**Pathology** 

| Year and Campus:                   | 2015  |                            |                   |  |
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| Overview:                          | The Honours program in the Department of Pathology provides an introduction to the challenging area of investigation of disease at the cellular and molecular level. Students will undertake a full-time research project based in a laboratory within the Department of Pathology or at one of our affiliated institutions. A student undertaking Honours in the Department of Pathology will have a strong interest in investigating and understanding the mechanisms of disease. |                            |                   |  |
| Learning Outcomes:                 | The course is composed of a laboratory based research project, supported by course work, which will give students experience in the areas of -  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # Design and execution of experiments   |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # Learning new laboratory techniques and procedures  # Construction of a title, hypothesis and relevant aims for a project  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # Acquisition, interpretation and critical analysis of data.  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # Reporting of experimental data in a concise and scientific manner through the preparation of a Thesis that is consistent with that published in scientific manuscripts  # Reporting of experimental data, through the preparation of a Thesis report, in a concise and scientific manner consistent with that published in scientific manuscripts  # Oral communication of results via presentations to a scientific audience   |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | Students completing Honours in the Department of Patholog for further studies as a Research Higher Degree candidate canalysis experience.   |                            |                   |  |
| Structure & Available<br>Subjects: | The Honours program consists of 100 credit points completed over 12 months full time (or part time equivalent) comprising of two (2) Advanced Coursework subjects and a Research Project.   |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | To be awarded Honours with a specialisation in Pathology, students must successfully complete the following:  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # BIOM40001 - Introduction to Biomedical Research (12.5 points)   |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # PATH40002 - Critical Analysis of Pathology Research (12.5 points)   |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | # PATH40001 and PATH40005 - Pathology Research Project (75 points)  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | There are no elective subjects in this Honours program.   |                            |                   |  |
| Subject Options:                   | Coursework Component  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | Students must complete 25 credit points of advanced coursework subjects. This is achieved by enrolling in the following subjects in the appropriate semesters.  |                            |                   |  |
|                                    | Subject   | Study Period Commencement: | Credit<br>Points: |  |
|                                    | BIOM40001 Introduction To Biomedical Research   | February                   | 12.50             |  |
|                                    | PATH40002 Critical Analysis of Pathology Research   | Semester 1                 | 12.50             |  |
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|                               | Students must complete a total of 75 credit points of research across the duration of the Honours program. This is achieved by enrolling in a combination of the following subjects in the appropriate semesters. |                            |                   |
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|                               | Subject   | Study Period Commencement: | Credit<br>Points: |
|                               | PATH40001 Pathology Research Project  | Semester 1                 | 25                |
|                               | PATH40005 Pathology Research Project  | Semester 2                 | 50                |
| Links to further information: | http://www.path.unimelb.edu.au/   |                            |                   |
| Related Course(s):            | Bachelor of Biomedicine (Degree with Honours) Bachelor of Science (Degree with Honours)   |                            |                   |

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