## SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY SUMMER SEMESTER 2004

# EDUC 422-4 LEARNING DISABILITIES (D01.00)

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### THURSDAYS 13:00-16:50 in EDB 8620F

PREREQUISITE: 60 credit hours & EDUC 220 (corequisite).

### **Objectives:**

Education 422 is a theory-based course that is complimentary to Education 424, the practical lab-based course on children with learning disabilities. In Education 422, students will be introduced to the theoretical issues and foundations of the field of learning disabilities. Issues that will be discussed include: The concept of learning disabilities, the causes of learning disabilities, academic and social development of children with learning disabilities and the curricular and social environments that assist children with learning disabilities.

#### **Course assignments:**

Peer responses/discussion activities	10
Annotated references activity	10
Paper outline	10
Paper	20
Midterm	25
Final	25

#### Textbook

Smith, Corinne Roth (2004) Learning Disabilities: The Interaction of Students and their Environments. Boston MA: Allyn and Bacon.

Courseware: Available from the SFU bookstore.

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