

PRAC112 - Digital Tech Credential

SPRING 2022 SYLLABUS – Deadline to Enroll: March 7th

WHAT IS THE PRACTICUM?

UMBC's PRAC 112 / Digital Tech Credential is a zero-credit, pass/fail course for any undergraduate or graduate student who is interested in gaining additional technical knowledge by completing 6 online modules via the EdX platform. Students will have the entire semester to complete each module. There are no other assignments, but optional for your professional development. If all 6 modules are completed the student will receive their Digital Tech Credential Badge to be displayed on LinkedIn and their resume. If the student completed 3 of 6 modules they will pass the course, but if the student fails to complete at least 3 modules the student will fail the course. This course follows the university dates for withdrawal and dropping courses.

PRAC 112/ DIGITAL TECH CREDENTIAL

The Digital Tech Credential: Generalist Badge is a free and unique credential that indicates students have in-demand digital literacy skills. The Digital Tech Credential allows the region's leading businesses and academic leaders to collaborate in scaling a coordinated response to pressing workforce needs. This program is being implemented by universities throughout the Capital Region and is recognized by regional business as a differentiator in hiring talent. By completing PRAC112/The Digital Tech Credential as a UMBC student, you will receive a transcript notation as well as a badge that can be displayed on your resume or LinkedIn page.

VISITING THE CAREER CENTER

We highly recommend that you have your resume reviewed by the Career Center, either through a walk-in, 15 minute express appointment (M-F, 2-4pm, Math and Psychology Building 201), or a 30 minute counseling appointment. To schedule an appointment or learn more about the different types of appointments offered, click [here](#).

SUGGESTED MODULE SCHEDULE

Please note, all modules can be taken in any order. The modules do not build on one another.

1. Login and create an Ed X account and enroll in each module (DUE your first week of classes January 31 - February 4th)
2. Complete at least 1 module (February 7th - 18th)
3. Log into Blackboard and contribute to the discussion areas (February 7th - 18th)
4. Complete another module (February 14 - 25th)
5. Complete another module (February 25- March 14th)
6. Completed 50% of the modules (March 14th)
7. Complete another module by (March 31)
8. Complete another module (April 15th)
9. Complete another module (April 29th)
10. Complete all modules by (May 31)



PRACTICUM DETAILS

GRADING: Pass/fail. Incompletes may be granted in special cases, only if requested prior to the end of the term.

ADDING, DROPPING & WITHDRAWING: Please follow the Registrar's [posted deadlines](#) for all UMBC courses. Please note the deadline to drop courses without incurring a W, as well as the deadline to withdraw. Exceptional cases may be petitioned.

ACCOMMODATIONS: UMBC is committed to eliminating discriminatory obstacles that may hinder students based on a disability. UMBC's Student Disability Services(Math/Psychology, room 212, 410-455-2459) assists students with disabilities to: • Receive and maintain confidential files of disability-related documentation and certify eligibility for services • Determine reasonable accommodations you may need for your experience and/or the Practicum, and develop a plan • Serve as a liaison between UMBC faculty and students regarding disability-related issues

UMBC STATEMENT OF VALUES FOR ACADEMIC INTEGRITY: When enrolling in a course, each student assumes the responsibilities of an active participant in UMBC's scholarly community in which everyone's academic work and behavior are held to the highest standards of honesty. Cheating, fabrication, plagiarism, or helping others to commit these acts are all forms of academic dishonesty, and they are wrong. Such academic misconduct could result in disciplinary action that may include, but is not limited to, suspension or dismissal. To read the full Student Academic Conduct Policy, consult [UMBC policies](#) or the [Faculty Handbook](#) (Section 14.3). For graduate courses, see the [Graduate School](#).