

# Master of Arts Adult and Community Education Instructional Design and Technology-PrgRsv-2016-09-09

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<p><b>Program Revision Options (Check all that apply)</b></p> <p>Catalog Description Change          Program Revision          Program Title Change</p> <p><i>* Teacher Education: Please complete the Teacher Education section of this form (below)</i></p> <p><i>* Liberal Studies: Please complete the Liberal Studies section of this form (below)</i></p>
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<b>Rationale for Proposed Changes</b>
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**(A) Why is the program being revised?\***

Rationale for proposed changes:

The Adult Education and Communications Technology (AECT) Track began in 1995 as a partnership between the departments of Adult and Community Education and Communications Media. The combination of the two disciplines created a unique program in which students were prepared for careers in instructional design, training, and adult education. The intention from the beginning was that AECT was developed to be an instructional design program. The name chosen in 1995 predated the now industry-standard terminology of instructional design. The name change to Instructional Design and Technology identifies the track in a way that professionals in the field will be able to relate it.

The AECT program is being revised for four reasons.

First, in the spring of 2016, the Department of Communications Media announced they were no longer interested in continuing the partnership with ACE to deliver the AECT track. Their personnel and priorities had changed and they no longer had the resources or commitment to continue with the AECT program.

Second, the AECT program has been very successful over the years. The program enjoys a good reputation among employers and graduates have been able to secure work in the field. The market continues to be strong for masters level instructional design programs and IUP and ACE are positioned to continue to fill this need regionally and nationally through a blended program in Instructional Design and Technology.

Third, the addition of two new faculty members in ACE allows the department to offer this track without Communications Media. Dr. Lucinda Willis, who has a background in instructional design and technology joined the ACE department in 2014 and Dr. Jacqueline McGinty, with a background in adult education and instructional design joined the ACE department in the fall, 2016.

Fourth, it is proposed that the revised track be offered in a blended format based in Monroeville with the idea that this will attract working professionals in instructional design and training. There is a large population of instructional designers in private industry and educational institutions in the greater Pittsburgh area and western Pennsylvania who would avail themselves of a blended master's program for professional and career advancement.

<p><b>(B) Identify the Program Student Learning Outcomes</b></p> <p><b>(SLO). Mark any SLOs that are changing as a part of the Program Revision.*</b></p>	<p>Note: The student learning outcomes for the proposed Instructional Design and Technology Track are primarily the same as the outcomes from the current Adult Education and Communications Technology track. Some of the outcomes have been reworded to reflect terminology in instructional design, distance education, and the increased emphasis on instructional technology.</p> <p>The purpose of the program is to help students acquire knowledge and skills in theory and research in instructional design, training, adult education, and in the applications of current and emerging instructional technologies in education and training. Upon completion of the program, students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Design education and training programs for a variety of settings and learners, including developing goals and objectives, developing learning activities, and conducting learner assessment. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Employ instructional systems design processes, including developing goals and objectives, developing learning activities and conducting learner assessment.)</li> <li>2. Apply adult development and learning theory to the design and implementation of training and educational programs. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Understand and apply adult development and learning theory to the design and implementation of training and educational programs)</li> <li>3. Plan educational and training programs which incorporate the use of educational technology, needs assessment, and program evaluation. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Develop educational programs that incorporate the use of educational technology, needs assessment and program evaluation.)</li> <li>4. Analyze the importance of leadership and management skills in the planning, conducting, and evaluation of instructional design and education and training programs. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Understand the importance of leadership and management skills in an organizational context.)</li> <li>5. Create effective learning events employing distance education pedagogy. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Demonstrate skills for teaching adults in face-to-face settings.)</li> <li>6. Critically analyze the literature in instructional design and technology using knowledge of research methods. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Demonstrate knowledge and skills in use of research methods.)</li> <li>7. Apply instructional technology to develop effective learning modules. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Demonstrate knowledge and skills in use of multimedia production.)</li> <li>8. Select, design, produce, and evaluate instructional technology for education and training programs. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Select, design, produce and evaluate technology and media for education and training of adults.)</li> <li>9. Apply principles of ethics as they relate to the use of media and technology instructional design and education and training programs. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Understand and apply principles of ethics as they relate to the use of media and technology.)</li> <li>10. Integrate technology with the teaching and training of learners. (Same as AECT outcome.)</li> <li>11. Obtain practical experience in the design, development, implementation, and evaluation of technology and adult learning. (Reworded from the AECT outcome: Obtain practical experience in the design, development, utilization and evaluation of technology within adult learning.)</li> </ol>
<p><b>(C) Implications of the change on the program, other programs and the Students:*</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Program: It is anticipated that these changes will increase the attractiveness of the track to potential students working in the fields of instructional design and training and increase student satisfaction with the program, and therefore improve student recruitment and retention. No detrimental effects on the program or curriculum are anticipated.</li> <li>2. Other Programs: There are no implications for other programs.</li> <li>3. Current Students: It is anticipated that the new IDT track will be offered beginning with the 2017-2018 academic year. Most students currently enrolled in the AECT track will have completed the program by August, 2017. The few students who do not complete by that date will be accommodated so that their academic progress is not impeded. Course substitutions or individualized study may be used to accommodate these students. This will be decided on an individual basis with faculty advising.</li> </ol>

