



GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN TEACHING AND LEARNING IN POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Graduate Certificate in Teaching and Learning is an online professional development program for current educators and practitioners from a variety of professional settings and disciplines. The course offerings facilitate comprehensive understanding of the social and cultural contexts encountered by adult learners. In addition, participants develop knowledge and skills necessary for planning, facilitating, and leading educational programs.

REQUIREMENTS

To fulfill the requirements of this graduate certificate, students must complete a minimum of 9 credit hours (3 courses). All courses associated with the Graduate Certificate in Teaching and Learning are offered in a fully online format. Students may select from the following courses in any sequence:

- EAD 861: Adult Learning
- EAD 860: Concepts of a Learning Society
- EAD 863: Training & Professional Development
- EAD 866: Teaching in Postsecondary Education
- EAD 871: College Contexts of Teaching & Learning
- EAD 877: Program Planning & Evaluation
- EAD 878: Education in the Digital Age

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Current MSU Graduate Students

- Complete and submit an Intent to Enroll form available on the program website
- Access the form: <https://tinyurl.com/HALeenrollform>

2. Non MSU Graduate Students

- Complete the online MSU graduate application
- Submit personal statement, resume, and official transcripts form each college or university
- Apply through the graduate school: <https://grad.msu.edu/apply>

3. Application Deadline

- August 1 (Fall start)
- December 1 (Spring start)
- April 1 (Summer start)



OUTCOMES

- Be more reflective and effective teachers in postsecondary education
- Understand the values, beliefs and contexts that inform different approaches to adult learning and development
- Gain knowledge of teaching and learning strategies that are most appropriate in various contexts
- Articulate the values, beliefs, experiences and ideas that shape one's philosophical/theoretical approach to teaching and learning
- Develop skill in the systematic planning, design and development of educational and training programs for postsecondary education contexts

LEARN MORE

For more information about our program, to schedule a visit, or to speak with a current student about their experience, please contact us at haleadm@msu.edu or 517-353-5187

Visit the certificate home page to learn more: <https://education.msu.edu/ead/hale/certificate/>

