Official Degree Name: Learning & Developmental Sciences (masters)

Official Sub-Plan Name: Learning Sciences Specialization

Overview of degree:

Summary paragraphs of degree and general overview of requirements

Take a science-based approach to education in a discipline that welcomes people with backgrounds in psychology, sociology, computer science, mathematics, and anthropology, as well as education.

In the Learning Sciences program, you’ll assess learning environments and create environments which include digital media, games, and other technologies. Join our research team and investigate use of technology to help people learn in formal settings, such as K-12 schools and universities, as well as informal environments, such as after-school and museum education programs.

This 36-credit hour degree program prepares you for a career as an educational consultant or researcher, among many other possibilities.

Degree Requirements:

Learning Sciences Core Requirements (15 credits)

List Required Courses for degree:

P572 Introduction to the Learning Sciences 3
P631 Theorizing Learning in Context 3
P632 Designing for Learning Context 3
P633 Capturing Learning in Context 3
P671 Advanced Proseminar in Learning Sciences 1

Inquiry Requirements (9 credits)

List Required Courses for degree:

Choose from the approved inquiry core classes

Philosophy, Sociology, Anthropology, History (3 credits)

Choose among any education course with an H-prefix

Curriculum and Instructions (3 credits)

Choose among any education course with a J-prefix
Elective Requirements (6-12 credits)

List Required Courses for degree:

Electives may be taken in fields inside or outside the School of Education that are outside the Learning and Developmental Sciences. Students may take electives in any area of interest to complement their program of study. Electives taken must bring the total to 36 credit hours and must contribute to the integrity of the student’s program.