# THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA®

# New Academic Program Workflow Form

## General

#### Proposed Name: Teaching Online by Design

Transaction Nbr: 0000000000146

Plan Type: Minor

Academic Career: Undergraduate

Degree Offered:

Do you want to offer a minor? N

Anticipated 1st Admission Term: Fall 2024

## Details

Department(s):

## EDUC

DEPTMNT ID	DEPARTMENT NAME	HOST
3222	Teaching, Learning and Sociocultural Studies	Y

Campus(es):

## MAIN

LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
TUCSON	Tucson

#### **ONLN**

LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
ONLN	Online

#### Admission application terms for this plan: Spring: Y Summer: N Fall: Y

#### Plan admission types:

Freshman: Y Transfer: Y Readmit: Y Graduate: Y

Non Degree Certificate (UCRT only): N

Other (For Community Campus specifics): N

Plan Taxonomy: 13.0501, Educational/Instructional Technology.

Program Length Type: Program Length Value: 0.00

Report as NSC Program:

SULA Special Program:

#### **Print Option:**

Diploma: Y Teaching Online by Design minor

Transcript: Y Teaching Online by Design minor

#### Conditions for Admission/Declaration for this Major:

There are no specific admission requirements for this minor. This program will fall under the same accredited requirements for education.

#### **Requirements for Accreditation:**

NA

# **Program Comparisons**

#### **University Appropriateness**

There are no other programs like this minor as it combines both the principles of instructional design with the pedagogical practices of teaching and learning. There are instructional design programs in the state at both ASU and UAGC, but this minor goes deeper by teaching both the design of multimodal courses and how to effectively teach and engage students in online environments. This minor is just not focused on instructional design, but dives into the scholarship of teaching online. The is a degree at NAU on Educational Technology, but it does not address the teaching scholarship of educational technology.

NBR	PROGRAM	DEGREE	#STDNTS	LOCATION	ACCRDT
1	Instructional Design	BA	30	UAGC	Y
2	Ed Studies Instr Design	BAED	120	ASU	Y
3	Educational Technology	MA	40	NAU	Y
4	Instructional Design & Technol	MS	50	UAGC	Y
5	Online Inst Design & Perform	CERTG	150	ASU	Y

#### Arizona University System

#### **Peer Comparison**

Most of the course work for this program aligns with these peer programs in teaching instructional technology, instructional design and teaching online. Some are more focused on instructional technology, while others are geared toward instructional design. All center around pedagogy for online education.

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#### Resources

#### Library

Acquisitions Needed:

NA

#### **Physical Facilities & Equipment**

**Existing Physical Facilities:** 

NA

Additional Facilities Required & Anticipated:

NA

#### **Other Support**

Other Support Currently Available:

The minor could be offered to students in a variety of colleges who are interested in education or communication of learning outcomes. The University Center for Assessment, Teaching, and Technology (UCATT) along with Disability Resource Center can currently support this minor with individuals who either have a Master¿s, PhD or an EdD with professional expertise in all these areas. UCATT could oversee the internships within the office or with outside agencies.

Other Support Needed over the Next Three Years:

NA

#### **Comments During Approval Process**

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Comments Approved.

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## Comments

uploaded updated Addl Info form with updated Learning outcomes



#### New Academic Program – Minor (<u>Undergraduate</u>) CURRICULAR INFORMATION

#### MINOR DESCRIPTION

The Teaching Online by Design (TOBD) minor is designed to engage and prepare students on how to design and facilitate online courses/programs. This minor provides a deep dive into current theories and practices of instructional design and teaching/learning in the field of online education. It further aims to prepare undergraduates for careers in online education involving all levels of education from K-12, higher education, government, and industry. The curriculum has been created by professionals from the field of online education and students will have access to real world situations. The courses are taught by experts with professional instructional design backgrounds and online teaching experience. Students will learn broad knowledge and skills necessary to move into entry level positions in various online educational settings.

