**FLORIDA ATLANTIC** UNIVERSITY

# **NEW COURSE PROPOSAL**

# **Graduate Programs**

Department Educational Leadership & Research Methodology

College College of Education
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Prefix EDA	(L = Lab Course; C = Combined Lecture/Lab; add if appropriate)	Type of Course	Course Title	
Number 7421	Lab N/A	Lecture	Introduction to Mo Leaderhip	des of Inquiry for Educational
Credits (See <u>Definition</u> of a Credit Hour)	Grading (Select One Option)	Course Descri	ption (Syllabus must	be attached; see <u>Template</u> and
3 Effective Date (TERM& YEAR) Fall 2023	Regular   Sat/UnSat	to be able to critique critical lenses .Stud genres, such as the foundational knowle	e and reframe studies of ents will explore how of ents, are modes of incodes of quantitative and	nts to think like researchers and using various modes of inquiry and ur senses, intuition, along with different uiry. This course will build on a diqualitative research methodology. The with their own research topic through
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# Educational Leadership & Research Methodology EDA 7421 Modes of Inquiry for Educational Leadership Executive Track 3 Credits

Protessor:
Office Location:
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Classroom Meeting:

#### Values/Mission

To review the Department of Educational Leadership and Research Methodology's values statement, please go to this link:

https://www.fau.edu/education/academicdepartments/el/about/vision-mission-values/

# **Course Description**

The purpose is to prepare graduate students to think like researchers and to be able to critique and reframe studies using various modes of inquiry and critical lenses. Students will explore how our senses, intuition, along with different genres, such as the arts, are modes of inquiry. This course will build on a foundational knowledge of quantitative and qualitative research methodology. Students will have an opportunity to engage with their own research topic through multiple lenses.

#### **Instructional Method**

This is a synchronous online live course using Zoom and Canvas. There is no on-campus attendance requirement. Course materials and assignments will be accessible through FAU's learning management system, Canvas. You must log into Canvas with your FAU ID and Password to access the materials and assignments in this course.

# **Recommended Prerequisites/Corequisites**

There are no prerequisites at this time, however, students are advised to have completed introductory methods courses. Students are expected to come to the first-class meeting with an explicit research focus and tentative research plan, such as a concept paper. That will be the basis for assignments. The course is open to all graduate program majors.

# **Course Objectives/Student Learning Outcomes**

As a result of successfully completing the course, you will:

- broaden your knowledge of modes of inquiry
- identify seminal authors and develop an understanding of their contributions to inquiry
- further develop your knowledge and skills as both a consumer and a contributor of research
- be able to apply multiple modes of inquiry to a research topic.

#### **Course Evaluation Method**

**Grading and Assignments** 

Glossary	5 points
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Annotated Bibliography	10 points
Book Talk Seminal Authors (group assignment)	15 points
Puzzles x 3 (5 points each)	15 points
Thought Experiments x 3 (5 points each)	15 points
Final Reflection: Opening and Closing Minds	10 points
Written paper (5 points)	
Oral presentation (5 points)	
Concept Paper Draft III	20 points
Oral presentation (5 points)	
Written paper (15 points)	
Participation	10 points
	Total: 100

# **Course Grading Scale**

FAU GRADING SCALE		
A	94-100	4.0
A-	90-93	3.67
B+	87-89	3.33
В	84-86	3.00
B-	80-83	2.67
C+	77-79	2.33
С	74-76	2.00
C-	70-73	1.67
D+	67-69	1.33
D	64-66	1.00
D-	60-63	0.67
F	59 and below	0.00

# Policy on Makeup Tests, Late Work, and Incompletes

No late presentations will be accepted for grading. For other assignments, there will be a 1- point reduction for each day or part of the day the assignment is late.

# **Classroom Etiquette Policy**

Students are expected to have cameras on when we meet on Zoom and follow class norms.

# **Attendance Policy**

Students are expected to attend all scheduled classes and to satisfy all academic objectives as outlined by the instructor.

# Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) Center

Life as a university student can be challenging physically, mentally, and emotionally. Students who find stress negatively affecting their ability to achieve academic or personal goals may wish to consider utilizing FAU's Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) Center. CAPS provides FAU students a range of services – individual counseling, support meetings, and psychiatric services, to name a few – offered to help improve and maintain emotional well-being. For more information, go to http://www.fau.edu/counseling/

# **Disability Policy**

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA), students who require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to properly execute coursework must register with Student Accessibility Services (SAS) and follow all SAS procedures. SAS has offices across three of FAU's campuses – Boca Raton, Davie and Jupiter – however disability services are available for students on all campuses. For more information, please visit the SAS website at www.fau.edu/sas/.

#### **Code of Academic Integrity**

Students at Florida Atlantic University are expected to maintain the highest ethical standards. Academic dishonesty is considered a serious breach of these ethical standards, because it interferes with the university mission to provide a high-quality education in which no student enjoys an unfair advantage over any other. Academic dishonesty is also destructive of the university community, which is grounded in a system of mutual trust and places high value on personal integrity and individual responsibility. Harsh penalties are associated with academic dishonesty. For more information, see <u>University Regulation 4.001</u>.

# From the Interim Provost Memo 2022

"One of the objectives of this course is to facilitate critical thinking and debate around topics, theories, and concepts where disagreement is not only anticipated, but encouraged. The ability to think critically, express your ideas clearly, and respond to the professor and other students civilly are the keystones of the academic experience. In this course, the professor will provide instruction in an objective manner and will remain open to a wide variety of viewpoints, so long as those viewpoints are evidence-based and presented in a respectful way. During class, the professor may take positions and make statements for the sole purpose of accomplishing an academic objective or enhancing the learning environment. Additionally, the adoption of class materials for this course does not imply an endorsement of the full content of those materials or the positions of the authors of those materials. Often the professor will provide materials as a point of departure for critical thinking and debate. Students should keep in mind that the ideas presented or discussed during class may not necessarily reflect the professor's personal beliefs or opinions on the subject matter."

# Required Texts/Readings

You will be assigned one book for the seminal author book critique assignment. You are expected to read the other books. You will also read an array of articles, short stories, essays and poems, listen to music and view videos.

The following books are required for this course:

Eisner, E. W. (1998, reissued 2017) *The enlightened eye: Qualitative inquiry and the enhancement of educational practice.* Teachers College Press.

English, F. & Ehrich. L. C. (2016) *Leading beautifully: educational leadership as connoisseurship*. Routledge.

Goodlad, J. I. (2004, reissued 2016) *Romances with schools: A life of education*. Rowman & Littlefield.

Luttrell, W. (2020) *Children framing childhoods: Working-class kids' visions of care*. Policy Press.

# **Supplementary/Recommended Readings**

Supplementary, recommended and in-class readings and materials are provided on Canvas. They are linked to the modules.

# **Course Topical Outline**

Please be sure to review each module within Canvas for course resources. Note that module topics cross over with each other. Information provided on the syllabus is extended on Canvas.

Module	Topic	Assignment Due/Class Activity
Module 1	Introduction to Modes	Assignment due:
	of Inquiry.	Prepare by reviewing Canvas, modules and syllabus.
	The medium is the	Obtain and begin reading assigned course texts. (Book
	message.	assignments posted before start of semester.)
	Review Canvas site,	Bring your draft concept paper to class.
	expectations and	Class activities:
	assignments.	Read articles, view/listen to recordings embedded in
		module. Participate in class discussion.
		Meet with Thought Partner(s).
		Join reading group for Book Talk Assignment
Module 2	Can we trust our	Thought Experiment 1 Reframing due
	senses to know what	Puzzle 1 Observing due
	we know? When	Presentation I of Draft Concept Paper: Visual due
	Seeing and Listening	Read Boske, Gershon, Benavente-McEnery, Speights-
	are not Enough	Binet (2019) The 'dead ends': Reconsidering place for
	Art as Sensemaking	school leaders. Theory in Action.
	Guest scholar	Class activities:
		Read articles, view/listen to recordings embedded in
		module. Participate in class discussion.

