.
- Collaboratively develop and add a regular communication and information piece about school diverse community partners to the school web page or newsletter.

Building rubric

5.2	Novice	Emerging	Proficient (TARGET)	Advanced Performance
			communication venues to benefit school outreach programs and student learning.	to benefit school outreach programs and student learning as a leader of the effort.

5.3 Communicate through oral, written, and digital means within the larger organizational, community, and political contexts when advocating for the needs of their school and community.

Learning Outcomes 5.3

Candidate will

- Define, in policy and procedures, every school leader as an advocate for children and their families.
- Provide professional development to help leaders develop and practice respectful advocacy skills.
- Communicate the school leadership position as advocates for the needs of the school and community through school web sites or other digital distribution.
- Provide ongoing professional development in a political context wherein school leaders advocate for the needs of their school and community becoming a part of school policy.
- Conduct a review and edit of all school communications to advocate for the needs of the school and community within the larger organizational, community, and political contexts.
- Lead discussions among leadership staff regarding the equitable application of law and policy school-wide and how in a collaborative effort the school will communicate through oral, written, and digital means to the larger organizational community the needs of the school.

Building rubric				
5.3	Novice	Emerging	Proficient (TARGET)	Advanced Performance
NELP 5.3 Educational Leadership Skills	Candidate develops a			

Candidates demonstrate skills required to develop a plan for identifying and

to develop a plan for identifying and accessing resources; gather information about the policy and district context; develop targeted communication for oral, written, and digital distribution; and advocate for school and community needs.

resources.

Candidate compiles information about

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plan for identifying

6.1	Novice	Emerging	Proficient (TARGET)	Advanced Performance
	challenges for the school's systems. Candidate analyzes and implements assessment and technology. Candidate reviews school's master schedule.	short term) challenges for the school's systems. Candidate analyzes, evaluates, develops and implements management, communication, assessment, technology, school-level governance, and operation systems. Candidate develops a school's master schedule.	(long term and short term) challenges for the school's systems in collaboration with the school leadership team. Candidate analyzes, evaluates, develops and implements management, communication, assessment, technology, school-level governance, and operation systems in collaboration with the school leadership team. Candidate develops a school's master schedule in collaboration with the school leadership team.	(long term and short term) challenges for the school's systems in collaboration with the school leadership team, faculty and staff. Candidate analyzes, evaluates, develops and implements management, communication, assessment, technology, school-level governance, and operation systems in collaboration with the school leadership team, faculty and staff. Candidate develops a school's master schedule in collaboration with the school leadership team, faculty and staff.

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Building rubric 6.3

6.3 Novice

7.3 Novice Emerging Proficient (TARGET) Advanced Performance

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professional growth that promotes reflection,
cultural responsiveness, digital literacy, school
improvement, and student success; engage staff

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<u>State Policy to Develop Excellent Principals: A Washington Brief</u> (2015). How can state policy improve the effectiveness of school principals? Educators, including New York State's commissioner of education gathered in Washington, D.C., on November 3, 2015, to discuss a major Wallace Foundation report that seeks to answer that question. Keynote speaker Paul Manna, professor of government and public policy at the College of William & Mary and the author of the report, <u>Developing Excellent School Principals to Advance Teaching and Learning: Considerations for State Policy</u>, summarized key findings from his research. He described three matters policymakers must understand before taking action: principals' place on their state's policy agenda; six possible levers that could trigger change; and their state's unique context, including the ways in which key education-