



## **DHSc Application – Personal Statement**

Please answer the following questions. Contain your response to two to three pages. Your statement should adhere to current APA style guidelines for the presentation.

1. *Why do you want to be a scholar in this program?*
2. *What experiences have allowed you to develop the skills/abilities necessary to be successful in this doctoral program?*
3. *Given your professional credentials, please discuss your scope of practice, and then how will completing the DHSc program at California University influence your responsibility within your current work position (job).*
4. *What specifically will you contribute to the program and the professional community?*
5. *Please discuss your role as a student of research by providing a summary of your graduate thesis or culminating research paper. The summary should include the title, research purpose, and brief overview of the research type and findings. Provide a culminating statement on how this research process has affected your professional practice.*
6. *Provide a strong closing statement of how you are educationally prepared to handle the rigors of a doctoral education process.*