



College of Nursing **Nursing Education (NE) Graduate Certificate – Fall Start**

The Graduate Certificate in Nursing Education provides nurses with an advanced degree (MSN, DNP, or PhD) to develop a skill set to prepare them to teach nurses across all levels of practice in academic and clinical practice settings. The courses in the certificate program provide a foundation for certification as a Certified Nurse Educator and practical teaching experiences with expert faculty mentors. Students have the opportunity to explore the role of the nurse educator, course and program development (both in-person and online), best practices in student assessment and overall program assessment.

Year – 1

Fall Semester

- NURS 656 – Nurse Educator Role (3 units)

Spring Semester

- NURS 657 – Outcome focused Program Design (3 units)

Summer Semester

- NURS 658 - Evaluation Strategies in Nursing Education (3 units)
- NURS 694I – Practicum (3 units) **135 Practicum Hours**

Summary

Totals & Requirements

- Time to Degree 1 year
- 12 Units & 135 practicum hours
- Transfer Units Allowed – 6 Units

Additional Student Resources

- [University of Arizona Graduate College Student Policies](#)