

ES Educational Philosophy

Our approach

The **TU Delft Extension School for Continuing Education** is committed to providing a high-quality, stimulating and engaging (online) learning experience, which supports professionals and lifelong learners from across the globe, interested in engineering, science, and design. We strive for a learner-centred approach, which is inclusive and accessible to all. One of our goals is to support learners interested in building a better society by focusing on solving global challenges.

Our course experience

We balance flexibility, diversity, supportiveness, interactivity, contextualisation, and innovation, as outlined in our [Online Learning Experience](#) principles. Our courses provide a collaborative learning space, where our global learners can share valuable new insights and meaningful learning with each other and TU Delft. We develop our courses based on open practices, and share open resources, whenever possible, as part of our stance on educating the world. Most importantly, our course content is aligned with the learning objectives, learning activities and the target audience, and our assessments are authentic, varied and inclusive.

Our portfolio

In our portfolio, we use a mixture of introductory engineering principles and cutting-edge concepts, and we employ diverse teaching methods and a variety of digital tools to stimulate active learning. Best practices and resources from the Extension School flow back into our campus education. Our portfolio aligns with the UN Sustainable Development Goals and includes case studies from all over the world. We support learners in expanding their academic and business networks, especially through our professional education. Within our portfolio, we strive to enable learners to apply and integrate knowledge and skills in interdisciplinary tasks, while building communities of practice that drive innovation.