

Center for Academic and Professional Development (CAPD)

The Center for Academic & Professional Development was established to extend the resources of the Florida State University. Housed in the Augustus B. Turnbull III Florida State Conference Center, the experienced CAPD staff support a variety of learning opportunities as they provide services to colleges, departments, and students on campus and online.

Professional Development and Test Preparation Courses

CAPD offers continuing education workshops and online courses that assist many professionals in maintaining their licenses or to stay competitive. These include courses in web design and development and a Certificate in Financial Planning, to provide the skills needed to be successful in today's work environment. The Center offers test prep courses for the GMAT, GRE and LSAT designed by a team of former standardized exam question writers and preparation experts to focus students on acceptance to graduate school.

Academic Programs

CAPD provides academic credit courses, including part-time degree and certificate programs, for the nontraditional student and continues to identify and develop new course offerings to support lifelong learners. Courses are offered on and off campus and online. Specialized courses and teacher institutes are held each summer, including the FSU Holocaust Institute for Educators, the Orff-Schulwerk Music Teacher Education Course, and the Art Therapy Program. CAPD also coordinates the returning student scholarship for students 23 years of age or older and administers summer camps for college departments.

Conferencing

The Augustus B. Turnbull III Florida State Conference Center, located at 555 West Pensacola Street, adjacent to FSU's five-story St. Augustine parking garage, hosts small meetings to large international conferences. Center event coordinators assist clients with planning on-site events and registration for attendees. The three-story Jacobean style Center is approximately 47,000 square feet and has 11 meeting spaces, including a 350-seat auditorium, a 280-seat dining room (with catering kitchen), an elegant atrium, 7 breakout rooms, an executive boardroom, a business meeting room, a training room, a full service video studio, and administrative offices. The Conference Center provides the latest in technology infrastructure to support on-site and off-site event presentations. In addition, recording of events through live webcasts are converted to online learning materials for training purposes. To learn more, visit at: <http://learningforlife.fsu.edu>.

Room Information

Room Number	Square Feet	Seating (Theatre)
101	820	48
103	1,868	120
105	778	50
108	4,828	350
114	936	70
115	601	45
201	820	48
205	904	60
208	5,083	350
214	1,433	96
215	601	-
Atrium	1,800	-

