LEARNING DESIGN & LEADERSHIP

Learning Design & Leadership (LDL) provides educators and training/learning development professionals the opportunity to learn how to create more engaging learning environments by integrating new media technologies.

A degree in Education Policy, Organization & Leadership with a concentration in LEARNING DESIGN & LEADERSHIP prepares you to:

• Understand the ways in which students can be active designers of their own knowledge.
• Develop skills in new digital media to enhance the ways students learn and improve the learning process.
• Succeed as educators in PK-16 and training/learning development industries and organizations around the world.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
Learning Design & Leadership offers a number of areas of study designed to meet the needs of educators in public and private classrooms and workplaces, including: teachers, instructional designers, educational technology analysts, eLearning consultants, and online learning designers and developers.

ACCREDITATION
The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is a fully accredited university by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

APPLICATION DEADLINES
CERTIFICATE, MASTER’S DEGREE AND DOCTORAL PROGRAMS: View website for upcoming application deadlines
Application deadlines education.illinois.edu/programs/grad/deadlines

TERMS & COURSE LENGTHS
FALL/SPRING: 8-week courses
SUMMER: 6-week courses

FORMAT
ONLINE: Synchronously with instructor along with asynchronous forum posting

KEY FEATURES
100% faculty-taught
Competitive tuition rates
Access to the largest public university library in the United States

LEARNING DESIGN & LEADERSHIP (LDL) GENERAL
Provides educators and training/learning development professionals the opportunity to learn how to create more engaging learning environments by integrating new media technologies. Students learn to be active designers of their own knowledge.

CERTIFICATE: 3 courses
MASTER’S DEGREE: 8 courses
DOCTORAL DEGREE: 64 credit hours plus additional degree requirements

LDL: FOUNDATIONS OF ELEARNING IN HIGHER EDUCATION
Enables the understanding of the design, development, evaluation and management of eLearning programs and systems across organizations while utilizing immersive learning technology.

CERTIFICATE: 3 courses
MASTER’S DEGREE: 8 courses
DOCTORAL DEGREE: 64 credit hours plus additional degree requirements

LDL: NEW LEARNING
Helps teachers (PK-12) learn to create more engaging learning environments for their students by integrating new media and technologies into the classroom. Courses focus on ways in which students use new digital media to enhance learning.

CERTIFICATE: 3 courses
MASTER’S DEGREE: 8 courses
DOCTORAL DEGREE: 16 courses

LDL: TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST
Prepares educators to better understand technology and how to use it in their classroom or workplace. Learn about emerging technologies and their implications on teaching and learning.

CERTIFICATE: 3 courses
ENDORSEMENT: 6 courses
MASTER’S DEGREE: 8 courses
DOCTORAL DEGREE: 64 credit hours plus additional degree requirements

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The College of Education at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is a global leader in education and research, attracting the best students from across the U.S. and around the world. As a top-ranked institution, our breakthrough research addresses many of today’s educational challenges. We develop, test, and apply new pedagogies and assessment practices that improve learner performance—supporting traditional, blended, and online learning.

WORLD-CLASS FACULTY
Education at Illinois faculty are experts in the fields of literacy, diversity and equity, education policy, digital ecologies, social identity, higher education, and human resource development. Faculty support and collaborate with students to address the most critical issues in education.

AFFECTING CHANGE
Our reputation for producing scholarship that impacts education means that we drive economic, social, and technological changes. Each of our graduates participates in this legacy as they join our 34,000+ alumni and become the next generation of educational leaders.