Enhancing Academic Excellence and Scholarship

Goal: Develop and fund additional masters programs and selected new doctoral programs (including an independent doctorate in educational leadership) in support of our region.

Target: Launch four doctoral programs by 2011.

- The Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership (Ed.D) began in 1991 as a joint doctorate between the University of California and California State University, Fresno. It became an independent doctorate in Fall 2007.
- The Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program, a joint doctorate with UC, San Francisco, began in Fall 2007.