## Department of Instructional Technology & Learning Sciences
### Utah State University

**Program Requirements:** The **MEd** degree program requires a minimum of **37** successfully completed credits. Students have 6 calendar years to complete all degree requirements.

O = Online only, F = Face to Face only, B = Both Face to Face and Online options, V = Virtual (scheduled Zoom meetings)

Check the ITLS website for the courses available each semester. [http://itls.usu.edu/courses/schedule]

### Orientation – 1 credit required

| | | | Credits | Fall | Spring | Summer |
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| ITLS | 6300 | ITLS Orientation | 1 | O | O | O |

### Design Strand – 6 credits required

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| ITLS | 6520 | Instructional Design I | 3 | | O | |
| ITLS | 6535 | Design Thinking | 3 | O | | |

### Analysis & Theory Strand – 6 credits required

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| ITLS | 6510 | Evaluation and Research | 3 | | O | |
| ITLS | 6540 | Learning Theory | 3 | O | | |

### Tools & Professional Strand – 3 credits required (choose one from the following)

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| ITLS | 5500 | Innovative Integration of Technology in Teaching | 3 | O | | |
| ITLS | 6205 | Instructional Media Production | 3 | | O | O |
| ITLS | 6245 | eLearning Authoring Tools | 3 | | O | O |
| ITLS | 6250 | Artificial Intelligence for Learning and Design | 3 | | O | O |
| ITLS | 6270 | Digital Making and Learning | 3 | | F | |
| ITLS | 6390 | Transformative Uses of Technology for Learning | 3 | | | O |

### Culminating Experience [penultimate or final semester] – 3 credits required (minimum)

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| ITLS | 6940 | Internship | 1-6 | ARR | ARR | ARR |
| ITLS | 6960 | Creative Project | 1-6 | ARR | ARR | ARR |

| General Elective Course Options – 18 credits required | | | Credits | Fall | Spring | Summer |
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| ITLS | 6205 | Instructional Media Production | 3 | O | O | O |
| ITLS | 6210 | Virtual Environment Development ^ | 3 | O | | O^ |
| ITLS | 6215 | Video and Audio Design and Production I | 3 | O | | O |
| ITLS | 6230 | Graphic Design and Production I | 3 | | O | |
| ITLS | 6240 | Graphic Design and Production II | 3 | O | | |
| ITLS | 6245 | eLearning Authoring Tools | 3 | | | O |
| ITLS | 6250 | Artificial Intelligence for Learning and Design | 3 | O | | O |
| ITLS | 6255 | Designing Ethical Technology' (every other spring) | 3 | | O^ | |
| ITLS | 6260 | Mobile Design and Development | 3 | O | | |
| ITLS | 6265 | Internet Development | 3 | B | B | O |
| ITLS | 6270 | Digital Making and Learning | 3 | | F | |
| ITLS | 6320 | Writing for Design | 3 | | O | O |
| ITLS | 6390 | Transformative Uses of Technology for Learning | 3 | | | O |
| ITLS | 6400 | Foundations of Instructional Coaching | 3 | Vº | | |
| ITLS | 6530 | Instructional Design II | 3 | B | | |
| ITLS | 6545 | Socio-Cultural Learning Theory * | 3 | V* | | |
| ITLS | 6560 | Project and Organizational Management | 3 | | B | |
| ITLS | 6570 | Performance Systems | 3 | | | O |
| ITLS | 6700 | Special Topics * | 1-3 | | | |
| ITLS | 6720 | Instructional Technology in Adult Education | 3 | | | O |
| ITLS | 6730 | Games and Learning | 3 | O | | |
| ITLS | 6760 | Grant and Proposal Writing | 3 | O | | |
| ITLS | 6900 | Independent Study | 1-6 | ARR | ARR | ARR |
| ITLS | 6910 | Independent Research | 1-6 | ARR | ARR | ARR |

^ Taught alternating years
` Taught even years only
* Taught periodically, check schedule for availability and delivery format
º You will participate in an online zoom class in the evenings, once a week
** Check the current and upcoming class schedules on the ITLS website, or with your advisor, for availability and course options.

**Your program of study is under the direction and approval of the ITLS MEd program advisor.**
Your Program of Study (PoS) is the official agreement between you, the USU School of Graduate Studies, and the ITLS department that the courses listed therein fulfill the requirements for the specified degree. An advisor is assigned upon matriculation to the program to guide you through the coursework. The culminating experience will be under the supervision of the ITLS MEd advisor, however, if there is a different faculty member you would like to work with for the culminating experience, consult with the ITLS MEd advisor to make those arrangements.

**DegreeWorks**
You are encouraged to use DegreeWorks to plan and keep track of your progress. **Login to Banner** [directly (banner.usu.edu) or through my.usu.edu] using your USU A# & password. Click on **Student**. Click on **Student Records**. Click on **DegreeWorks**.

**Notes:**
• The Program of Study for a master's degree must include at least 15 semester credits at the level of 6000 or above. Coursework that is below the 5000 level should typically be in areas outside the student's graduate degree field and must be approved by the student's supervisory committee as appropriate for the student's individual degree program.
• Courses that students entering the graduate program are expected to have taken as undergraduates and prerequisites for graduate courses may not be included on a Program of Study.
• No more than 12 semester credits taken at USU or another institution prior to matriculation at USU may be used in a program of study for a graduate program at USU. Credits with P grades may be transferred **only** with advisor approval.
• Credits in the following areas are not acceptable in a graduate degree program: foreign languages, continuing graduate advisement, individual home study, military science, and courses numbered below 3000.

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