INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY, MA

The Master of Arts in instructional technology is an online degree program for individuals who wish to increase their understanding of technology's role in the work of teaching and learning. This online degree is designed to prepare individuals to use current and emerging technologies to create instructionally-sound learning environments. The degree prepares individuals for positions in instructional technology, educational technology, and instructional design as they exist in a variety of settings, including business and industry.

Admission Requirements

Applicants must meet the following admission requirements:

- bachelor's degree from an accredited institution
- A completed application includes unofficial transcripts from all institutions attended (where 15 or more credit hours were earned), three letters of recommendation, a statement of purpose, and a Graduate School application.

See the Admission Criteria section of this catalog for more information.

Curricular Requirements

- Candidates for the master's degree must earn a minimum of 30 semester hours of credit.
- There are 15 required credit hours (5 courses) and 15 elective credit hours (5 courses) of CAT/INTE hours; one elective course (3 credits) may be taken outside the INTE program from other programs/colleges at The University of Alabama, or transferred from another university, with advisor approval.

Instructional Technology, MA		Hours
Required courses:		
CAT 531	Computer Based Instruction	3
INTE 532	Instructional Tech Design (Instructional Technology Design)	3
INTE 533	Online Teaching and Learning	3
INTE 534	Issues & Trends Instruc Tech (Issues and Trends in Instructional Design)	3
INTE 589	Instruc Tech Resea & Prod Dev (Instructional Technology Research and Product Development)	3
Elective courses (Choose 5 courses from the options below):		**15**
INTE 535	INTE Assistive Technology (Adaptive and Assistive Technologies)	
INTE 536	Assessment and Evaluation (Assessment and Evaluation in InStructional Technology)	
INTE 537	Game-Based Learning (Game-Based Learning)	
INTE 538	mLearning (mLearning)	
INTE 539	Special Topics in IT	
INTE 540	Plan & Manage Tech Projects (Technology Project Management and Budgeting)	
INTE 541	IT Leadership (IT Leadership and Administrative Technology)	
INTE 542	IT Internship	
Total Hours		**30**

Transfer Credit

Graduate School information on Transfer Credit.

Comprehensive Exam

Candidates must complete a digital portfolio as a comprehensive examination.

Graduate School information on Comprehensive Exams.

Time Limits for Degree Completion

Graduate School information on Time Limits.

Academic Misconduct Information

Graduate School information on Academic Misconduct.

Withdrawals and Leave of Absence Information

Graduate School information on Withdrawals and Leave of Absence.

Academic Grievances Information

Graduate School information on Academic Grievances.

Grades and Academic Standing

Graduate School information on Grades and Academic Standing.

Graduate School Deadlines

Information on Graduate School Deadlines.

Application for Graduation Information

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Accepted graduate students are encouraged to apply for College of Education scholarships and scholarships offered through UA Online.

Graduate School information on Financial Assistance.