ANTH20008 Sexing the Self

Credit Points:	12.50			
Level:	2 (Undergraduate)			
Dates & Locations:	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus. Standard			
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: A 2-hour lecture each week and a 1-hour tutorial in weeks 2-11 Total Time Commitment: An average of 8.5 hours per week			
Prerequisites:	25 points of 1st year Arts subjects			
Corequisites:	None			
Recommended Background Knowledge:	Knowledge gained in the successful completion of at least one of the following subjects.			
	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	
	ANTH10001 Anthropology: Studying Human Diversity	Semester 2	12.50	
	DEVT10001 The Developing World	Semester 1	12.50	
Non Allowed Subjects:	None			
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering requests for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Students Experiencing Academic Disadvantage Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Description, Subject Objectives, Generic Skills and Assessment Requirements of this entry. The University is dedicated to provide support to those with special requirements. Further details on the disability support scheme can be found at the Disability Liaison Unit website: http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/			
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Subject Overview:	This subject explores the construction of gender and sex in a variety of the world"s societies. On completion of the subject students should have gained a knowledge of gender-based systems of social classification in non-Western societies. have acquired a knowledge of contemporary critiques of the representation of women"s and men"s lives in ethnography. and have explored the anthropology of sexual reproduction.			
Objectives:	Students who successfully complete this subject will: # have an understanding of the construction of sex, gender and reproduction in a variety of the world"s societies. # have gained a knowledge of gender-based systems of social classification in non-Western societies. # have acquired a knowledge of contemporary critiques of the representation of women"s and men"s lives in ethnography.			
Assessment:	A research essay of 2000 words 50% (due at the end of semester), a tutorial assignment 500 words 10% (due one week after presentation in week chosen by student) and a take-home examination of 1500 words 40% (due mid-semester).			
Prescribed Texts:	To be advised			

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Breadth Options:	This subject potentially can be taken as a breadth subject component for the following courses: # Bachelor of Biomedicine (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-BMED) # Bachelor of Commerce (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-COM) # Bachelor of Environments (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-ENVS) # Bachelor of Music (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-MUS) # Bachelor of Science (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/B-SCI) # Bachelor of Engineering (https://handbook.unimelb.edu.au/view/2010/355AA) You should visit learn more about breadth subjects (http://breadth.unimelb.edu.au/breadth/info/index.html) and read the breadth requirements for your degree, and should discuss your choice with your student adviser, before deciding on your subjects.	
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees	
Generic Skills:	Students who successfully complete this subject will: # have practice in conducting research and speaking articulately. # have practice in writing clearly in a variety of formats and reading with attention to detail. # have experience of systematically evaluating a body of empirical data and identifying its theoretical context. # have experience of methods of critical inquiry and argument leading to improved analytical skills. # have acquired awareness of issues relating to cross-cultural communication.	
Links to further information:	http://www.pasi.unimelb.edu.au/anthropology/	
Notes:	This subject is core in the Graduate Diploma in Arts (Anthropology and Social Theory) and in the Major in Anthropology and Social Theory. This subject satisfies the third-year breadth requirement for third-year students in the Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Biomedicine when taken in 2010 only.	
Related Majors/Minors/ Specialisations:	Anthropology Anthropology & Development Anthropology and Development Anthropology and Social Theory Anthropology and Social Theory Anthropology and Social Theory Development Studies Development Studies Development Studies Development Studies Major Gender Studies Gender Studies Gender Studies Gender Studies Gender Studies Major	

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