



Join an **online cohort** to earn a unique and valuable Master's Degree for **TEACHERS** who **LEAD: Master of Arts in Teaching with National Board Certification Leadership.**

Get familiar with **National Board Certification**. Explore and apply the **National Board Standards**. Examine your practice through reflection, analysis, and description of job embedded **work with your own students**.

This degree builds in options that “fit” your needs and goals:

- *I want to understand and learn about **National standards and certification**, but I don't want to pay for, or become a candidate at this time.*
- *I need a master's, AND I want to take advantage of developing the NBCT portfolio simultaneously as an active candidate.*
- *I want to distinguish myself as a teacher who wants to prepare for National Board in the future through this accelerated program that builds my competency and pedagogy with a National Board Leadership foundation.*
- *I have achieved NBCT, but need to renew or want to sharpen my skills.*

Explore, prepare for, and/or be an active NBCT candidate while you engage in and complete ten courses between **February, 2012 and March, 2013**. The schedule and coursework will uniquely parallel the NBCT submission timelines. Each of the five courses support the development of NBCT portfolio entries and culminates in March with your completed “thesis” project—your NBC Leadership Portfolio.

DEADLINE for the FEBRUARY start is JANUARY 20.

Go now to www.nuptdc.org to view the Program OVERVIEW PowerPoint AND to join a cohort, RSVP, and submit a verification form.

Get access to our program & online National Board support network.

For program information and cohort details contact Doug Lea,
NU-NBCT Ambassador at dlea@nu.edu

About the Master of Arts with an NBC Teacher Leadership Specializations

- 10 one-month online courses
- Groups of 15 are eligible for a 15 percent reduction on current tuition; **enrollment deadline for this cohort is listed on the previous page**
- No GRE: Portfolio vs. Thesis
- Financial Aid available
- Develop the National Board Portfolio (your thesis) during NBC classes
- Option available to submit your portfolio to the NBPTS for scoring to earn national certification
- Current tuition is \$1,620 per course
- First course, NBCX1201X is \$550 with a cohort

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Core Requirements

EDT 612	Meaningful Learning w/ Tech
MAT 641	Education & Social Pluralism
MAT 642	Program Design
MAT 643	Models of Teaching
MAT 644	Foundations of Curriculum

Specialization Requirements

NBCX 1201X	Quality Teaching and Learning
NBC 681	Membership in Learning Community
NBC 682	Videotape Analysis
NBC 683	Student Work and Assessments
NBC 639	Leadership Portfolio

Proposed NBC-Master's Schedule

FEB	NBCX 1201X
MARCH	MAT 641
APRIL	MAT 642
MAY	MAT 643
JUNE	MAT 644
JULY	EDT 612
<i>AUG</i>	<i>OFF</i>
SEPT	NBC 681
OCT	NBC 682
NOV	NBC 682
<i>DEC</i>	<i>OFF</i>
JAN	NBC 683
<i>FEB</i>	<i>OFF</i>
MARCH	NBC 639

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