

Department of Educational Studies (DES) Teacher Education Program Orientation

Fall 2014

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Orientation Agenda

- 1. Welcome**
 - Faculty & Staff Introduction
- 2. Teacher Education Program Curriculum**
- 3. Teacher Education Assessments & Evaluations**
- 4. Teacher Candidate Expectations**
- 5. Student Organization Information**
- 6. Program Information (EC-A, EC-MC, MC-EA)**

Welcome to DES !

- Dr. Adrienne Loh (Department Chair)

EC-MC	MC-EA	EC-A	SPE (minor)
Ann Epstein (PD)	Jude Harrington (PD)	Gary Willhite (PD)	Carol Angell (PD)
Barb Gander	Joyce Shanks	Jim Carlson	Lema Kabashi
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	Liz Bergeron		
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	Matthew Thomas		
	Ann Yehle		

- DES is in the School of Education (SoE)
Director of SoE: Dr. Marcie Wycoff-Horn

Teacher Education Program Curriculum

- **Advising**
- **Program sequence**
 - **Block 1**
 - **Block 2**
 - **Student Teaching**
- **Field Experience Options**
 - **Professional Development Schools**
<http://www.uwlax.edu/SOE/Professional-Development-Schools/>
 - **Urban Institute**
 - **Teaching abroad**
- **Assessments & Evaluations**

Teacher Education Assessments & Evaluations

- **Portfolio Information**
 - Pre-Student Teaching Portfolio
 - Post-Student Teaching Portfolio
 - edTPA
- **Testing Information**
 - Praxis II
<http://www.ets.org/praxis/wi>
 - Foundations of Reading Test (FoRT)
 - Where to take tests?

Counseling & Testing Center (CTC)

2106 Centennial Hall

Computer Based Testing Center

Monday through Saturday

Hours: Monday through Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Phone: 608.785.8968 Fax: 608.785.8965 <http://www.uwlax.edu/counseling/testing.htm>

Teacher Candidate Expectations

- **Professional Dispositions**
- **Candidate Supports & Resources**
 - **Writing Center**
 - **Counseling & Testing Center**
 - **Eagle Alert System**
 - **Teacher Candidate Progress Review**

Student Organizations

- **Student Council for Exceptional Children (SCEC)**
- **Student Wisconsin Education Association (Student WEA)**
- **Leadership in Action**
- **Kappa Delta Pi (The International Honor Society in Education)**
- **<http://www.uwlax.edu/Educational-Studies/Student-organizations/>**