Presentation for
Franco-American Schools
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Agenda

Overview of Professional Education

Overview of K – 12 Online Program

Highlights from the K – 12 residential portfolio
Professional Education at HGSE serves:

- 9,500 early childhood, K-12, and higher education professionals around the world each year through more than 90+ programs offered on-campus and online
- Global Participation
What We Believe

We believe that through exceptional professional education that is responsive and relevant to the challenges practitioners face, we can equip and empower educators and institutions around the world to improve their practice in service of their students, schools, and communities.

*Through transformative adult learning, we elevate student learning.*
What We Do

We are committed to three strategic priorities:

1. Cultivating Innovators and Leaders
2. Collaborating on Questions that Matter
3. Communicating with the Field

We offer on-campus, online, and custom programs for:

• Higher Education professionals
• K-12 educators
• Early Childhood educators
• Policy-makers, non-profit leaders, parents, and other education professionals
On Campus Residential Programs

- Research-based
- Focused on Practical Application
- Led by Harvard faculty
- Facilitated by faculty and practitioners
- From 2 days to 2 weeks on campus
- Participants in a variety of roles across the education sector
- Participants from 100 countries
Custom Programs

• Developed through consultation with the client and its constituents
• Uses the same instructional methodologies, curricula, and expert faculty
• Delivered on Harvard’s campus or on-site at a client’s location
• Ideal cohort size of 50 people
• 6 months, from concept to delivery
Design Features

- Learning environments are experiential, immersive, practical, and applied.
- Activities provide opportunities for both informational and transformational forms of learning.
- Design creates rich environments for peer-to-peer idea exchange and learning.
- Design fosters periodic opportunities to apply newly-learned material to practical issues and challenges faced by the learner.
- Learning communities are formed.
- Blended modalities (residential and online modules).
Examples

Think Tank on Global Education

Deeper Learning for All: From the Classroom to the System
Online Programs

From short workshops to in-depth courses to comprehensive certificate programs, Professional Education at the Harvard Graduate School of Education provides educators with a comprehensive portfolio of online programs designed to impact a variety of learning environments.

- Research-based
- Asynchronous
- Coach Facilitated
- Job-embedded
- Global Community
Online Programs

Workshops

- Research-based
- Asynchronous
- Coach Facilitated
- Job-embedded
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- 2-3 Weeks in length
- Offered multiple times a year
- 5-7 hours of work each
- A variety of topics including
  - Educating Global Citizens
  - Teaching Students to Ask Their Own Questions: Best Practices in the Question Formulation Technique
  - Improving Math Instruction Through Feedback
  - Learning Through Discussion and Disagreement

See the whole list at https://www.gse.harvard.edu/ppe/two-week-online-programs.
Online Programs

Courses

- Research-based
- Asynchronous
- Coach Facilitated
- Job-embedded
- Global Community

- 13 Weeks in length
- Focus on fostering 21st century teaching and learning
- Team participation required or highly recommended
- You apply what you learn as you learn
- Two terms a year, one in the spring and one in the fall
- 3-4 hours per week
Online Programs

Courses

- **Project Zero Online Courses**
  - Creating Cultures of Understanding
  - Making Learning Visible
  - Multiple Intelligences
  - Teaching for Understanding
  - Thinking and Learning in the Maker-Centered Classroom
  - Visible Thinking

- **Differentiated Instruction Made Practical**
Online Programs

Certificates

- Research-based
- Asynchronous
- Coach Facilitated
- Job-embedded
- Global Community

- Multiple Modules for each certificate
- Address critical issues of practices for education leaders at different levels and settings
- Combining of guided learning and job-embedded practice and application
- Different modules offered throughout the year
Online Programs

Certificate Programs

- **Certificate in Advanced Education Leadership** (CAEL)
  For current and aspiring system level leaders

- **Certificate in School Management Leadership** (CSML)
  For school leaders

- **Certificate of Early Education Leadership** (CEEL)
  For early education leaders
Learn More…

https://www.gse.harvard.edu/ppe

K-12 Program Brochure

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