

## Curriculum Design & Assessment

## (10 Credits, Level 9)

Module Aim	This module focuses on two key aspects of learning and teaching: curriculum and assessment. The module presents an expanded view of curriculum as formed from a number of influences and accountable to a number of stakeholders. Curriculum planning knowledge is essential for instructional designers, and for all those involved in the delivery, administration and assessment of learning. The assessment element of this module is practically based and interactive, aimed at providing the basic knowledge and competencies to enable teachers to become effective assessors of student learning.
Module Learning Outcomes	<ul> <li>Upon successful completion of this module, a student will be able to:</li> <li>Demonstrate a critical understanding of theoretical approaches to curricular design which are applicable in their own particular contexts.</li> <li>Critically evaluate how curriculum design can affect the learning experience of students.</li> <li>Apply the key principles of instructional design to a chosen curriculum project.</li> <li>Articulate the nature and purpose of assessment in the post-compulsory environment at the level of the individual student and at systems level.</li> <li>Critically review contemporary assessment approaches, methods and challenges relevant to their own and the wider educational context.</li> </ul>
Mode of Assessment	100% Continuous Assessment
Delivery Methods	Online (Please See Timetable)