

**Course:**

**EDUC 5980 Professional Development Capstone Seminar**

**2 hours**

**Majors (Grad)**

Curriculum and Instruction (M.Ed.)

**Departments/Programs:**

Education (Graduate)

This capstone course serves as a companion to **EDUC 5990 Master's Thesis** and provides students the opportunity to review their work in the program, prepare for their public presentation of their thesis, and extend their professional development by exploring ways of promoting their action research projects through publication and oral presentations and their candidacy for positions and grant funding through career-based documents (cover letters, resumes, grant proposals). During weekly meetings, students will hear from various faculty members in the program and engage in activities to prepare them for post-program professional engagement.

*Prerequisite(s): EDUC 5230 The Psychology of Teaching and Learning and EDUC 5240 Classroom Assessment and Instructional Decisions or approval of the M.Ed. program director.*