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Hello, February.

We've excited to announced our **2019 Summer Institutes!**

Our Institutes cover relevant and timely topics that are important and reflect the interests of teachers like you; we're especially proud of the unique batch of offerings we have for you this year!

Browse through our list of offerings, and take part in one (or more!) of these short learning opportunities, and expand your pro-d this summer.

Full listings below!

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SUMMER INSTITUTES

2019 SUMMER LEARNING

Short summer programs, relevant and timely topics.

Don't miss our exciting line up of summer offerings for 2019! This year we have 14 summer institutes on a variety of wide-ranging topics.

Take a look at the full list of offerings – we're confident you'll find something right you!

- Agriculture in the Classroom
- Arts-based Transformative Learning for Instructors of Older Adults
- Child Advocacy in Action: The Legacy of Janusz Korczak
- Digital Games, Learning & Pedagogy
- Inquiry and Innovation for School and System Leaders
- Intro to School Mental Health Literacy
- Montessori in the Public Sector
- Outdoor Environmental Education
- Practical Foods
- Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity Education & Leadership, Vancouver + Kootenays
- Supporting Student Mental Health
- Understanding, Teaching & Supporting Diverse Learners
- Working with Young Refugee Children and Families

pdce.educ.ubc.ca/summer-institutes

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Master of Educational Technology (MET)



MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY (MET)

Create rich and engaging learning environments using educational technology

Last chance to apply to start in May 2019!

[MET – International Online Graduate Program](#)

Apply By: February 15, 2019

Begins: May 2019

Delivery: 100% Online

Not ready to commit to the MET master's program? Don't worry! There are also two online certificates, both of which can later transition into the MET master's degree.

- Graduate Certificate in Technology-Based Distributed Learning (TBDL)
- Graduate Certificate in Technology-Based Learning for Schools (TBLS)

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PART-TIME GRADUATE COHORTS

MEd in Curriculum Studies – Health, Outdoor, & Physical Experiential Education

Integrating three streams of study into the classroom: Health, Outdoor and Physical Education.

Apply By: **February 28, 2019**

Begins: July 2019

Delivery: Face-to Face, Lower Mainland



MEd in Educational Studies – Education for Sustainability

A partnership program with CityStudios Vancouver with a hands-on focus on tackling real-world sustainability issues.

Apply By: **February 28, 2019**

Begins: August 2019

Delivery: Face-to Face, UBC & CityStudio Vancouver



MEd in Home Economics Education

Human Ecology & Everyday Life.

Apply By: March 17, 2019

Begins: September 2019

Delivery: 100% Online! 



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QUEBEC INSTITUTE

[Institut de Français, UBC à Québec](#)

French language immersion in the heart of Quebec City!

Apply By: May 3, 2019

Dates: July 1-19, 2019

Location: Québec City

Don't miss this three-week immersion program for French language teachers!

Bursary for BC Teachers

BC teachers are eligible for a Canadian Heritage bursary that covers up to half of the program cost if they speak French as an additional language and are, or will be, involved in the teaching or supervision of French programs at public or independent school in British Columbia.

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BC ECE ASSISTANT & BASIC CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

BC Early Childhood Education Assistant & Basic Certificate Program

Love working with kids? Become an early childhood educator!

With the recent commitment to universal childcare in British Columbia, there is a **need for qualified Early Childhood Educators**.

The Faculty of Education is currently offering two online certificate programs that are working to fill the need in BC for ECE professionals, and lead those with a passion for working with children to find rewarding careers in this field:

1. [BC ECE Assistant Certificate Program](#)

- Allows students to work with young children in an early childhood setting, under the supervision of a qualified Early Childhood Educator.

2. [BC ECE Basic Certificate Program](#)

- Provides students with a basic foundation of the knowledge and skills needed to work in early childhood educational settings, as a qualified Early Childhood Educator.

*Excluding practica, which will take place in early childhood settings.

Apply By: July 5, 2019 for priority to September courses

Begins: September 2019

Delivery: 100% Online* 

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MOOCS – MASSIVE OPEN ONLINE COURSES

Teach Mental Health

Fully online, self-guided resources to help teacher candidates and current teachers develop and expand their mental health literacy.

National surveys report that about 70% of Canadian teachers identify a need for more knowledge about mental health and mental illness, yet most Faculties of Education do not have a comprehensive mental health literacy curriculum resource.



This online, self-paced resource addresses that gap. Pre-service and current teachers can take this 7-module course in its entirety, or simply the modules they are most interested in. Faculties of Education are welcome to use these resources to support their course and/or discussions on mental health in the same way.

- Registration is open!
- Cost: **FREE**

Bringing Mental Health to Schools

A self-guided, online, classroom-ready mental health curriculum resource for teachers.

In this course, educators will learn how to apply this classroom-ready, web-based, modular mental health curriculum resource as well as upgrade their own mental health literacy. Educators can then use this curriculum resource in their schools to successfully address mental health related curriculum outcomes designed to be delivered by usual classroom teachers to students in Grades 7–12.

- Registration is open!
- Cost: **\$20** (an additional \$10 for an optional digital Certificate of Completion)



Reconciliation Through Indigenous Education

Engage with Indigenous knowledge keepers, educational leaders, and resources to enhance your understanding of practices that advance reconciliation.

This course will help you envision how Indigenous histories, perspectives, world views, and approaches to learning can be made part of the work we do in classrooms, organizations, communities, and our everyday experiences in ways that are thoughtful and respectful. In this course, reconciliation emphasizes changing institutional structures, practices, and policies, as well as personal and professional ideologies to create environments that are committed to strengthening our relationships with Indigenous peoples.

- Course starts: **April 1, 2019**
- Cost: **FREE** to audit, **\$50 USD** for a verified certificate



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DIPLOMA & CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Delivering a variety of relevant professional development options that will add value to, and increase your expertise in, a chosen specialization.

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