#### JUSTIFICATION/NEED FOR THE MINOR

Teaching Online by Design has been created to meet the growing needs of **ALL** educators in a wide variety of teaching sectors. This includes K-12 teachers, Higher Education faculty, and Community College professors, as well as those who develop online academic, professional development and training programs within non-profit organizations, governmental agencies, and in industry. This minor is designed for both experienced educators and those interested in entering the field of online teaching and learning including:

- K-12 teachers
- Vocational and community college instructors
- College and university professors
- Doctors, nurses, and other health educators involved in patient education, continuing education or in-service education, community health education professionals, or academic healthcare educators.
- K-16 curriculum consultants, professional development staff, technology coordinators, and distance education leaders.
- Continuing education facilitators and trainers in professional associations, nonprofit organizations, business, government, and military interested in teaching online and blended courses, or using web-based components to enhance face-to-face instruction.

#### MINOR REQUIREMENTS

#### Undergraduate Minor:

Minimum total units required	18		
Minimum upper-division units required	9		
Total transfer units that may apply to minor	9		
List any special requirements to declare admission	None		
Minor requirements. List all required minor requirements including core and electives. Courses listed must include course prefix, number, units, and title. Mark new coursework (New). Include any limits/restrictions needed (house number limit, etc.). Provide email(s)/letter(s) of support from home department head(s) for courses not owned by your department.	<ul> <li>Required core courses:</li> <li>TLS 253 - Teaching Online by Design (3)</li> <li>Three foundational courses:</li> <li>TLS 454 - Instructional Design: K-12 to Higher Education to Industry (3)</li> <li>TLS 455- Universal Design for Learning (UDL) meets User Experience (UX) (3)</li> <li>TLS 456 - Student Engagement in Online Learning Environments (3)</li> <li>TLS 318 - Teaching and Learning with New Technologies (3)</li> <li>TLS 444 - Designing Instruction for Online/Hybrid Teaching Environments (3)</li> <li>TLS 448 - Educational Video (3)</li> <li>ESOC 211 - Collaborating in Online Communities (3)</li> <li>ESOC 319 - Instructional Technologies (3)</li> <li>Two electives:</li> <li>TLS 333 - Digital Multimodal Composing in Educational Context (3)</li> </ul>		

	<ul> <li>TLS 430 – Literacy Technology (3)</li> <li>ISTA 263 – Learning in the Information Age (3)</li> <li>AED 437 – Methods of Facilitating Learning (3)</li> <li>AED 460 – Instructional Material Development (3)</li> <li>AED 462 – Curriculum Development (3)</li> </ul>
Internship (Provide description)	Optional Internship in Digital Learning unit at UA or with corporate partner
Additional requirements (Provide description)	Complete and submit an online learner experience module in at least one course.
Any double dipping restrictions	Minor coursework may be double dip with another major and minor courses.

#### Learning Outcomes and Curriculum Map:

#### Learning Outcome #1:

Students will be able to describe and apply the andragogical/pedagogical practices of online learning to diverse learning contexts.

**Concepts**: The following concepts will be addressed: 1) and ragogical/pedagogical practices, 2) best practices in online education, & 3) teaching and learning in diverse learning context.

**Competencies**: The following skills will be acquired: 1) adaptability and flexibility, 2) effective communication, & 3) cultural difference in diverse workplace environments.

#### Learning Outcome #2:

Students will be able to assess and utilize the various theories and frameworks pertaining to instructional design principles, user experience and associated issues.

**Concepts**: The following concepts will be addressed: 1) instructional design principles, 2) universal design for learning (UDL) with user experience (UX), & 3) learning theories applied to online education.

**Competencies**: The following skills will be acquired: 1) design and assessment of learning objectives, 2) development and design of multimodal learning environments, & 3) user research and personal development.

Learning Outcome #3:

Students will be able to design, facilitate and assess an online course experience with the latest instructional technologies.

**Concepts:** The following concepts will be addressed: 1) technology integration into online learning, 2) learning engagement strategies, & 3) accessibility, security, privacy, copyright, and intellectual property.

**Competencies:** The following skills will be acquired: 1) technology proficiency, 2) assessment and evaluation of technology tools, & 3) data analysis and continuous improvement.

