

Educ. 471-4 Curriculum Development: Theory and Practice

INTERSESSION 1982

INSTRUCTOR: Dr. David Hopkins

Monday & Wednesday 5:30 - 9:20

LOCATION: on campus

The course will assist the student:

- to develop competencies related to curriculum development, evaluation and implementation;
- to gain theoretical and practical understanding of curriculum and its implication for education and society;
- to develop curriculum related to his/her own subject area age group and professional needs; and
- to internalize a model of self-education applicable to both institutional and non-institutional settings and life long learning.

These goals will be developed through the following activities:

- class presentations and workshops;
- individual and group negotiated contracts on competencies related to curriculum development;
- critical discussion of related readings; and
- consultations with community resources, experts in the field and other members of the teaching profession.

Requirements for the course will be met through contracts, negotiated with the instructor, which focus on the acquisition of competencies relevant to curriculum development. These negotiated contracts will also form the basis of the letter grade assigned at the end of the course.

TEXTBOOKS FOR THE COURSE:

Eisner, Elliot W. The Educational Imagination. Collier Macmillan, 1979.

Stenhouse, Lawrence. An Introduction of Curriculum Research and Development. London: Heinemann Books Ltd., 1975.

In addition a charge will have to be levied for the large amount of print materials supplied by the instructor for the course.

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