

069-AR Graduate Diploma in Arts (Arabic Studies)

Year and Campus:	2008																																								
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees																																								
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Course Overview:	<p>The graduate diploma is an introductory course of concentrated language study in Arabic. Students will acquire advanced level language skills and develop an understanding of Arab culture. The course is an entry point to an articulated structure of higher degree study and may qualify graduates for entry to the postgraduate diploma.</p> <p>Course coordinator: Dr Abdul Samad Abdullah Asia Institute Email: abdulsa@unimelb.edu.au</p>																																								
Objectives:	<p>Students who complete the graduate diploma should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # acquire skills in modern standard Arabic up to advanced levels; # become familiar with Arab culture and civilisation. 																																								
Course Structure & Available Subjects:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Language subjects (75 points) # two elective subjects (25 points) <p>Total 100 points - subjects are 12.5 points each, unless indicated otherwise.</p>																																								
Subject Options:	<p>The course comprises a three-year sequence of language learning in Arabic. Students must select a minimum of 100 points from the following subjects, of which at least 75 points must be language subjects. As a minimum language requirement, all candidates should complete:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>110-011 Arabic 3B</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Students considering higher degree language study are encouraged to consider additional subjects and should seek advice from the course coordinator or a Faculty course adviser regarding an appropriate enrolment. Language subjects</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>110-170 Arabic 1A</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-172 Arabic 1B</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-006 Arabic 2A</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-008 Arabic 2B</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-010 Arabic 3A</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-011 Arabic 3B</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-232 Arabic in Context 1</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-333 Arabic in Context 2</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-410 Arabic 4A</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>110-411 Arabic 4B</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	110-011 Arabic 3B	Semester 2	12.50	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	110-170 Arabic 1A	Semester 1	12.50	110-172 Arabic 1B	Semester 2	12.50	110-006 Arabic 2A	Semester 1	12.50	110-008 Arabic 2B	Semester 2	12.50	110-010 Arabic 3A	Semester 1	12.50	110-011 Arabic 3B	Semester 2	12.50	110-232 Arabic in Context 1	Semester 1	12.50	110-333 Arabic in Context 2	Semester 2	12.50	110-410 Arabic 4A	Semester 1	12.50	110-411 Arabic 4B	Semester 2	12.50
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Elective subjects

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
110-113 Understanding Islam and Muslim Societies	Semester 1	12.50
110-118 Language and Power in Asian Societies	Semester 1	12.50
110-211 Great Texts of Islam: Qur'an and Hadith	Semester 1	12.50
110-222 Islam and Human Rights	Not offered 2008	12.500
110-223 Islam in the West	Not offered 2008	12.500
110-227 Islam, Orientalism and the Arabs in Film	Not offered 2008	12.500
110-250 Islam, Media and Conflict	Semester 1	12.50
131-046 Great Empires of Islamic Civilisation	Semester 2	12.50
131-066 The Modern Middle East	Not offered 2008	12.500

Note: Other Arabic subjects offered by the Institute may be taken with the approval of the course coordinator.

Entry Requirements:	The minimum entry requirement is: # an undergraduate degree in any discipline.
Core Participation Requirements:	<p><p>For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Support and Engagement Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry.</p> <p>It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and Student Equity and Disability Support: http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability</p></p>
Links to further information:	http://www.asiainstitute.unimelb.edu.au
Notes:	Students with higher level language skills may complete in 1 year, or 2 years part-time. This course is designed to be taken over 3 years on a part-time basis.