ABPL40026 Research Project A (Honours)

Credit Points:	12.50		
Level:	4 (Undergraduate)		
Dates & Locations:	2011, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus. Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus.		
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: TBA Total Time Commitment: Not available		
Prerequisites:	The subject listed below or approval of the coordinator.		
	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	ABPL40041 Research Methods (Honours)	Semester 1	12.50
Corequisites:	None specified		
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None specified		
Non Allowed Subjects:	None specified		
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/		
Contact:	Environments and Design Student Centre Ground Floor, Baldwin Spencer (building 113) Enquiries Phone: 13 MELB (13 6352) Website: http://www.msd.unimelb.edu.au /)		
Subject Overview:	Students undertake a research project over the semester, thereby gaining experience in posing research questions, searching the literature and in using basic research methods for collecting and analysing data and presenting the results in a competently written research project report. Regular meetings will be held with the supervisor during the semester for gaining advice on the study topic and technical matters. Material prepared in 705-444 (ABPL40041) Research Methods, is expected to form an integral part of the final research report.		
Objectives:	None specified		
Assessment:	A 10,000 word research project report. However, the 5000 words of assignments produced for 705-444 (ABPL40041) Research Methods, are expected to be refined and incorporated as part of the final report. Students must also orally present their projects in mid-semester. Although this mid-year seminar is not assessed, the report will not be accepted for examination unless a presentation has been made. Appropriate examiner(s) other than the supervisor will examine the final research report.		
Prescribed Texts:	None specified		
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.		
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees		

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Generic Skills:	# Critical thinking and analysis # Ability to seek out, retrieve and evaluate information from multiple sources # Understanding and lucid expression of complex concepts in written and oral form # Time management skills # Appreciation and implementation of the ethics associated with knowledge creation and usage # Report writing skills	
Links to further information:	http://www.abp.unimelb.edu.au/current-students/abp-ugraduate/	

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