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## **Essentials of Educational Evaluation** **Fairness Issues in Educational Assessment** Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Teacher Evaluation Evaluating Learning Environments

### **Fairness Issues in Educational Assessment** Apr 26 2021

Fairness and ethicality have been at the center of the debates on the appropriate use of educational tests since the 1960s.

Particularly in high-stakes contexts, it is clear that fairness should be a major concern to both the test developers, and to those being tested, given that the fairness of a test is so intertwined with its validity. *Fairness Issues in Educational Assessment* aims to shed more light on the issue and bring to sight some of the ways in which test fairness can be addressed. The contributions, written by some of the most prominent figures in educational assessment, address both theoretical and practical aspects of test fairness. The wealth of ideas presented here will be valuable to novice researchers and help them appreciate both the joy and complexity of conducting fair educational measurement. This book was originally published as a special issue of *Educational Research and Evaluation*.

### *Evaluating Educational Performance* Jan 28 2024

**Evaluating School Programs** Feb 27 2024 Achieve lasting educational benefits through masterfully administered school program evaluations! The annual process of evaluating school programs raises a legitimate question: how to implement quality program evaluations that will not drain a school's resources, but instead help create a school culture that promotes inspired teaching and high academic achievement-and meets NCLB guidelines? In this updated edition of the bestselling text, authors James R. Sanders and Carolyn D. Sullins demonstrate how an effective program evaluation process can conserve resources while yielding substantial benefits for teachers, parents, students,

and schools. This user-friendly resource provides concise yet comprehensive coverage of school program evaluation through a highly regarded five-step program. Illustrated by examples and case studies, this approach is designed to help educators develop competence and confidence in program evaluation. Both practicing and aspiring educators can learn to: Successfully manage logistical and scheduling problems Strategically approach school politics, ethical considerations, and interpersonal relations Comprehensively organize and analyze information regarding school programs Effectively respond to the No Child Left Behind Act Discover how to skillfully administer school evaluations that produce lasting educational results!

**Evaluating Teaching and Learning** Nov 01 2021 Evaluating Teaching and Learning explains how evaluation can be more effective in enhancing the quality of teaching and learning and introduces broader and more diverse forms of evaluation.

*Understanding and Evaluating Qualitative Educational Research* Sep 11 2022 When learning how to read, analyze, and design one's own research, it is useful to review examples of similar research. *Understanding and Evaluating Qualitative Educational Research* uses published research articles to teach students how to understand and evaluate qualitative research in education. Each example within a category of qualitative research - ethnography, grounded theory, phenomenology, case study, action research, narrative, and mixed methods - is accompanied by commentary from the editor regarding why the particular approach was used and how and why the various aspects of the example relate back to the approach taken. This commentary guides students in learning how to read, analyze, and create their own qualitative research studies. Included in the text is a series of "Issues and Concepts" that are at the forefront of the changing field. This text gives students in qualitative educational research a well-rounded

and practical look at what qualitative research is, along with how to read, analyze, and design studies themselves.

Evaluating Learning Environments Feb 22 2021 The recent trend in innovative school design has provided exciting places to both learn and teach. New generation learning environments have encouraged educators to unleash responsive pedagogies previously hindered by traditional classrooms, and has allowed students to engage in a variety of learning experiences well beyond the traditional 'chalk and talk' common in many schools. These spaces have made cross-disciplinary instruction, collaborative learning, individualised curriculum, ubiquitous technologies, and specialised equipment more accessible than ever before. The quality of occupation of such spaces has also been encouraging. Many learning spaces now resemble places of collegiality, intellectual intrigue and comfort, as opposed to the restrictive and monotonous classrooms many of us experienced in years past. These successes, however, have generated a very real problem. Do these new generation learning environments actually work - and if so, in what ways? Are they leading to the sorts of improved experiences and learning outcomes for students they promise? This book describes strategies for assessing what is actually working. Drawing on the best thinking from our best minds - doctoral students tackling the challenge of isolating space as a variable within the phenomenon of contemporary schooling - Evaluating Learning Environments draws together thirteen approaches to learning environment evaluation that capture the latest thinking in terms of emerging issues, methods and knowledge.

**Testing for Learning** Dec 15 2022 Evaluation sends a message. It points to what is valued and ignores what is not perceived to be important. Educational evaluation--testing and assessment--has been telling students, teachers, administrators, and legislators that

the system values rote memorization and passive recognition of single correct answers.

