

# 161-527 Longer Applied Ethics Thesis

<b>Credit Points:</b>	50.000
<b>Level:</b>	Graduate/Postgraduate
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2008, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, - Taught on campus. Semester 2, - Taught on campus.
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Total Time Commitment: Not available
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	Admission to the MA in Professional and Applied Ethics.
<b>Corequisites:</b>	None
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	None
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	None
<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	<p>&lt;p&gt;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.&lt;/p&gt; <p>&lt;p&gt;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: &lt;a href="http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability"&gt;http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability&lt;/a&gt;&lt;/p&gt;</p> </p>
<b>Coordinator:</b>	Dr Neil Levy
<b>Subject Overview:</b>	The thesis provides students with the opportunity to research, design and write an original thesis on a topic in applied ethics. Students will also acquire research skills and an understanding of the methods required for advanced research in philosophy.
<b>Assessment:</b>	A thesis of 15 000 words on a topic to be approved by the course coordinator (due at the end of the second semester of enrolment).
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	None
<b>Breadth Options:</b>	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
<b>Fees Information:</b>	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, <a href="http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees">http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>Generic Skills:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># understand and analyse complex ethical issues;</li> <li># detect ambiguity, vagueness, inconsistency, and other weaknesses in the expressions of ideas;</li> <li># distinguish different types of question, claim or argument, and respond to them appropriately;</li> <li># distinguish what is relevant to a given issue from what is not;</li> <li># see ways in which an argument or explanation could be improved.</li> <li>#</li> </ul>
<b>Related Course(s):</b>	Master of Arts in Professional and Applied Ethics