Learning Outcome #4:

Students will be able to analyze the innovations, challenges, and opportunities that digital environments pose in diverse learning contexts.

**Concepts:** The following concepts will be addressed: 1) Innovative instructional strategies for online environments, 2) Digital literacy and citizenship for both educators and learners, & 3) Data and learning analytics.

**Competencies:** The following skills will be acquired: 1) creating an inclusive, accessible learning environment, 2) Critical analysis of innovations, challenges, and opportunities in digital environments, & 3) Global and ethical considerations for online environments.

Curriculum Map: Which courses in the emphasis connect to these learning outcomes? Use the table below to provide the information, Key: "I" = Introduced; "R" = reinforced and opportunity to practice; "M" = mastery at the senior or exit level; "A" = assessment evidence collected for program-level decision making

	L01 – describe and apply the andragogical and pedagogical practices of online learning to diverse learning contexts.	LO2 - assess and utilize the various theories and frameworks pertaining to instructional design principles, user experience and associate issues.	LO3 - design, facilitate and assess an online course experience with the latest instructional technologies.	LO 4 - analyze the innovations, challenges, and opportunities that digital environments pose in diverse learning contexts.
TLS 253	I	I	I	I
TLS 454	R & M	R & M	R & M	R & M
TLS 455	R	R & M	R	R & M
TLS 456	R & M	R	М	R
TLS 318	R	R	R & M	R & M
TLS 444	R & M	R & M	R & M	R & M
TLS 448	R	R	R	R
ESOC 211	R	R & M	R & M	R
ESOC 319	R	R	R & M	R

#### **REQUIRED SIGNATURES**

Program Director/Main Proposer (print name and title):

Program Director/Main Proposer signature: Date:

Department Head (print name and title):

Department Head's signature:

Date:

Associate/Assistant Dean (print name):

Associate/Assistant Dean's signature: Date:

Dean (print name):

Dean's signature: Date:

# For use by Curricular Affairs:

# Undergraduate:

Committee	Approval
	date
APS	
Undergraduate Council	
Undergraduate College Academic	
Administrators Council	
Faculty Senate	

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#### New Academic Program PEER COMPARISON

Program name,	Proposed UA Program	University of California	Stanford	University of Florida
degree, and institution	Minor in Teaching Online by Design	Berkeley Online Education Minor: Educating for the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century	Undergraduate Minor in Education	Undergraduate Minor in Educational Technology
Current number of		50	40	60
students enrolled				
Program	The Teaching Online by Design	Interested in a career in	The undergraduate minor	Designed to empower teaching
Description	(TOBD) minor is designed to	education or want to learn	in education is designed to	and learning in real-world
	engage and prepare students	more about teaching and	provide a substantial	situations, our <u>undergraduate</u>
	on how to design and	learning? With the Online	introduction to education	Education Technology
	facilitate online courses/	Education Minor, "Educating	through a broad-based and	minor combines technology,
	programs. This minor provides	for the 21st Century," you	focused study of education	multimedia, learning and
	a deep dive into current	can earn a certificate for a	research, theory, and	design theories with creativity
	theories and practices of	Minor in Education in just	practice. The goals of the	to help you build a unique,
	instructional design and	two summers (courses are	minor are to: develop an	high-demand skill set. Students
	teaching/learning in the field	often available during the	understanding of the core	utilize advanced technology to
	of online education. It further	academic year as well). You	issues facing educators and	gain proficiency in creating
	aims to prepare	will gain experience not just	policymakers, make	interactive and engaging
	undergraduates for careers in	learning about educational	connections to major	multimedia products. Beyond
	online education involving all	theories, but also real-word	programs of study, and	hands-on hardware and
	levels of education from K-12,	experience as teacher-	provide rigorous	software experience, the
	higher education,	mentors through our unique	preparation for graduate	education technology minor
	government, and industry.	practicum experience. Our	studies in education.	provides students with solid
	The curriculum has been	online courses explore a		pedagogical foundations,
	created by professionals from	range of topics related to key		contemporary research, and
	the field of online education	issues in education, such as		proven practices for improving
	and students will have access	digital literacy, virtual		learning and training outcomes.
	to real world situations. The	learning environments, and		
	courses are taught by experts	global education.		At the completion of the minor,
	with professional instructional			students will have created a
				web portfolio showcasing their