*Handbook on Educational Specialist Evaluation* Jun 08 2022 Easy-to-use, authoritative, and flexible, the tools in this book and CD-ROM have been developed over the last 15 years and have been field tested in over 500 schools. These tools will empower you to do your evaluations based on current thinking and best practices.

**Evaluating School Programs** Nov 25 2023 This updated edition of the bestseller features a five-step NCLB-based process that demonstrates how skillfully administered annual program evaluations result in lasting educational benefits.

*Evaluating Educational Interventions* Jun 01 2024 Introduction to design and analysis for educational intervention -- The nuts and bolts of single-case design -- The classic A-B-A-B design -- Complex single-case designs -- Visual analysis and interpretation strategies for single-case design -- Advanced empirical analyses of single-case data in practice and research -- Brief experimental analysis -- Single-case design for research purposes -- A response-to-intervention model incorporating experimental design.

**Evaluating Teaching** Sep 23 2023 This invaluable resource demonstrates how to foster the development of highly qualified teachers through designing and implementing a solid teacher evaluation system.

**Evaluating Educational and Social Programs** Apr 18 2023 Contains a model report and model proposals.

**Evaluating America's Teachers** Jul 10 2022 When teacher evaluations are fair, everyone wins. Poor evaluation systems don't just hurt teachers—they hurt students, too. That's why America can't afford to wait for the teacher-evaluation problem to be solved. To provide balanced, accurate, and rigorous evaluations that take into account each teacher's particular circumstances, only one system can work: evidence-governed collegial judgment.

This book includes: A discussion of common evaluation systems, including testing, value-added models, and observations Analysis of federal guidelines and state responses Action steps teachers and school leaders can take to influence policy A clear rationale and strategies for implementing a teacher evaluation model based on human judgment

**Evaluation in Distance Education and E-learning** Jun 28 2021  
With the rapid proliferation of distance education and e-learning courses, the need is growing for a comprehensive, professional approach to evaluating their effectiveness. This indispensable book offers a road map to guide evaluation practice in these innovative learning environments. Providing practical, step-by-step guidelines and tools for conducting evaluation studies—including how to deal with stakeholders, develop surveys and interview protocols, collect other scientific evidence, and analyze and blend mixed-methods data—the work also features a template for writing high-quality reports. The "unfolding model" developed by the authors draws on Messick's influential assessment framework and applies it to program evaluation. Two case studies of actual programs (a distance learning course and an e-learning course) demonstrate the unfolding model in action.

Evaluating School Programs Dec 27 2023 This guide was written to provide teachers and administrators in primary and secondary school systems with basic programme evaluation principals and procedures to aid them in planning and evaluating school programmes. Evaluating School Programs provides concise, yet comprehensive coverage of a complex topic in a highly usable format. It will take the reader through the five tasks of school programme evaluation (focusing the evaluation, collecting information, organizing and analyzing information, reporting information, and administering the evaluation), providing examples along the way. The examples are designed to help the reader

develop competence and confidence in programme evaluation. James Sanders shows how to successfully manage the many logistical, budgetary, and scheduling problems encountered, and provides tips on how to deal with school politics, ethical considerations, and interpersonal relations as well.

**Research and Evaluation Methods in Special Education** Aug 30 2021 This text will enable readers to use tools to design, conduct and report research in a way that transforms, when appropriate, the delivery of special education.

Measuring and Evaluating School Learning Mar 18 2023 This book uses a practical approach to introduce readers to the elements of assessment which are essential to quality teaching. Measuring and Evaluating School Learning focuses on the information and skills teachers need to design, develop, analyze, and interpret tests and to use test results in planning, monitoring, and evaluating instruction. Since its first appearance, this book has presented a systems-based approach to classroom assessment. Readers are challenged to consider their students' characteristics, school district curricula, and their particular school's environment and resources in developing their tests. The third edition has built on this systems foundation and anchors these concepts to recent reform movements related to learner-centered and curriculum-centered classroom assessment and teacher accountability. For educational measurement, evaluation, assessment, and testing.

