

UW System definitions for type of instruction

SPECIFICATIONS: Valid codes are 'C', 'D', 'E', 'F', 'I', 'L', or 'S'.

CODE DEFINITIONS:

C Lecture: Group instruction where the primary focus is on the instructor presenting information.

L Laboratory/Studio: Independent group activity under instructor supervision. Activity may occur in a facility with special equipment. Laboratory/Studio instruction includes group art and music instruction.

D Discussion: Group instruction where the primary focus is on student interaction and group discussion.

E Extended Degree: Extended Degree Program course offerings only.

F Field Experience: Instruction generally occurring outside the classroom setting. Sections are determined by the span of supervision of a particular faculty member rather than the meeting time and place. Examples include student teaching, internship, clinical experience, and field work (where that represents the total contact of the course).

I Independent/Individualized Instruction: One-on-one activity between instructor and student where the focus is on individual attention. Course sections may be described as "Independent Study, Reading, or Individualized Research." This category also includes auto-tutorial, individual instruction, and individualized music lessons.

S Seminar/Colloquia: A group of advanced students at the undergraduate or graduate level studying with an instructor or under the leadership of several instructors.