



CARSON-NEWMAN

A CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

Ed.D. and Ed.S. Scholarly Writing Sample

Please note the following directions to complete the C-N Scholarly Writing admission requirement.

Compose a formal essay using the following parameters. Include a title page entitled C-N Ed.D. and Ed.S. Scholarly Writing Sample, your name, and the date submitted. The essay should be within the range of a 750-1000 word count, APA 7th Edition, Times New Roman, 12 point, double-spaced, 1-inch margins, with a minimum of six juried or refereed professional sources cited in text and as a reference list. The title page and references are not included in the word count. Note the rubric provided for specific expectations of rigor and expectations. A score of 3 or above must be attained on all rubric concepts for a passing score.

Choose a current educational topic which is within the context of educational leadership.

Compose a scholarly paper with the following sections:

- A. Describe the topic chosen. Compose a brief professional literature review of the topic. This section should be an approximate 250 word count.
- B. Justify why knowledge of the topic is important in the current educational environment.
- C. Explain how this topic personally affects, or could affect, you in your educational career.