

Institutional Microcredential Courses Effective Online Teaching Practices

In collaboration with our institutional partners, ACUE offers shorter, microcredential options in effective teaching practices and effective online teaching practices. Faculty who complete all microcredentials earn the full ACUE Certificate in Effective College Instruction, endorsed by the American Council on Education (ACE). ACUE-credentialed faculty can return to complete additional microcredentials to earn an Advanced Certificate in Effective College Instruction.

Creating an Inclusive and Supportive Online Learning Environment

- ▶ Welcoming Students to Online Learning
- ▶ Promoting Civil Online Learning Environments
- ▶ Engaging Underprepared Students in Online Learning
- ▶ Helping Students Persist in Online Learning
- ▶ Embracing Diversity Online Learning
- ▶ Checking for Student Understanding in Online Learning
- ▶ Providing Useful Feedback for Online Learning



Promoting Active Learning Online

- ▶ Developing Effective Modules and Microlectures
- ▶ Teaching Powerful Note-Taking Online
- ▶ Using Groups to Ensure Active Online Learning
- ▶ Using the Active Learning Cycle in Online Courses
- ▶ Planning Effective Online Discussions
- ▶ Facilitating Engaging Online Discussions



Inspiring Inquiry and Preparing Lifelong Learning In Your Online Course

- ▶ Motivating Students Online
- ▶ Providing Clear Directions and Explanations in Online Courses
- ▶ Integrating Visualization Tools in Online Courses
- ▶ Using Data and Feedback to Improve Online Teaching
- ▶ Using Advanced Questioning in Online Courses
- ▶ Developing Self-Directed Online Learners



Designing Student-Centered Courses

- ▶ Establishing Powerful Learning Outcomes
- ▶ Aligning Assessments with Course Outcomes
- ▶ Aligning Activities and Assignments with Course Outcomes
- ▶ Developing Fair, Consistent, and Transparent Grading Practices
- ▶ Developing and Using Rubrics and Checklists
- ▶ Preparing an Effective Syllabus

