

Education 361-4 Contemporary Issues and New Developments in Teaching

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SUMMER SESSION 1983

INSTRUCTOR: Louis Rubin

Tuesday and Thursday 1:00 - 4:50

LOCATION: on campus

The course provides the student with an opportunity to review recent research findings in teaching, and to consider their practical implementation. In addition, time is devoted to as yet unresolved issues such as teaching and learning styles, individualization, and alternative approaches to grading. Students will become familiar with the arguments relating to mastery teaching, time-on-task, direct instruction, and various approaches to student motivation. Finally, the course will consider artistic aspects of teaching, the relationship between teaching and theatre, and the concept of teaching as a performing art. Specific attention is given to ways of translating theory into practice.

RECOMMENDED TEXT:

Rubin, Louis (ed.). Curriculum Handbook. Allyn & Bacon, 1977.