

MTD Instructor Certificate Program



What is the MTD Instructor Certificate Program?

The MTD ICP is a vocational non academic 14- appointment class intensive program taught in a series of two parts. The first ten appointments will be through the House & MTD Online Interactive program, and the final four will be through [The MTD Fundamental Online Courses](#).

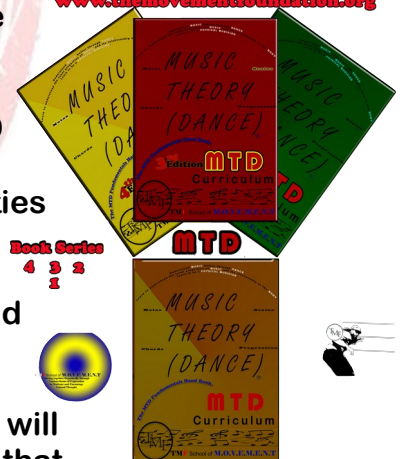
What is the purpose of this program?

The primary purpose for this program is to offer an instructor certification of the MTD methodology to individuals looking to pursue an alternative approach to teaching. But more importantly introduce the concept and ideology of certification for educational study. By establishing such a platform, the student will be able to build a credible resume of clear and comprehensive academic study enabling them to become a notable teacher and educator in their own right. With this approach there can be a clear intentional goal and purpose, there can be a distinction between those properly pursuing an academic approach or those just simply wanting to further their knowledge in general. Moreover, this will preserve the proper integrity of the art form, which will create an historical and traditional template for future generations to follow.

What will I learn?

For this program in particular, the focal point will be from the views and perspectives of MikeU4ria. Primarily the MTD Intensive Program will revolve around the methodology and concepts from the Music Theory (Dance) curriculum (The MTD curriculum is an 8-month music and dance program created and introduced in 2009 by MikeU4ria that teaches the properties of music and music composition through movement). Mike who has been an active practitioner in New York City's underground house culture for over 20 years will educate and share his insightful knowledge of the dance through his personal experience. In addition, this program will also teach the language of the [MTD Fundamental Book series](#). Students will learn the basic knowledge and theory of music, an element that governs the overall context of the dance understanding the concept of improvisation as it pertains to music and the translation of this concept as it relates to the body. Moreover, understanding the social and historical imprint of Classical, Jazz, and Hip-Hop musical art forms, which has influenced American culture that intern, influenced the dance to spread on a global scale. And lastly, [Movmentation](#) a dance notation system designed to record and document various movements as an aid to assist in both the creative development of movement and or choreographed score stage presentation.

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What are the details of this intensive?

The projected period for this program will be three to four months. Which will be on a weekly basis, each session will be 3 hours (2 hours dance and movement, 1 hour Discussion) This intensive will be in the form of a one on one online interactive, dance and discussion template that will require a final thesis both written and visually displayed. Within the first ten appointments, along with the general dance program, there will be study of the entire MTD book series and its subject contents along with sound and written material given to research. In the final four appointments, there will be recorded subject material to view and study with detailed instructions presented in each video where, at the end, you will go through a series of quizzes based on what you learned throughout the entire course. Upon completing the first half of the course if passed you will begin the second half; on completion of the second half you will be presented with the “Certificate of Achievement for Certified Instructor” acknowledging that you completed the full program.



What will this certificate certify me for?

- Authorized use of the official **MTD** Logo
- Updates on new products and material
- Discount on new MTD products
- Workshop & Lecture opportunities

Maintaining a clear quality standard

To maintain the proper maintenance and quality standard, your certificate only authorizes you to teach the MTD Methodology in a normal class system setting. Private classes can only to be authorized and or done by MikeU4ria.

What materials do I need?

- The MTD Fundamentals Hand Book **1st Edition + Eventually the entire book series during the program**
(Cost not included in the program)
- Pen or pencil
- Text notebook
- Recording media

Pricing:

- First 10-appointments= **\$600.00**
(Payment is due 24 hours prior to program start time)
- Final 4-appointments= **\$80.00**(MTD Fundamental Online Courses)
(Pay at the end of your 10 appointments)

Instructions:

- Log on to www.themovementfoundation.org.
- Go to [privacy-agreement](#) found under the (*TSOM tab*).
- Fill out the Register Questionnaire.
- Wait to receive your password via email to access the “*House & MTD Online Interactive*” page.
- Choose the “***MTD Instructor Certificate Program***” class option.

Terms of Use and Guarantee:

Note: In order to receive your certificates, you must complete this program in its entire succession from the first **ten appointments** to the **final four**. If for any reason you cannot commit to the **10 appointments**, you must communicate this by the completion of the **second appointment**, by which you will receive a refund of 25% of the cost (\$150.00)

Note: This is a **vocational certificate** and therefore not recognized by the state or any formal educational institution.

Supporting MTD:

- As an official MTD Instructor any class taught using the MTD methodology **10%** of your tender is to be donated back to MTD.
- Any workshop or Lecture opportunities that is granted by MikeU4ria **15%** of your tender is to be donated back to MTD.

I understand and agree to all the information written above.

Name-----

Signature-----

Date -----/-----/-----