Module	Topic	Assignment Due/Class Activity
Module 3	Participatory research	Presentation II of Draft Concept Paper: Visual due
	Inserting Self:	Thought Experiment 2 Blind Spots due
	Subjectivities as Auto	Book Talks #1 and #2. Interactive group
	This and Auto That	presentation/facilitation due (group assignment)
	Guest scholars	3 photographs due
	Book Talk #1	Read Ch 2 & Ch 3, pp 93-118. Antonia Darder, (2018).
	(Goodlad)	The student guide to Freire's pedagogy of the oppressed
	conversation about	Read Maslin-Ostrowski, P., Drago-Severson, E.,
	seminal author's	Ferguson, J., Marsick, V., & Hallett, M. (2017). An
	contribution to inquiry	innovative, international community engagement
	Book Talk #2	approach: Story circles as catalysts for transformative
	(Luttrell) conversation	learning. Journal of Transformative Education.
	about seminal author's	Class activities:
	contribution to inquiry	Read articles, view/listen to recordings embedded in
		module. Participate in class discussion.
		Group interactive presentation. Whole class book talks.
Module 4	Arts based Inquiry	Presentation III of Draft Concept Paper: Visual due
	Guest scholar	Book Talk #3. Interactive group
	Book Talk #3 (Eisner)	presentation/facilitation due. (Group assignment)
	conversation about	Read Luttrell, W. "Good enough" methods for
	seminal author's	ethnographic research. <i>Harvard Educational Review</i> . Winter 2000
	contribution to inquiry	
		Read Foster, W. (1989). Chapter 2. Toward a critical
		practice of leadership. In Critical Perspectives on
		Educational Leadership. Class activities:
		In class Thought Experiment. Read articles, view/listen
		to recordings embedded in module. Participate in class
		discussion.
		Group interactive presentation. Whole class book talk.
		Group interactive presentation, whole class book talk.

Module	Topic	Assignment Due/Class Activity
Module 5	Critical Meanings and	Presentation IV of Draft Concept Paper: Visual due
	Inquiry	Puzzle 3 Intuition due
	Guest scholar	Thought Experiment 3 Inserting Self/Graphic Novel due
	Book Talk #4	Book Talk #4. Interactive group
	(English) conversation	presentation/facilitation due (group assignment)
	about seminal author's	Read Lozano, A. Salinas, C. & Orozco, R. (2021)
	contribution to inquiry	Constructing meaning of the term Latinx: a
		trioethnography through Platicas. International Journal
		of Qualitative Studies in Education.
		Read Schoorman, D. & Bogotch, I. (2010). What is a
		critical multicultural researcher? A self-reflective study
		of the role of the researcher. Education, Citizenship and
		<i>Social Justice</i> 5(3) 249-264.
		Class activities:
		Read articles, view/listen to recordings embedded in
		module. Participate in class discussion.
		Group interactive presentation. Whole class book talk.
	We do not meet on	Glossary due
	Zoom	Annotated bibliography due
<b>Module 6</b>	Reflections on "My	"Final" Concept paper III due
	Work"	
	Guest scholar	Reflection: Opening and Closing Minds due (written
	Demonstration of	and oral)
	learning journey.	
	How has your	Read Bogotch, I. & Ruccolo, L. (2017) Keeping the
	thinking changed?	beat: why music drives leadership and life. Educational
	Integrate course	leadership and music. Information Age Publishing.
	themes with your own	
	work	Course evaluation due. SPOTs <i>due</i> .
	Celebration!	

#### **Time Commitment Per Credit Hour**

This course has three (3) credit hours. For traditionally delivered courses, not less than one (1) hour of classroom or direct faculty instruction each week for fifteen (15) weeks per Fall or Spring semester, and a minimum of two (2) hours of out-of-class student work for each credit hour. Equivalent time and effort is required for Summer Semesters, which usually have a shortened timeframe. Fully Online courses, hybrid, shortened, intensive format courses, and other non-traditional modes of delivery will demonstrate equivalent time and effort.

Professor reserves the right to adjust this syllabus as necessary.