**COLLEGE TEACHING - GRADUATE CERTIFICATE**

College of Education, Health and Human Services  
School of Foundations, Leadership and Administration  
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Kent Campus  
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**Description**

The College Teaching graduate certificate enhances teaching competencies at the post-secondary level. It is particularly appropriate for graduate students from any discipline interested in a career in college teaching, but also for adjunct and full-time faculty who are currently engaged in a career in academia.

Students may select from a variety of courses that emphasize the knowledge and practice of college teaching and the organizational culture of postsecondary education institutions. The certificate includes an internship in college teaching and offers students flexibility with courses available online, face-to-face and hybrid, and may be completed fully online if desired.

Additionally, students in the certificate program are encouraged to take effective teaching courses offered within their discipline specialty as part of the certificate requirements. This certificate program is grounded in the latest educational research of best practices in college teaching, and is designed to offer and/or enhance teaching and learning experiences.

**Fully Offered At:**
- Online
- Kent Campus

**Admission Requirements**

- Official transcript(s)
- Bachelor’s degree
- Minimum 3.000 undergraduate GPA
- Goal statement
- Two letters of recommendation
- Résumé or vita

For more information about graduate admission, please visit the Graduate Studies website.

**Gainful Employment Disclosure**

Disclosure statement for this certificate.

**Program Requirements**

**Certificate Requirements**

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Minimum Total Credit Hours: 15

1 Internship may be waived pending faculty approval. Students will complete the minimum credit hours toward certificate completion by taking more elective courses.

**Graduation Requirements**

**Minimum Certificate GPA**

3.000

- Students declared in a doctoral degree should enroll in the doctoral level version of these courses, if offered.

1 Post-baccalaureate work will be taken into consideration when interpreting GPA for admission.