

121-439 Directed Study in Development

Credit Points:	12.500
Level:	Undergraduate
Dates & Locations:	2008, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, - Taught on campus. Semester 2, - Taught on campus. .
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: A 1-hour weekly meeting with the supervisor Total Time Commitment: .
Prerequisites:	Admission to the postgraduate diploma, fourth-year combined honours in development, or completion or concurrent enrolment in 121-547 Minor Thesis, or by permission of the course coordinator.
Corequisites:	.
Recommended Background Knowledge:	.
Non Allowed Subjects:	.
Core Participation Requirements:	.
Coordinator:	Dr Salim Lakha
Subject Overview:	This subject involves a critical assessment of the literature of a research area in development studies, chosen by the student in consultation with the supervisor. The area of review will be determined during regular meetings and discussions between the student and supervisor. Regular meetings will be held to discuss the development of academic arguments in the review. Preparation of the review will include an extensive literature search by the student on the defined topic and critical appraisal of drafts by the supervisor prior to final submission of the review.
Assessment:	A written review essay of 5000 words [100%] (due at the end of semester).
Prescribed Texts:	.
Recommended Texts:	.
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
Generic Skills:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # think critically (for example, about development and its measures); # obtain information to evaluate propositions (about the principles of development); # write coherent and researched projects.
Notes:	Formerly available as 121-106. Students who have completed 121-106 are not eligible to enrol in this subject.
Related Course(s):	Postgraduate Diploma in Arts(Development Studies)