<p><b>Current Program Information</b></p>	<p><b>Proposed Changes</b></p>
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<p><b>(D) C u r r e n t P r o g r a m T i t l e*</b></p>	<p>Master of Arts in Adult and Community Education Track in Adult Education and Communications Technology</p>	<p><b>P r o p o s e d P r o g r a m T i t l e</b></p>	<p>Master of Arts in Adult and Community Education Track in Instructional Design and Technology</p>
<p><b>(E) C u r r e n t N a r r a t i v e  C a t a l o g D e s c r i p t i o n</b></p>	<p>UG Course Catalog: <a href="http://www.iup.edu/registrar/catalog/">http://www.iup.edu/registrar/catalog/</a> Grad Course Catalog: <a href="http://www.iup.edu/graduatestudies/catalog/">http://www.iup.edu/graduatestudies/catalog/</a></p> <p>Adult education is a fast-growing field which encompasses the development, delivery, and evaluation of education programs in a broad variety of settings, including business and industry, community colleges, health care, community and social agencies, higher education, corrections, and vocational education. Communications Technology is the application of current and emerging technologies to enhance and supplement the delivery of educational and informational programs. The combination of the theory and research from Adult Education and the knowledge and skills in the use of technology from Communications Technology will place graduates of the program in an advantageous position in the labor market.</p> <p>Graduates are competitive for such employment opportunities as human resources developers in business and industry; production positions in education, business, and government; public relations positions in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors; entrepreneurs in the rapidly developing market of external program delivery to government, business, and education; and a variety of other jobs which involve the delivery of education and training and the use of technology.</p> <p><i>If c o p y i n g p a s t i n g f r o m c u r r e n t</i></p>	<p><b>P r o p o s e d N a r r a t i v e  C a t a l o g D e s c r i p t i o n</b></p>	<p>The Master of Arts in Adult and Community Education track in Instructional Design and Technology (IDT) prepares students for employment in instructional design, instructional technology, training, and education careers. Graduates work in education, business and industry, health care, community agencies, government, the military, and many other settings. Students are encouraged to relate theory to practice in their specific areas of professional interest. The IDT program offers a balance of academic preparation, practical field experience, and individual research</p> <p><i>(if c h a n g i n g)</i></p>