	design backgrounds and online teaching experience. Students will learn broad knowledge and skills necessary to move into entry level positions in various online educational settings.			mastery in designing, developing, and utilizing a variety of interactive multimedia products and technology to enhance learning effectiveness.
Target Careers	The Teaching Online by Design minor is designed for both experienced educators and those interested in entering the field of online teaching and learning including: K-12 teachers Vocational and community college instructors College and university professors Doctors, nurses, and other health educators involved in patient education, continuing education or in-service education, community health education professionals, or academic healthcare educators K-16 curriculum consultants, professional development staff, technology coordinators, and distance education leaders Continuing education facilitators and trainers in professional associations, nonprofit organizations, business, government, and military interested in teaching	Working with (1) K-12 youth or peers; (2) conducting guided research; (3) working in an education- providing institution; and (4) course assistance in a university class.	Working in the field of: (1) teaching and learning (2) educational research; (3) educational policy; and (4) educational technology	This program is designed for future professionals who are seeking a career in educational institutions, or in business, corporate or industry settings. Possible employment opportunities include but are not limited to: media specialist, instructional designer, technology trainer, media or web developer, or eLearning consultant.

Minimum # of units	online and blended courses, or using web-based components to enhance face- to-face instruction. 18 (6 courses)	18 (6 courses)	20-30 (6 courses)	15 (5 courses)
required Special Requirement	Undergraduate: Students must complete one core course, two foundational courses and three electives. Graduate: Students must complete one core course and two electives.	To receive a certificate for a Minor in Education, individuals must complete one required course (EDUC W190); three electives; plus, three units of practicum experiences. If you choose not to complete the entire certificate program, you are welcome to enroll in individual courses.	Coursework must be approved by the minor director and meet the following criteria: courses must be taken for a minimum of 3 units each; a 3.0 GPA must be maintained for all minor courses; all courses must be taken for a letter grade; courses used to fulfill the minor requirements may not be used to fulfill any other department degree requirements (major or minor).	Apply for the minor after earning 45 credits and before earning 100 credits. Minimum 2.0 GPA is required. All 3000 and 4000 level courses in the minor must be taken at UF. Obtain college approval on the <u>application for</u> <u>minor</u> before submitting the form to <u>studenthelp@coe.ufl.edu</u> .
	TLS 253 - Teaching Online by Design (3) (NEW) TLS 454/554 - Instructional Design: from K-12 to Higher Education to Industry (3) (NEW) TLS 455/555- Universal Design for Learning (UDL) meets User Experience (UX) (3) (NEW)	EDUC W190 Critical Issues in Education EDUC W140A The Art of Making Meaning EDUC W141 Exploring Digital Pedagogy EDUC W142 Education in a Global World	EDUC 101 Introduction to Teaching and Learning EDUC 230 Learning Experience Design EDUC 281 Technology for Learners EDUC 328 Topics in Learning and Technology	EME 2040 Introduction to Educational Technology EME 3319 Design and Development of Educational Multimedia EME 3813 Technology- Enhanced Learning Environments

	TLS 456/556 - Student Engagement in Online Learning Environments (3) (NEW) TLS 318 – Teaching and Learning with New Technologies TLS 444 - Designing Instruction for Online & Hybrid Teaching Environments TLS 448 – Educational Video ESOC 211 – Collaborating in Online Communities ESOC 319 – Instructional Technologies Electives: TLS 333 – Digital Multimodal Composing in Educational Context TLS 430 – Literacy Technology ISTA 263 – Learning in the Information Age AED 437 – Methods of Facilitating Learning AED 460 – Instructional Material Development AED 462 – Curriculum Development	EDUC W153 Research in Education: Studying Educational Inequality and Possibility EDUC W161 Digital Learning Environments	EDUC 366: Learning in Formal and Informal Environments EDUC 398 Core Mechanics for Learning	EME 4673 Introduction to Instructional Design EME 4320 Instructional Development for Teaching and Learning
Internship, practicum, or	Optional	Practicum	None	None

applied/experiential		
requirements?		
If yes, describe.		

