

University of West Georgia

Degree: Ed.S. in Instructional Technology, Media, and Design (27 hours)

Concentration: Instructional Technology

Track: Certification

Entry Degree: Master's

Entry Certification for Georgia Educators: Induction or Professional Certificate in any field

Exit Degree: Ed.S. Instructional Technology, Media, and Design (27 hrs required)

Potential Exit Certification for Georgia Educators: S-6 Instructional Technology

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| Student Name: | Student 917#: |
| Student Email: | Student Phone: |
| Student GaPSC Certification ID# (put "n/a" if not applicable): | Student Professional Role (put "n/a" if not applicable): |
| GaPSC Certification Field(s) You Hold (or put "n/a"): | Advisor Name: |

Ed.S. in Instructional Technology, Media, and Design (IT Cert. Sequence)

| Course Prefix and Number | Course Title | Credit hours | Semester | Grade |
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| Instructional Technology Required Courses (12 hours) | | | | |
| MEDT 8463 | Issues in Instructional Technology | 3 | | |
| MEDT 8461 | Diffusion of Innovations | 3 | | |
| MEDT 8465 | Human Performance Improvement | 3 | | |
| MEDT 8462 | Leading and Managing Instructional Technology Programs | 3 | | |
| MEDT 8466 | Comprehensive Exam for Ed.S. Media IT (Taken last semester of program) | 0 | | |
| IT Certification (9 hours) | | | | |
| MEDT 7464 | Designing Technology-Enhanced Instruction | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7490 | Visual and Media Literacy for Teaching and Learning | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7476 | Assessing Learning in Technology-Enhanced Instruction (not offered in summers) (Prerequisite: MEDT 7464 or MEDT 7461, effective Spring 2022) | 3 | | |
| Electives (6 hours) | | | | |
| Online Teaching Endorsement or Online Teaching Certificate Elective Courses (9 hours) | | | | |
| MEDT 7472 | Introduction to Distance Learning (Prerequisite: MEDT 7461 or MEDT 7464) | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7491 | Implementation, Assessment, and Evaluation of Online Learning (Prerequisite: MEDT 7472) (not offered in summers) | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7492 | Leadership and Administration of Online Learning and e-Learning (Prerequisite: MEDT 7472) | 3 | | |
| Additional Electives | | | | |
| MEDT 7461 | Instructional Technology, Media, and Design | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7462 | Internet Tools, Resources, and Issues in Education | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7466 | Digital Photography in Instruction | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7467 | Web Design for Instruction | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7468 | Instructional Multimedia Design & Development | 3 | | |

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| MEDT 7470 | Digital Media Production & Utilization | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7473 | Advanced Multimedia | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7479 | Digital Game Based Learning | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7480 | Global Learning and Collaboration with Technology | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7485 | Special Topics (with advisor approval) | 3 | | |
| MEDT 7499 | Methods & Strategies for CT-integrated Learning | 3 | | |
| CEPD 8102 | Lifespan Human Development | 3 | | |
| | Others to be approved by advisor | 3 | | |

Notes:

1. The Instructional Technology Certification courses (e.g., MEDT 7464, MEDT 7476, and MEDT 7490) are required courses for Instructional Technology Certification through the Georgia Professional Standards Commission (GaPSC).
2. Students must pass the GACE Content Assessments for IT if they seek certification.
3. Induction or Professional certificate upon admission required for eligibility for Instructional Technology certification and Online Teaching Endorsement.
4. Students cannot repeat courses from a previous degree program for credit towards this degree.
5. The Online Teaching Endorsement and the Online Teaching Certificate are two program options that require the same courses but are tailored to two distinct audiences. The endorsement is designed for students who hold a current Five-Year Induction or Professional certificate at level 4 or higher, in accordance with the requirements of the Georgia Professional Standards Commission. The certificate is designed for students working in non-K-12 environments (i.e., higher education, industry, military) who wish to improve their online design and facilitation competencies. Students can begin this endorsement/certificate program with their elective courses.
6. The Online Teaching Endorsement and the Online Teaching Certificate courses include prerequisite requirements.
7. The courses MEDT 7476 and MEDT 7491 are not offered in summer semesters.
8. To graduate, students must hold a minimum of a "B" average (i.e., 3.0).
9. Upon acceptance into program, you are directed to carefully read the [Orientation Guide](#) and set up this Program Sheet. Maintain and update your program sheet regularly, and ask your academic advisors for input as needed. While it is your responsibility to know what classes to take, your academic advisor is here to help. Email them as needed with questions or concerns, and attach an up-to-date copy of your program sheet to aid communication.

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Ed.S. Course Sequences for IT Certification Track

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|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Fall Start | Fall - Year 1 | Spring - Year 2 | Summer - Year 2 | | |
| | MEDT 8463 | MEDT 8461 | MEDT 8465 | | |
| | MEDT 7464 | MEDT 7490 | Elective Course | | |
| | Fall - Year 2 | Spring - Year 3 | | | |
| | MEDT 8462 | MEDT 8466 | | | |
| | MEDT 7476 | Elective Course | | | |
| Spring Start | | Spring - Year 1 | Summer - Year 1 | Fall - Year 1 | |
| | | MEDT 8463 | MEDT 8461 | MEDT 8465 | |
| | | MEDT 7464 | MEDT 7490 | MEDT 7476 | |
| | | Spring - Year 2 | Summer - Year 2 | | |
| | MEDT 8462 | MEDT 8466 | | | |
| | Elective Course | Elective Course | | | |
| Summer Start | | | Summer - Year 1 | Fall - Year 1 | Spring - Year 2 |
| | | | MEDT 8463 | MEDT 8461 | MEDT 8465 |
| | | | MEDT 7464 | MEDT 7490 | MEDT 7476 |
| | | | Summer - Year 2 | Fall - Year 2 | |
| | | MEDT 8462 | MEDT 8466 | | |
| | | Elective Course | Elective Course | | |

Additional Options

Students can use this table to indicate which of the following programs they wish to include in the Ed.S.

| Seeking the Following in Ed.S. | Yes | No |
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| IT Certification (A Georgia Professional Standards Commission certification for K-12 certified educators such as teachers and school librarians) | | |
| Online Teaching Endorsement/Certificate (A Georgia Professional Standards Commission endorsement for K-12 certified educators such as teachers and school librarians) | | |

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Ed.S. in Instructional Technology, Media, and Design (**General Track Sequence**)

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Notes:

1. This program is designed for students who already possess Instructional Technology Certification from the Georgia Professional Standards Commission or are not anticipating pursuing this additional certification field. If you are pursuing adding Instructional Technology as a S field to your Georgia Professional Certificate, then you should be in the Certification track.
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Ed.S. Course Sequences for General Track

| 1st Semester | 2nd Semester | 3rd Semester | 4th Semester | 5th Semester |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| MEDT 8463 | MEDT 8461 | MEDT 8465 | MEDT 8462 | MEDT 8466 |
| Elective Course | Elective Course | Elective Course | Elective Course | Elective Course |

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