

SEMINARS/IMPORTANT DATES

Spring 2012 PRACTICUM

SEMINARS: *Sign In for each seminar you attend.
See Seminar policies in syllabus and at end of schedule.

Mandatory Practicum Meeting: December 2, 2011 - 4:30 – 6:00

Mandatory ISL Conference at ASU: March 24, 2012 (8:00 – 2:00 pm University Hall)

You must register on line. Breakfast and lunch are provided. Mandatory attendance for the whole conference is required.

Career Center Workshop Dates for Educators: See attached *Spring 2012 Educator Workshops* for specific information. The spring 2012 Workshops will be held on Tuesdays, with a special emphasis on Job Search Strategies and Resume Development prior to the February 16th Educator Expo. Interviewing and Networking Workshops will be held in late February, March and April.

Educator Expo K-12 job fair - Thursday, February 16 – 11:00 – 2:00 @ Christenberry Fieldhouse

- K-12 systems will be there to recruit for teaching and administration opportunities for the next academic year
- Educational programs and non-profits geared towards education/child enrichment will also be in attendance
- Students, alumni and community members are eligible to attend

Classroom Management Seminars: Date: March 27, 2012 Time: 5:00 – 6:00

***Registration not required.**

Early Childhood: Cushman UH 329

Middle Grades & Secondary: Page UH 327

Seminar Dates: *Note the **December Practicum Meeting** was mandatory and counted as one of the four seminars required for EDTD 6910. **If you did not attend the December meeting, you are required to do 4 seminars during the spring practicum semester, one of which is the mandatory ISL Conference.** Otherwise, the **Career Center Workshops, Educator Expo and Classroom Management Seminars** are all options for the other seminars. **Make sure you sign in for each seminar you attend.**
Note: Attendance documentation for all events is provided to Practicum Coordinator.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Mandatory Practicum Meeting: December 2, 2012

Midterm Conferences: Week of February 27th – March 2nd

ASU Midterm: March 7, 2012

E-Portfolio due date (end of 13th week of semester): Sunday, April 15, 2012

Final Exams: May 4th, 7th – 9th

Final Grades Due: by midnight on Thursday, May 10, 2012

Graduation (Commencement): May 12, 2012 @ 10:00 am

Policies for Seminars:

- Practicum teacher candidates are required to attend **4 ASU seminars** during the semester **two** of which are the mandatory meeting required of all teacher candidates prior to practicum and the spring ISL Conference. Seminar titles, dates and times should be recorded in a word document to be attached under **Other Documents** on the **Additional Artifacts** page in the E-Portfolio. *This requirement is listed on the **Exit Interview Checklist** and attendance will be verified by seminar instructors through sign in sheets. **Make sure you sign in for each seminar.**
- If the placement school requires any additional seminars, candidates are required to attend those meetings as well. The school seminars will be **in addition** to the required ASU seminars. Teacher candidates are required to record the date attended, seminar title, and time frame for each meeting in a word document and attach as an artifact under **Other Documents** on the **Additional Artifacts** page in the **E-Portfolio**.

ASU Supervisors PSN Meeting Dates: (This does not apply to Practicum Teacher Candidates)

ASU Faculty and University Supervisors need to attend all **PSN (Professional School Network)** Building Coordinator Meetings. The meetings will begin at 8:30am and will last until around noon. The meetings will be held in the JSAC Ballroom at ASU.

Meeting Dates:

January 20, 2012

March 24, 2012 – ISL Conference (Practicum Teacher Candidates are also required to attend.)