

EDD TRANSFORMATIVE LEADERSHIP SERVICE-LEARNING AND ACTION RESEARCH



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Sac State Department: College of Education, Doctorate in Educational Leadership Program

Community Partner: Families of Black Students United Affinity Space, Elk Grove Unified School District



EDD students will actively engage in service-learning projects supporting the Black Family Conference, leveraging their leadership training to address the pressing issue of racial disparities in school suspensions.



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The Doctorate in Educational Leadership (EDD) program at Sacramento State is committed to fostering anti-racist educational leaders through a holistic educational approach that combines theoretical, experiential, and liberatory learning experiences. Recognizing the urgency to align the curriculum with community needs, the EDD program has introduced the Transformative Leadership Service-Learning and Action Research Project. This project not only builds on a longstanding partnership with the Elk Grove Unified School District (EGUSD) but also enhances the existing Anchor activities, focusing specifically on strengthening engagement with Black families and students.

This project not only offers a transformative experience of civic engagement for EDD students but also positions Sacramento State as an influential Anchor University, shaping the educational landscape of the Sacramento region. The proposed seed funding is pivotal in demonstrating the "proof of concept" for future larger-scale research projects and grants, showcasing the transformative potential of collaborative endeavors between the university and the school district.

