**EDPD 525: Rethinking College Readiness**

# Course Schedule

Course will meet online via Blackboard. Participants will receive a Blackboard account after registration. The course will be asynchronous, so you won’t have to be online at specific times. The course will begin on July 7 and conclude on August 10, 2020.

# Grades Submitted

Grades will be submitted to the FMU registrar’s office no later than August 14, 2020. You may access official transcripts approximately 2 weeks later by visiting the FMU website at [http://www.fmarion.edu.](http://www.fmarion.edu/) Letters stating successful course completion for certification purposes can be provided by August 12, 2020.

**Course Cost (NON-REFUNDABLE)**

$800—space is limited to 30 participants. Course cost will be covered by the Center of Excellence for College and Career Readiness for the first 20 registrants.

# Out of SC Student?

## $ 25—additional fee required by SC law

**Credit Earned**

3 Graduate Professional Development Credit Hours

**Important notes about credit—this course...**

* **WILL** typically be acceptable for SC recertification credit
* **WILL NOT** typically count for degree programs at most institutions

***It is the responsibility of the participant to determine how this course will meet individual needs for recertification or degree requirements.***

# Course Overview

Upon successful completion of this course, participants will:

* Demonstrate an understanding of definitions of college and career readiness.
* Articulate common approaches to college and career readiness in the classroom.
* Explore classroom strategies designed to help students develop key college and career readiness skills.
* Demonstrate a commitment to helping colleagues and students be more aware of issues related to college and career readiness.

# What to Expect

This course will include an in-depth study of key issues related to college and career readiness, with a particular emphasis on how these issues might impact classroom instruction. Participants will be encouraged to consider ways the concepts we study can be implemented in their own schools and with their own students.

All course materials will be provided. Course assignments will include reading, online discussions of readings and their relationship to classroom practice and a final project that connects the reading and discussions with the participants’ teaching in a practical way.

# Ready to Register?

## Enrollment is limited for this course. Registrations will be accepted on a first-come basis. Only COMPLETE registrations can be accepted to reserve a seat in the class.

Steps to register:

* Download and complete the attached registration form
* Attach payment (if applicable)
* Email form to Dr. Matt Nelson, mnelson@fmarion.edu

**Questions? Contact:**

Dr. Matt Nelson, Center of Excellence mnelson@fmarion.edu 843.661.1392

 **FRANCIS MARION UNIVERSITY *Rethinking College Readiness***

**Education Professional Development (EDPD) 525 Course Registration Form**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Semester** | Summer II, 2020 | **Type of Credit** | Graduate | **Date** |  June 2020 |
| **Social Security #** |  | **Sex** |  | **Date of Birth** |  |
| **Ethnic Background** *(Responding to this inquiry is voluntary and responses will not be used in a discriminatory fashion.)* |
| *Caucasian* |  | *American Indian* |  | *African American* |  | *Asian/Pacific* |  | *Hispanic* |  | *Non-Resident Alien* |  |
| **Legal Name** |  |  |  |
| **Last** | **First** | **Middle** |
| **Permanent Address** |  |  |  |  |
| **Address (*Street Address or Route; NOT P. O. Box Number)*** | **City** | **State** | **Zip** |
| **Contact Information** |  |  |  |
| **Home Phone** | **Cell Phone** | **Email Address** |
| **Employed by** |  |  |  |  |
| **District or Agency** | **State** | **Phone Number** | **Full or Part Time** |
| **Citizenship/Nationality***Select ONE response in this section* | ***US Citizen*** |  | **Not US Citizen but****Permanent Resident of US** |  | ***Date Permanent******Resident Status Granted*** |  |
| ***Other*** |  | **If not a US Citizen, attach photocopy of official** **document verifying immigrant status. Attached?** |  | ***Y*** | ***N*** |  | ***Visa******Type*** |  |
| **South Carolina Residency** | **Do you currently reside in SC?** |  | **Have you resided in SC for the past 12 months?** |  |
|  | **How long have you resided in SC?** |  **Years** |  **Months** | **County** |  |
|  | **State of previous residency:** |  |
|  | **Do you claim South Carolina as your residence for in-state tuition purposes?** |  |
| **Upon whom do you base your claim for SC Residency?***>If you live independently and base your claim to SC residency on yourself, check "Self'.**>If you depend upon someone else for your claim to SC residency, list the name of the individual(s) and relationship to you.* | **Self** |  | **If ‘Other,’ List Name & Relationship** |
| **Other** |  |  |
| **Education** |  |  | **Diploma or GED?** |  | **Ever attended FMU?** |  | **If yes, when?** |  |
| **Currently in degree-seeking program?** |  | **If yes, where?** |  | **What program?** |  |
| **Degree(s) Earned** |  | *No college degree* |  | *Bachelor’s Degree* |  | *Master’s Degree* |  | *Doctoral Degree* |  |
|  **My signature below indicates that I understand and agree to these enrollment requirements:*** EDPD 525 credit cannot be counted for any degree program at Francis Marion University
* Maximum credit hours taken in a semester are limited to 12 semester hours for Fall and Spring semesters, 3 semester hours for Late Spring session, and 7 semester hours each for Summer I and Summer II sessions.
* If my enrollment in this EDPD 525 course causes my total credit hours to exceed the maximum number of hours for that semester, I must get a "Course Overload" approved by the Dean of the School of Education.
* I agree to complete the course evaluation form provided for this course. If the course evaluations are not conducted, I understand that I am to notify the School of Education at the address shown below in writing.
* Incomplete registration forms/applications cannot be processed by Francis Marion University.
 |
|  |  |
| ***Signature*** | ***Date*** |

***Complete and return to:*** *Matthew Nelson, Co- Director, Center of Excellence for College and Career Readiness,* *mnelson@fmarion.edu*