

ALL COURSES OFFERED VIRTUALLY

University of South Florida

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EVALUATION

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Required Courses

1 EDF 7485

Theory and Practice of
Program Evaluation

[3 credits]

Fall

2 EDF 7940

Supervised Practicum
in Evaluation

[3 credits]

Spring

3 EDF 7462

Metaevaluation

[3 credits]

Summer

+ 1 Elective

EDF 7497

Theory and Practice of
Personnel Evaluation

[3 credits]

Fall

[Even Years]

EDF 7579

Theory and Practice of
Collaborative Evaluation

[3 credits]

Fall

[Odd Years]

EDF 7491

Consulting and Project
Management for Evaluators

[3 credits]

Spring

Any evaluation
related course
approved by the

**Graduate
Certificate
Director.**

[3 credits]

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EDF 7485 • FALL • VIRTUAL

THEORY & PRACTICE OF PROGRAM EVALUATION



This course is designed to help students gain an in-depth understanding of contemporary evaluation theory, models and methods; standards of quality for professional evaluation practice; evaluation ethics; appropriate evaluation uses; and impact of evaluation on decision making. Students will apply the principles of program evaluation to design their own evaluation proposal.

PREREQUISITE

**Introductory Research Course
or Consent of Instructor.**

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EDF 7940 • SPRING • VIRTUAL

SUPERVISED PRACTICUM IN EVALUATION



Planned field applications of principles of evaluation. In this course, the instructor assists students (e.g., evaluation advisory panel) in the preparation of their evaluation projects. EDF 7940 concentrates on overarching issues inherent in any evaluation venture (e.g., how to frame evaluation questions, criteria, standards) in order to develop an evaluation that builds on and adds to the understanding of this important topic.

PREREQUISITE

**Theory and Practice of
Evaluation I or II (or CI).**

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EDF 7462 • SUMMER • VIRTUAL

METAEVALUATION



Planned field applications of principles of metaevaluation. This course addresses both the theory and practice of metaevaluation across a wide variety of disciplines. The instructor is going to blend theoretical grounding of metaevaluation with the checklists used to conduct metaevaluations. At the end of this course, students will be able to make judgments about the value of evaluations (assure that evaluations meet the standards of good evaluation practice), and assist evaluators when planning, conducting, and reporting their evaluation studies.

PREREQUISITE

**EDF 7940 (or equivalent)
or Consent of Instructor.**

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EDF 7497 • FALL • VIRTUAL

THEORY & PRACTICE OF PERSONNEL EVALUATION



This course is designed to help students gain an in-depth theoretical and practical knowledge of evaluation systems and standards for design of personnel evaluations.

Students will gain skills in and understanding of interpersonal dynamics as related to the major personnel evaluation functions. In addition, students will apply the principles of personnel evaluation to design their own evaluation proposal.

PREREQUISITE

EDF 7485

or Consent of Instructor.

You may take EDF 7485 and EDF 7497 during the same semester.

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EDF 7579 • FALL • VIRTUAL

THEORY AND PRACTICE OF COLLABORATIVE EVALUATION



This course is designed to help students gain an in-depth understanding of collaborative evaluation theory and its application to real-life situations. Students will learn how to use the Model for Collaborative Evaluations in diverse contexts (e.g., business, nonprofit, and education), with an especial emphasis on those components that facilitate stakeholders' involvement. Using highly interactive discussion and hands-on group exercises, this course addresses specific steps and tools to effectively conduct collaborative evaluations.

CO-REQUISITE

EDF 7485

or Consent of Instructor.

You may take EDF 7485 and EDF 7579 during the same semester.

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EDF 7491 • SPRING • VIRTUAL

CONSULTING AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT FOR EVALUATORS



This course addresses the basic nature of managing highly complex evaluations. Particularly, this course presents a variety of methods and techniques to use and control resources that you are responsible for (e.g., scope, time, cost, risk, communications, and human resource management). Students will gain a deep understanding of how to use the knowledge, skills, tools, and techniques of consulting and project management in a broad range of evaluation activities.

PREREQUISITE

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