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## **About this site**

In knowledge society **theories of learning and teaching** are **the very foundations** of all activities. The **wealth** of scientific work and results in this field during 20th century **is far from being used**, even **far from being known** to all who practice teaching.

Our **ultimate goal** is **bettering learning** and teaching in practice.

Therefore, we continuously seek to find a comprehensive yet intuitive, logical and easy to use overview of learning (and teaching) theories. This overview is to serve our own research and educational practice as well as to be an easy to use tool for other practitioners. In this process we decided to share our findings with others. These pages are the result. Below you can find other similar resources we found to be useful.

If you would like to contribute to these pages or collaborate with us in a broader sense, we would like to hear from you.

Please do not hesitate to send us your comments, suggestions or critique.

Zašto su ove stranice na engleskom jeziku?

#### **Content**

If **you are new** to the field, we suggest that you go to "Learning paradigms and theories" where you will find overview that can be easily comprehended and followed.

If you are **looking for something** specific, you might want to use the **search box** (top right corner of this page) or the **site map** (bottom right corner of this page).

If **you are wondering** how can all this be of use in educational practice, we compiled our list of conclusions under "IMPLICATIONS".

Our contribution to your study of the field	$\rightarrow$	What is learning	Learning paradigms and theories	IMPLICATIONS
The "players" in the field you can learn from	$\rightarrow$	Researchers	Institutions	Projects
Relevant sources of information	→	Web Pages	Journals & Magazines	Conferences
Useful while researching or implementing	$\rightarrow$	Tools	Glossary	Bibliography

### Other resources

Other, more or less similar in intention, resources we identified and found usefull for our work so far are:

- 1. Explorations in Learning & Instruction: The Theory Into Practice Database Dr. Greg Kearsley
- 2. Instructional Design Theory Database Project

- 3. Learning-Theories.com
- 4. Theories of Learning in Educational Psychology Sunny Cooper
- 5. Queen's University Centre for Teaching and Learning
- 6. Learning Theories and Higher Education Dublin Institute of Technology
- 7. IDKB Instructional Desgin Knowledge Base Nada Dabbagh, George Mason University
- 8. Learning Theories and Instruction Meredith Alvin
- 9. OCSLD: Theories of Learning Oxford Centre for Staff and Learning Development
- 10. Online Learning Laboratory University of South Alabama

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