

# Australian Indigenous Studies

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<b>Overview:</b>	Australian Indigenous Studies is a value-driven program guided by the principles of interdisciplinarity, intellectual exchange, and social relevance. Australian Indigenous Studies offers students perspectives on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and culture. Subjects offered reflect the rich diversity of the field. Themes include Indigenous cultural production, key thinkers and concepts, Settler and Indigenous environmental ethics, Aboriginal women and coloniality, Indigenous health, and issues relating to land, law and philosophy.																											
<b>Objectives:</b>	See course objectives																											
<b>Structure &amp; Available Subjects:</b>	<p>A specialisation in Australian Indigenous Studies in the Graduate Diploma of Arts consists of:</p> <p><i>Level 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># one Australian Indigenous Studies Level 1 subject (12.5 points)</li> </ul> <p><i>Level 2</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># 37.5 points of level 2 Australian Indigenous Studies Subjects</li> </ul> <p><i>Level 3</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># The compulsory subject Critical Debates in Indigenous Studies (12.5 points)</li> <li># 37.5 points of level 3 Australian Indigenous Studies subjects.</li> </ul> <p>Total 100 points</p> <p>Students wishing to vary the selection of subjects must consult with the program coordinator.</p> <p>Students are not permitted to take more than one optional subject (12.5 points) from the list of level 2 or 3 subjects - i.e. a maximum of 12.5 points from either list of options</p>																											
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	AIND30007 Critical Debates in Indigenous Studies	Semester 2	12.50
	<b>Australian Indigenous Studies: Level 3 subjects:</b>		
	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	AIND30009 Racial Literacy: Indigeneity & Whiteness	Semester 1	12.50
	AIND30008 Historicising the Colonial Past	Semester 1	12.50
	AIND30006 Australian Environmental Philosophy	Semester 2	12.50
	AIND30010 Aboriginal Cultural Studies	Semester 1	12.50
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	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	POLS30028 On Country Learning: Indigenous Studies	February	12.50
	AHIS30005 Contemporary Aboriginal Art	Semester 1	12.50
<b>Links to further information:</b>	<a href="http://www.culture-communication.unimelb.edu.au/indigenous-studies/">http://www.culture-communication.unimelb.edu.au/indigenous-studies/</a>		
<b>Related Course(s):</b>	Graduate Diploma in Arts		