

ENGL 7/8004: Theory and Practice of Online Teaching

Instructor

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Course Description

Studying the pedagogy of online teaching and preparing for teaching online. Students completing the course aren't guaranteed online teaching assignments, but students are required to complete the course to qualify for teaching online for the Department of English.

This course provides an opportunity for graduate students to study theoretical and practical aspects of online teaching.

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- demonstrate advanced knowledge of theory relating to online pedagogy, as developed in the current scholarly literature
- design an effective online course demonstrating a good practical knowledge of online teaching techniques and technologies
- demonstrate an advanced understanding of the advantages and challenges of online teaching in light of their theoretical discussions and practical experience

Texts

Garrison, D. R. (2011). *E-learning in the 21st century: A framework for research and practice, second edition*. New York, NY: Routledge. ISBN (paperback): 978-0-415-88583-6; ISBN (ebook): 978-0-203-83876-1

Other readings assigned throughout the semester.