

Meet Some of Your Instructors



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Dr. Kay Lehmann is a nationally recognized expert in the field of online teaching and learning. Both her Master's degree and doctoral work focused on distance education. Kay is a Milken Family Foundation outstanding National Educator and product reviewer for ISTE. Kay has authored 3 books, *Creating Cooperative Groups that Work*, *How to Be a Great Online Teacher*, and *Surviving Inclusion*.

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Assessment in E-Learning

Datta is a researcher, program developer, educator and conference presenter specializing in online training, adult education, teacher professional development, interaction via computers, and international collaboration and multicultural e-learning teamwork. Dr. Khalsa received her Ph.D. from the University of Maryland.

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Susan Manning
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Become a Certified Online Instructor. Now is the time to learn how to effectively teach or train online. Our hands-on training will help you become a leader in distance learning.

An E-learning and Online Teaching Certificate Creates New Opportunities

- Teach online in technical, community college, or higher education
- Work as a virtual school teacher in new K-12 environments
- Develop and deliver training for business, government, health care, professional associations, and nonprofit organizations
- Take the lead in new online initiatives at your current place of employment

E-learning and Online Teaching Certificate Courses

All courses are three graduate credits. The recommended course sequence is:

Course 1: E-Learning for Educators

Course 2: Assessment in E-Learning

Course 3: Instructional Design for E-Learning

Course 4: Creating Collaborative Communities E-Learning

Course 5: E-Learning Practicum



Benefits

- No travel to campus required
- Begin your coursework in spring, summer or fall
- Complete your certificate in 4 or 5 semesters
- Design an e-portfolio to showcase your online teaching skills for job interviews and promotion
- Take individual courses for professional development
- Complete all 5 courses to earn the Graduate Certificate in E-Learning and Online Teaching
- Apply credits to an online Masters degree

Advantages of Learning Online

- **Efficient use of learning time.**
Set your own schedule. Read and review at your own pace. Eliminate campus commutes. Attend class anywhere you have access to the Internet.
- **Online discussions.**
Enjoy conversations about essential readings; exchange ideas, share resources, and investigate case studies posted by your instructors.
- **Hands-on experience.**
Learn by working with a wide variety of Internet communications technology. Use Web 2.0 tools and course management systems to create your online classroom.
- **Enjoy full access to UW-Stout Library online databases.**
Read articles from professional journals online. Gain access to the best commercial databases and professional journals.

General Information

Class size is limited to 20 participants per section.

Location:

All courses are offered online.

Tuition:

For the 2008-2009 academic year, tuition is \$347 per graduate credit. Tuition may be paid by check, money order, purchase order, MasterCard or Visa credit cards.

Technology Needed:

- A modern computer
- A high speed connection to the Internet
- Previous experience taking an online class
- Experience integrating technology into instruction
- Familiarity with the Windows or Macintosh environment
- Proficiency using the Firefox or Internet Explorer browser

For more information and how to register:

Visit our Web site: www.uwstout.edu/soe/profdev/elearningcertificate.html

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"The courses in this program gave me practical tools and strategies to use as an effective online teacher. The opportunities to practice collaboration through Moodle, wikis and surveys, and to practice facilitating discussions, provided a hands-on demonstration of how to use these tools in a course. I highly recommend this program to anyone interested in teaching online."

- Patricia Hutton, South Plainfield, N.J.