MMEd | Master of Museum Education

Department of Curriculum & Pedagogy

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The Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy at UBC’s Faculty of Education offers a unique Master of Museum Education (MMEd) degree for museum professionals and/or those seeking careers in the museum field. The MMEd provides graduate-level professional development for anyone concerned with non-formal education, and to those seeking to invigorate and strengthen their professional practice as educators.

**RECOGNIZED EXPERTISE**

Museum educators and interpreters know the best learning is often based on direct experience. The UBC Master of Museum Education (MMEd) offers you the chance to develop your passion for education while earning a respected graduate degree. You’ll gain new ideas and recognized expertise as a member of a community of educators and other professionals who share an innovative, interdisciplinary vision of teaching and learning.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

The basic admission requirement to the Master’s program is an approved bachelor’s degree. In addition, successful applicants typically have high grades; a coherent, well-written statement of intent; and strong references. Teaching experience is preferred.

All students must meet UBC Faculty of Graduate Studies requirements which include:

- An approved Bachelor’s degree and, for K-12 teachers, one year of teacher education, OR
- A 4-year Bachelor’s degree in Education or other appropriate area.
- A GPA of B+ (76%) or equivalent.

For transcripts from universities in China, this usually corresponds to an 85% on most PRC university grading systems. If applicant is from a Key University, the minimum grade requirement is B (=80% on PRC grading scale) or higher. See website for minimum TOEFL/IELTS scores.

**Proposed PROGRAM SCHEDULE**

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The UBC MMEd program is a 30-credit program (i.e., students will be required to complete ten 3-credit courses for the degree). The final 3 credits of the program may be a capstone project, which will be developed from original research conducted by students. Approved electives may be taken at other universities, subject to the terms of the Western Dean’s Agreement. Complete schedule details are available online.