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<p><b>(F) C u r r e n t P r o g r a m  R e q u i r e m e n t s</b></p>	<p>The current Adult Education and Communication Technology track is offered as a classroom based program and consists of 36 credit hours including:</p> <p>ACE 621, The Adult Learner</p> <p>ACE 622, Program Planning in ACE</p> <p>ACE 623, Organizational leadership in ACE</p> <p>ACE 625, Teaching Adults</p> <p>COMM 600, Instructional Design and Development</p> <p>COMM 601, Production Technology</p> <p>COMM 614, Instructional Computing Basics</p> <p>COMM 631, Interactive Multimedia</p> <p>ACE 750, Seminar in Technology and Adult Learning</p> <p>GSR 615, Elements of Research</p> <p>Option A: Six credit hours of COMM 698, Internship;</p> <p>Option B: Six credit hours of electives;</p> <p>Option C: Three credit hours of COMM 698 and 3 credit hours of electives;</p> <p>Option D: ACE/COMM 795, Thesis, and 3 credit hours of internship or electives.</p>	<p><b>P r o p o s e d P r o g r a m  R e q u i r e m e n t s</b></p> <p><i>(if c h a n g i n g, pl e a s e h i g h l i g h t</i></p> <p><i>in R E D w h a t i s b e i n g c h a n g e d)</i></p>	<p>The proposed IDT track will be offered as a blended program and will consist of 36 credit hours including:</p> <p>ACE 600, Introduction to Instructional Design (new course and distance education)</p> <p>ACE 610, Learning Management Systems (new course and distance education)</p> <p>ACE 617, Distance Education Technology (new course and distance education)</p> <p>ACE 621, The Adult Learner (no change from AECT track)</p> <p>ACE 622, Program and Project Planning (title change only)</p> <p>ACE 623, Organizational Leadership in ACE (no change from AECT track)</p> <p>ACE 630, Distance Education Pedagogy (new course and distance education)</p> <p>ACE 700, Advanced Instructional Design (new course and distance education)</p> <p>ACE 744, Program and Project Evaluation (new course and distance education)</p> <p>BTED 675, Web Design: Theory and Applications (distance education proposal)</p> <p>GSR 615, Elements of Research (no change from AECT track)</p> <p>Option A: Three Credits of ACE 698, Internship;</p> <p>Option B: Three credit hours of electives;</p> <p>Option C: ACE 795, Thesis.</p> <p>Culminating Activity: Portfolio</p>

<b>(G) Supporting Documents*</b>	Are you making a major change?				
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## Liberal Studies Section

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Liberal Studies Course Designations (Check all that apply)	
Learning Skills:	
Knowledge Area:	
<b>Liberal Studies Elective</b>	<i>Please mark the designation(s) that apply - must meet at least one</i>
<b>Expected Undergraduate Student Learning Outcomes (EUSLOs)</b>	<i>Describe how each Student Learning Outcome in the course enables students to become Informed Learners, Empowered Learners and/or Responsible Learners</i>  <i>See <a href="http://www.iup.edu/WorkArea/DownloadAsset.aspx?id=181694">http://www.iup.edu/WorkArea/DownloadAsset.aspx?id=181694</a></i>
<b>Description of the Required Content for this Category</b>	<i>Narrative on how the course will address the Selected Category Content</i>

**All Liberal Studies courses are required to include perspectives on cultures and have a supplemental reading.**

**Please answer the following questions.**

<b>Liberal Studies courses must include</b>  <b>the perspectives and contributions</b>  <b>of ethnic and racial minorities and</b>  <b>of women whenever appropriate to</b>  <b>the subject matter. Please explain</b>  <b>how this course will meet this</b>  <b>criterion.</b>	
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<p><b>Liberal Studies courses require the reading and use by students of at least one non-textbook work of fiction or non-fiction or a collection of related articles. Please describe how your course will meet this criterion.</b></p>	
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**Teacher Education Section**

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<p><b>If Completing this Section, Check the Box to the Right:</b></p>					
<p><b>Course Designations:</b></p>					
<p><b>Key Assessments</b></p>					
<p><b>Narrative Description of the Required Content</b></p>	<p>For both new and revised courses, please attach (see the program education coordinator):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Overall Program Assessment Matrix</li> <li>• The Key Assessment Guidelines</li> <li>• The Key Assessment Rubric</li> </ul> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; padding: 5px;">File</th> <th style="text-align: left; padding: 5px;">Modified</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">PDF File Fwd_ New Track to replace AECT.pdf</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Sep 20, 2016 by Imocek</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drag and drop to upload or <a href="#">browse for files</a> </li> </ul>	File	Modified	PDF File Fwd_ New Track to replace AECT.pdf	Sep 20, 2016 by Imocek
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