PURPOSE OF PROGRAM
In this concentration, you will work in a context that nurtures interdisciplinary learners who have an understanding of engagement in curriculum and instruction theory, research, practice, policy and critical issues. The program stresses the concepts of curricular innovation and teaching excellence while expanding your knowledge of content fields and applied research. This concentration is open to educators at all levels and subjects, and offers flexibility to gain deeper knowledge in a number of emphasis areas.

PROGRAM OPTIONS
If you are a Master of Arts degree in Education student in Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching, you are encouraged to take the following four courses first.

EDU 5003 Research Methods in Education
EDU 5103 Advanced Foundations of Education
EDP 5003 Psychological Basis for Learning
C&I 5003 Theory of Curriculum & Instruction

These courses are required for all students within this concentration:
C&I 5013 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment
C&I 6103 Research in Action
C&I 6123 Critical Perspectives in Curriculum and Instruction
C&I 6673 Policy and Critical Issues in Teaching

Curriculum and Instruction (C&I) emphasis areas include: curriculum specialist, teacher leadership, mathematics and science education, environmental education, social studies education and middle school education. Students may also select courses from academic disciplines that support the emphasis area. Faculty advisors assist in the selection of appropriate courses based on the interests and needs of students.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
The C&I concentration supports educators at all points of their careers and at all levels from early childhood through adult education. It also supports administrators in their role as curriculum leaders. In addition, it prepares curriculum coordinators and specialists for their roles in schools or in settings where training is developed and presented. After-school programs, non-profit organizations, museums, textbook publishing and testing are other settings where C&I knowledge is needed.

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Admission Requirements

- A baccalaureate degree
- A 3.0 GPA in the last 60 hours of coursework
- Be in good standing at the last institution attended
- Completion of 18 undergraduate credit hours in education or related field (including 12 upper-division level hours)

How to Apply
Apply through the UTSA Graduate School at http://www.utsa.edu/graduate.
Please send all USPS mail (transcripts, etc.) to the attention of The Graduate School at:

The University of Texas at San Antonio
Attn: The Graduate School
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Website: http://www.utsa.edu/financialaid

Financial Aid and Scholarships

To apply, complete the FASFA (Free Application for Federal Student Assistance) at http://www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Graduate assistantship positions available within the College average 19 hours per week. Doctoral students also may be eligible for fellowships.

Graduate student scholarships are located at:
http://www.graduateschool.utsa.edu
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