**Educational Assessment and Evaluation: School effectiveness, accountability and international comparisons of educational achievement** May 08 2022 SPECIAL

INTRODUCTORY PRICE (Valid until 3 months after publication)

Assessment and evaluation are crucial aspects of any educational system and rarely can they have been so central to educational policy-making and the reform of schooling as at the present time. (The introduction of the National Curriculum and Testing system in

the UK and the test-based No Child Left Behind legislation in the USA are but two high-profile examples.) Assessment processes interact with curriculum and teaching methods to frame the student experience of education, and the outcomes of assessment are crucially important in determining individual educational progression and socio-economic futures. Equally, assessment is used by policy-makers to focus instruction on core elements of educational provision, and the aggregate outcomes of assessment are employed to measure the quality and effectiveness of an educational system. Good quality assessment is vital to individual student life-chances and to issues of parental choice, school reputation, government policy evaluation, and long-term economic development. Poor quality assessment can disrupt all of these elements of an effective school system by, for example, narrowing what is taught and learned to only the limited range of skills and abilities examined through paper-and-pencil tests. As serious thinking about and around assessment and evaluation continues to flourish and develop, this new title in Routledge's Major Themes in Education series meets the need for an authoritative reference work to make sense of the subject's vast literature and the continuing explosion in research output. Edited by Harry Torrance, a leading scholar in the field, this Routledge Major Work is a four-volume collection of foundational and cutting-edge contributions. With comprehensive introductions to each volume, newly written by the editor, which place the collected material in its historical and intellectual context, Educational Assessment and Evaluation is an essential work of reference. It is destined to be valued by specialists in assessment and evaluation and scholars working in related areas as well as by educational policy-makers and professionals as a vital one-stop research tool.

Evaluating Educational Programs and Products Jul 02 2024

Abstract: Prepared as a guide and handbook for planners,



developers, and evaluators of educational programs and products, practical insights are given on planning and executing effective evaluations. The evaluator's work is viewed as establishing perspective, planning the evaluation, and analyzing the data. Procedures that are appropriate for each of these activities are identified for the reader. The subject matter in this multiauthored book is divided into roles and contexts, models and strategies, and methods and techniques. Contributors also depict today's standards for evaluation and project what those standards will be in the future.

Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Teacher Evaluation Mar 25 2021  
In the wake of national interest in teacher evaluation, this book examines what we have learned about how and whether teacher evaluation holds teachers accountable and improves their practice. Drawing on literature in psychology, economics, and sociology, this multi-disciplinary and multi-perspectival book explores teacher evaluation's intended goals of development and accountability, as well as its unintended consequences, especially as they relate to equity. Blending theory from diverse disciplines with decades of research, this book provides new insights into how teacher evaluation has played out in schools across the United States and offers recommendations for research, policy, and practice in the years to come. Insights include how to embed teacher evaluation in a larger culture of continuous learning; rethinking assumptions on accountability and development aims; and highlighting the importance of equity in the design, implementation, and outcomes of teacher evaluation. Every chapter concludes with practical recommendations informed by theory and research to guide policymakers, researchers, and district and school leaders as they seek to understand, design, and implement better teacher evaluation systems.

**Evaluating School Programs** Mar 30 2024 This updated edition

of the bestseller features a five-step NCLB-based process that demonstrates how skillfully administered annual program evaluations result in lasting educational benefits.

**Retreat on Educational Evaluation** Jan 04 2022

**Understanding and Evaluating Educational Research** Apr 30 2024 Designed to supplement a course in research practices, the text offers suggestions on how to evaluate and interpret research articles and reports.

**Testing Student Learning, Evaluating Teaching Effectiveness** Nov 13 2022 This book takes a hard look at the professional, technical, and public policy issues surrounding student achievement and teacher effectiveness—and shows how testing and accountability can play a vital role in improving American schools.

Evaluating Teaching Jul 22 2023 This book presents current research and thinking about teacher evaluation, and provides a coherent and comprehensive approach to designing, implementing and monitoring quality teacher-evaluation systems.

**Essentials of Educational Evaluation** May 27 2021

**The SAGE Encyclopedia of Educational Research, Measurement, and Evaluation** Dec 03 2021 This encyclopedia is the first major reference guide for students new to the field, covering traditional areas while pointing the way to future developments.

**Grading the College** Feb 02 2022 A comprehensive history of evaluation in American higher education. In *Grading the College*, Scott M. Gelber offers a comprehensive history of evaluating teaching and learning in higher education. He complicates the conventional narrative that portrays evaluation as a newfangled assault on the integrity of higher education while acknowledging that there are many compelling reasons to oppose those practices. The evaluation of teaching and learning, Gelber argues, presented

