## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN LITERACY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURE

**Web Site:** https://twu.edu/literacy-and-learning/graduate-programs/phd-in-reading-education/

## **Marketable Skills**

Defined by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's 60x30 Strategic Plan (https://reportcenter.highered.texas.gov/agencypublication/miscellaneous/thecb-60x30-strategic-plan/) as, "Those skills valued by employers that can be applied in a variety of work settings, including interpersonal, cognitive, and applied skills areas. These skills can be either primary or complementary to a major and are acquired by students through education, including curricular, co-curricular, and extracurricular activities."

- a. Analyze major research and theories in the areas of language and literacy.
- b. Design, conduct, and disseminate original research.
- c. Create and apply expert knowledge in literacy teaching and learning in higher education, PK-12 schools, and community-based contexts.