

Teaching and Learning short course

Overview: The Education Development Unit (EDU) in the Department of Health Sciences Education (Faculty of Health Sciences) at UCT, invite you to attend a short course on Teaching, Learning and Assessment. The course is offered at no cost to educators responsible for teaching health sciences students at UCT. The course aims to prepare educators of health sciences students to facilitate learning, through developing their knowledge base of educational principles as well as supporting the integration of the concepts learned.

The course consists of two modules which are facilitated. Module 1, with a focus on best evidence teaching and Module 2, centres on assessment of student learning. In the first week of each module there is a compulsory contact session, there after you may choose to sign up for the topics in the remaining weeks that are most applicable to you. Participants will receive a certificate of completion at the end of the course or continuing professional development (CPD) points. To receive CPD, participants need to demonstrate activity online within the week they have registered through accessing the weekly activities which could be any of the following: articles, web pages, power points, responding to questions online, communicating with peers, creating blogs when required and participation in discussion/workshops when scheduled. A UCT certificate on completion is also available.

Module1: March – May 2023	Dates
1. Developing a lesson plan	27 – 31 March
2. Active learning and active learning strategies	3 – 7 April
3. Classroom or Workplace based teaching	10 – 14 April
4. Teaching groups	17 – 21 April
5. Giving feedback	24 – 28 April
6. Using technology for teaching and assessment	1 – 5 May



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To register for the course click: [Registration form Module 1](#) Applications close on 23/03/2023 for Module 1.

For more information on the course email or call the administrator Shaneel Nutt on shaneel.nutt@uct.ac.za or Tel: 021 650 5426

Online Assessment short course

Overview: This is a non-credit bearing continuous professional development (CPD) course which aims to provide teaching staff the opportunity to develop and improve their understanding of, and practical skills in assessment. As of 2016, this is an accredited UCT short course for which you may receive a UCT certificate on completion should you wish to do so. The overall aim of the assessment module is to critically review the range of assessment methodologies appropriate to the classroom and clinical context

Topics and dates:

Module 2: July – September 2023	Dates
1. Introduction to Assessment	31 July – 4 August
2. Formative Assessment	7 – 11 August
3. Methods of Assessment: Classroom or Workplace based	14 – 18 August
4. Developing a marking rubric	21 – 25 August
5. Validity and reliability in assessment	28 – 1 August
6. Standard setting	4 – 8 September



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To register for the course click: [Registration form Module 2](#) Applications close on 26/07/2023 for Module 2.

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