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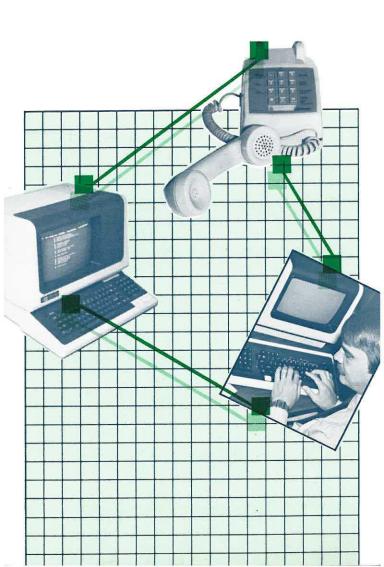
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## **Computer-Based Graduate Programs for International Educators**



Educators and Trainers... Earn your master's, educational specialist, or doctoral degree in computer education using international online telecommunications plus intensive summer institutes in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

#### Computer-Based Graduate Programs for International Education

If you are an educator or trainer employed in a setting outside of the continental United States, you can join an international cohort of students in pursuing your graduate degree in computer-based learning.

Without having to leave your present job, you will use your own computer, modem, and telephone lines to connect through the Tymnet Packet Switching Network into Nova University's UNIX\*-based operating system. This will put you online with educators and fellow students throughout the United States and around the world.

The international cohort of students will participate in a onemonth summer session on the main campus in Fort Lauderdale plus a one-week summer institute as part of the summer session. You will have access to the Microlab, online, doing as many assignments and online activities as possible. This will significantly reduce the amount of online time needed during the year to stay in touch with your faculty and colleagues, to send and receive assignments, and to participate in online electronic classroom sessions

### The Programs

These degree programs are designed to provide systematic and extensive professional growth in the use of high technology to improve the teaching/learning process. Various study areas in the use of telecommunications. computer-based learning, and instructional theories are combined in a formal program that stresses the integration of theory and practice.

In addition to the month-long summer sessions, international students will attend a one-week institute each year of the three-year program. The institute is held on the Nova main campus in July. Selected study areas are introduced and completed at these institutes. The institutes also serve to extend insights gained in computer-based courses and to acquaint students with other topics of significance in the education and learning technology field. Students are responsible for their own travel, lodging, and meals.

Other requirements include the successful completion of three Ed.D.practicums that are related to the use of microcomputers and new technology. M.S. and Ed.S. students complete one practicum. Practicums are applied research projects undertaken by students to address significant problems in their organizations.

Teleconferences, interactive computer experiences, seminars, self-paced instructional courseware, reading, and written assignments form a major part of the student's work in the program. Written assignments are entered online and, thus, become searchable resources to students and faculty.

#### Costs

Application fee: \$30 (non-refundable) Tuition: M.S. - \$3,200 per year + (approx. 100 hours/per year@ \$7per hour) online time Ed.S. & Ed.D. - \$4,000 tuition per year + a \$350 service fee. (Tuition includes 100 hours / year online time

from a domestic Tymnet node entry point.)

Local governments have separate modem & online charges.

Institute - travel, room, meals; special session trips; books, and one-month summer session living expenses.

### The Degrees

The master of science (M.S.) in computerbased learning (CBL) is a 36 semester hour program with a choice of four specialties:

- Adult Education
- Electronic Education
- Information
  Management
  Training and Learning

You must hold a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited university, be an educator, information specialist, or trainer, and be fluent in written and spoken English.

The educational specialist (Ed.S.) in computer-based learning is also a 36 semester hour program. You must hold a master's degree from a regionally accredited university and meet the requirements as listed for the master's program. Up to one year's work in the Ed.S. program may be credited into the Ed.D. program.

Call: (305) 475-7445 The M.S. and/or Ed.S. programs generally require 18-24 months including two campus summer sessions and institutes.

The doctor of education (Ed.D.) in computer education is a 72 semester hour degree program that requires three years to complete. You must hold a master's degree from an accredited university and be an educator or trainer who is also fluent in English.

Other admission criteria are listed in the program catalog. You may write or call for additional information.

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The Educational Specialist degree in Computer-	
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The Doctor of Education degree in Computer	
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