Additional questions:

1. How does the proposed program align with peer programs? Briefly summarize the similarities between the proposed program and peers, which could include curriculum, overall themes, faculty expertise, intended audience, etc.

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2. How does the proposed program stand out or differ from peer programs? Briefly summarize the differences between the proposed program and peers, which could include curriculum, overall themes, faculty expertise, intended audience, etc.

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Another major difference is the alignment with our university in-house instructional design team. We will be exposing students to real world work situations and professionals. Our instructional design team will be teaching these courses and mentoring students. We will weave into the curriculum other working professionals for to students gain knowledge and experience in the working environment of online learning.

3. How do these differences make this program more applicable to the target student population and/or a better fit for the University of Arizona?

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# THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

BUDGET PROJECTION FORM

Budget Contact Person:			Projected		
Budget Contact Person:	<b>1st Year</b> 2022 - 202		<b>2nd Year</b> 2023 - 2024		<b>rd Year</b> 24 - 2025
METRICS					
Net increase in annual college enrollment UG - minors only		25	50		75
Net increase in college SCH UG		225	450		675
Net increase in annual college enrollment Grad - minor only		25	50		75
Net increase in college SCH Grad		225	450		675
Number of enrollments being charged a Program Fee		-			
New Sponsored Activity (MTDC)		-			
Number of Faculty FTE					
FUNDING SOURCES					
Continuing Sources					
UG RCM Revenue (net of cost allocation)	34	,236	68,472		102,707
Grad RCM Revenue (net of cost allocation)		,236	68,472		102,707
Program Fee RCM Revenue (net of cost allocation)		·			· ·
F and A Revenues (net of cost allocations)					
UA Online Revenues					
Distance Learning Revenues					
Reallocation from existing College funds (attach description)					
Other Items (attach description)					
Total Continuing	\$ 68,	472	\$ 136,944	\$	205,414
One-time Sources					
College fund balances					
Institutional Strategic Investment					
Gift Funding					
Other Items (attach description)			ć	ć	
Total One-time	\$	-	\$-	\$	-
TOTAL SOURCES	\$ 68,	472	\$ 136,944	\$	205,414
EXPENDITURE ITEMS					
Continuing Expenditures					
Faculty .25 FTE at \$60,000	15,	000	30,000		30,000
Other Personnel - 4 instructors at \$3,500 each	14,	000	14,000		14,000
Employee Related Expense					
Graduate Assistantships					
Other Graduate Aid					
Operations (materials, supplies, phones, etc.)					
Additional Space Cost					
Other Items (attach description)					
Total Continuing	\$ 29,	000 3	\$ 44,000	\$	44,000
One-time Expenditures					
Construction or Renovation					
Start-up Equipment					
Replace Equipment					
Library Resources					
Other Items (attach description)					
Total One-time	\$	-	\$-	\$	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 29,	000	\$ 44,000	\$	44,000
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Net Projected Fiscal Effect	\$ 39,	472	\$ 92,944	\$	161,41



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July 31, 2023

Melody J Buckner, Ph.D. Associate Vice Provost for Digital Learning and Online Initiatives University Center for Assessment, Teaching, and Technology (UCATT) MP Integrated Learning Center, 103 PO Box 210070 | Tucson, AZ 85721

Dear Dr. Buckner,

I am happy to support the new proposed program, Teaching Online by Design, a program that is complementary to the iSchool's programs and courses. Our leadership team here in the iSchool is in full support of your using any existing courses we offer to help round out the choices for students. We are also quite enthusiastic about working with you and are so pleased to see you launching such an exciting opportunity for students here at the University of Arizona.

Sincerely,

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Dr. Catherine Brooks iSchool Interim Dean and Professor