

# Problem Based Learning

### **DESCRIPTION:**

The intent of the course is to provide attendees with an understanding of **Problem Based Learning**. To improve the attendee's ability to implement, practice, and modify their teaching techniques to optimize student learning processes and experiences.

Built upon cognitive theories to enhance students' abilities to apply knowledge and solve real-world dilemmas in various situations.

An IADLEST Webinar for Instructor Development

The goal of this pedagogical model is to aid students in achieving five objectives:

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

- Construct an extensive and flexible knowledge base,
- Develop practical problem-solving skills,
- Develop self-directed, lifelong learning skills,
- · Become effective collaborators, and
- Become intrinsically motivated to learn.



## **INSTRUCTOR:**

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Kenneth F. Ehrman is an Investigator at the California Department of Motor Vehicles Investigations Division. He has over twenty-eight years of law enforcement experience, including five years at the California Department of Corrections and twenty-two years as an investigator. He is a POST certified instructor in defensive tactics, strategic communication, and de-escalation of force and crisis intervention. Kenneth is a subject matter expert in counterfeit document identification and provides training to law enforcement agencies throughout California. Kenneth has developed a curriculum on domestic terrorism. strategic communication, de-escalation of force, and identity theft. Kenneth has a Doctorate Degree in Public Administration focusing on the effects of legislation on de-escalation of force training and is a Policing Fellow at the National Police Institute. Kenneth serves in various volunteer positions at his church and his community. He serves as the Chair of the California Boating and Waterways Commission, President of the Association of Motor Vehicle Investigators of California, and Vice President of the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association.