

531-202 Basic Principles of Pathology-Optometry

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| Credit Points: | 12.50 |
| Level: | 2 (Undergraduate) |
| Dates & Locations: | 2009, This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, - Taught on campus. |
| Time Commitment: | Contact Hours: 24 lectures (two per week) and 24 hours of practical work (two hours per week) Total Time Commitment: 120 hours |
| Prerequisites: | Enrolment in the Bachelor of Optometry course. |
| Corequisites: | None |
| Recommended Background Knowledge: | None |
| Non Allowed Subjects: | None |
| Core Participation Requirements: | It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study and reasonable steps will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact upon their active and safe participation in a subject are encouraged to discuss this with the relevant subject coordinator and the Disability Liaison Unit. |
| Coordinator: | Dr Margaret Ayers |
| Subject Overview: | This subject will introduce the fundamentals of human pathology by study of causes, mechanisms of development and possible outcomes which occur in response to malfunction of tissue or organ. |
| Objectives: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # To start to understand the basic principles operating during the initiation and development of human disease. # To understand the language used to accurately describe and ask questions about these processes. |
| Assessment: | Two multiple choice question tests during the semester (15% each); a 2-hour written examination in the examination period (70%). |
| Prescribed Texts: | Basic Pathology (V Kumar, R S Cotran and S L Robbins), latest edition, W B Saunders Co Essential Pathology (E Rubin and J L Farber), latest edition, J B Libbincott Co |
| 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: | The ability to read and understand complex considerations about the relationship between normal and abnormal cellular structure and function. |
| Notes: | This subject is only available to students enrolled in the Bachelor of Optometry course. This subject will run concurrently with 531-201 (Science). |
| Related Course(s): | Bachelor of Optometry |