

# DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND LEADERSHIP

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The mission of the Department of Professional Counseling and Leadership is to provide to students instruction related to knowledge, skills, and dispositions of the specific area of their major. A strong commitment to instructional leadership and school improvement is recognized by all faculty members in the department.

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