

**Faculty of Health Sciences**  
**Department of Health Sciences Education**  
**Teaching, Learning and Assessment Short Course**



The Education Development Unit (EDU) in the Department of Health Sciences Education (Faculty of Health Sciences) at UCT, invite you to attend a short course on Teaching, Learning and Assessment. The course is offered at no cost to educators responsible for teaching health sciences students at UCT. The course aims to prepare educators of health sciences students to facilitate learning, through developing their knowledge base of educational principles as well as supporting the integration of the concepts learned.

Module 2 centres on assessment of student learning. In the first week of each module there is a compulsory contact session, there after you may choose to sign up for the topics in the remaining weeks that are most applicable to you. Participants will receive a certificate of completion at the end of the course or continuing professional development (CPD) points. A UCT certificate on completion is also available.

**Course Overview**

<b>Module 2</b> 20 July - 28 August 2020	<b>Date</b>
<b>Assessment of student learning</b>	
1. Introduction into assessment ⇒ In this week we will discuss the purposes and principles of assessment and apply it to participants teaching context.	20 - 24 July <i>Contact session 22 July: 2-4pm</i>
2. Formative assessment ⇒ This week provide ideas on how to use formative assessment to facilitate learning.	27 July - 31 July Online
3. Methods of assessment Participants may choose one or both of the topics below a) Classroom or b) Workplace based ⇒ This week provides an overview of the various assessment methods available and involves participants in the process to evaluate the suitability of the methods, for their context.	03 - 07 August Online
4. Developing a marking rubric ⇒ In the week, participants develop a marking rubric for a method of assessment.	10 - 14 August Online
5. Validity and reliability in assessment ⇒ In this week we discuss ways of evaluating assessment method/s used specific to participants own practice	17 - 21 August Online
6. Standard setting ⇒ This session provides an overview of standard setting within Health Sciences and draw attention to some of the concerns that arise when developing and conducting standard setting.	24 - 28 August Online

To register for the course: [Registration form Module 2](#)

Applications close 16/07/2020 for Module 2. For more information on the course please email administrator [shaneel.nutt@uct.ac.za](mailto:shaneel.nutt@uct.ac.za)