Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: EDUC-242 General Pedagogy

Department: Education

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
EDUC-242	General Pedagogy	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Spring	42	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Education	Lower Division	Greek

Course Description

Theory of education: The science of education; experimental education; methods of education; education-culture-paideia; heredity and environment; agents and objectives of education. Current educational ideas and practices. Principles of teaching. Modern teaching methods. Co-operative learning. Open education. Non graded schools.

Instructor

Dr Michalis Koutsoulis

Course Aims and Objectives

This course provides the students a critical examination of the basic concepts of pedagogical science in order to help them understand the teaching procedure and modern educational thought, so that they are in a position to deal with theoretical and practical educational problems. Students will also deal modern teaching methods.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures and practical exercises and assignments.

Course Teaching Hours

42 hours. The course is delivered during the Fall semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

Evaluation and Grading

Homework: 20% Mid-Term: 30% Final Exam: 40% Participation: 10%

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

Yianouli, N. I (1993). Teaching methodology. Athens.

Recommended Reading

Johansson, B. & Grabowski B (1999) Handbook of Individual Differences, Learning and Instruction Reigeluth C. (1999) Instructional Design Theories and Models: A new Paradigm of Instructional Theory.