genuine dilemmas that have attracted the attention of faculty members and academic leaders since the 1920s. Especially during the peak era of faculty authority that followed the end of the Second World War, significant numbers of professors and administrators believed that evaluation might improve institutional performance, reduce the bias inherent in traditional methods of supervision, strengthen communication with laypersons, and encourage a more deliberate focus on the distinctive goals of college. Gelber reveals the extent to which professors and academic interest groups participated in the development of our most common evaluation instruments, including student course questionnaires, achievement tests, surveys, rubrics, rankings, and accreditation self-studies. Although these efforts may seem distant from the present era of shortsighted scrutiny and ill-conceived comparisons, Gelber demonstrates that the evaluation of college teaching and learning has long consisted of a set of intellectually sophisticated questions that have engaged, and could continue to engage, faculty members and their advocates. By providing a deeper understanding of how evaluation operated before the dawn of high-stakes accountability, *Grading the College* seeks to promote productive conversations about current attempts to define and measure the purposes of American higher education.

*An Introduction to Educational Assessment, Measurement and Evaluation* Jul 30 2021

*Evaluating Educational Environments* May 20 2023

*Reading and Evaluating Educational Research* Oct 25 2023

**Encyclopedia of Educational Evaluation** Oct 13 2022

Encyclopaedia on the evaluation of education and training - covers topics such as evaluation techniques, computer assisted instruction, statistical analysis, network analysis, simulation, etc. Bibliography pp. 473 to 498 and statistical tables.

*Evaluating Educational Technology* Aug 11 2022 Features

chapters by today's leading authorities who outline research designs, methodologies, and types of assessments that can be used to more effectively evaluate educational technologies.

*Educational Evaluation: Theory and Practice* Apr 06 2022

**Evaluation Models** Oct 01 2021 Attempting formally to evaluate something involves the evaluator coming to grips with a number of abstract concepts such as value, merit, worth, growth, criteria, standards, objectives, needs, norms, client, audience, validity, reliability, objectivity, practical significance, accountability, improvement, process, product, formative, summative, costs, impact, information, credibility, and - of course - with the term evaluation itself. To communicate with colleagues and clients, evaluators need to clarify what they mean when they use such terms to denote important concepts central to their work. Moreover, evaluators need to integrate these concepts and their meanings into a coherent framework that guides all aspects of their work. If evaluation is to lay claim to the mantle of a profession, then these conceptualizations of evaluation must lead to the conduct of defensible evaluations. The conceptualization of evaluation can never be a one-time activity nor can any conceptualization be static. Conceptualizations that guide evaluation work must keep pace with the growth of theory and practice in the field. Further, the design and conduct of any particular study involves a good deal of localized conceptualization.

*Measuring and Evaluating School Learning* Jun 20 2023 Textbook on establishing and evaluating student assessment programs of various types.

**Measurement and Evaluation** Mar 06 2022 First Published in 1999. Routledge is an imprint of Taylor & Francis, an informa company.

*Evaluating Educational Interventions* Aug 23 2023 This innovative guide is now in a revised and expanded second edition with an

even stronger applied focus. It helps educators harness the potential of single-case design (SCD) as a critical element of data-based decision making in a multi-tiered system of support (MTSS). The authors present simple and complex SCDs and demonstrate their use to defensibly document the effects of academic or behavioral interventions. In a convenient large-size format, the book includes reproducible graphs and other tools; appendices provide guides to analyzing and presenting data in Microsoft Excel. Purchasers get access to a Web page where they can download and print the reproducible materials. New to This Edition \*Updated to align perfectly with MTSS and current evidence-based practices. \*Chapter on using SCD in educational research. \*Greater emphasis on day-to-day educational practice throughout. \*Significantly revised discussions of brief experimental analysis, complex SCDs, and advanced empirical analyses.

**Evaluating Educational Performance** Jan 16 2023

Educational Evaluation, Assessment and Monitoring Feb 14 2023

This book looks at the foundations of school self-evaluation from a scientific as from a practical perspective. Planning concepts, restructuring of education systems, organizational theory on schools, evaluation methodology and models of school effectiveness and school improvement are discussed as contributing to the overall conceptualization of school self-evaluation. A broad range of approaches is presented and methodological requirements are discussed. School self-evaluation contains controversial issues that reflect tension between the need for objectivity in a context that is permeated by values and potential conflicts of interests. Similar tensions may be seen to exist with respect to the static and "reductionist" aspects of available data collection procedures in a complex and dynamic situation and the appeal for external accountability on the one hand and improvement oriented self-reflection on the other. The

mission of the book is to clarify these tensions and offer ways to deal with them in practical applications. The school effectiveness knowledge base is offered as a substantive educational frame of references that serves an important function in selecting relevant factors for data collection and the use of the evaluation results.

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