Doctor of Education (EDD)

Applications for admission to the EDD must include supporting documentation that demonstrates the applicant’s eligibility and suitability for the course:

1. Personal Statement (2-3 pages) that summarises and highlights how you meet the following entry requirements:
   - Hold an approved Bachelor degree with Honours Class 1 or 2A or a qualification deemed equivalent by the University, such as: a Master’s degree normally with a research component, completed within the last 10 years, with a grade point average of Credit or better; or a peer reviewed publication; or a track record as an investigator on a competitive grant.
   - Have at least five years' relevant work experience in education or a related field. Briefly describe your work experience in education or a related field. Your referees' letters should also mention your work experience.
   - Demonstrate evidence of commitment and innovation or other evidence of creative and intellectual activity in professional practice in your field at the appropriate level. Briefly describe how you meet this criterion. Typically, applicants have participated in conferences, written journal articles, or presented professional development workshops and so on. Your referees' letters should support what you have written in this personal statement. You should briefly mention how completion of the Doctor of Education will enhance your leadership contributions in the future. Your referees should also comment on the latter.
   - Present as pdf entitled ‘(Surname) Personal Statement'

2. Two Referral letters - One recent academic and one recent professional referee
   - Please attach at least two letters of recommendation, one from a senior supervisor or manager from your workplace and another from an academic.
   - Collectively, these letters must attest to the fact that you meet the criteria for entry into the Doctor of Education (see above under Personal Statement) and provide other comments as outlined above.
   - The letters must be on institutional letterhead.

You are welcome to email the course coordinator cepsw.hdrenquiries@flinders.edu.au for advice about preparing a research outline and potential supervisors.

Please note: applications close 11 January yearly.