

PSYT90005 Foundations of Psychiatry

Credit Points:	18.75
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)
Dates & Locations:	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: February, Parkville - Taught on campus.
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 10 weeks x 3.5-hour seminars Total Time Commitment: Not available
Prerequisites:	.
Corequisites:	.
Recommended Background Knowledge:	.
Non Allowed Subjects:	.
Core Participation Requirements:	.
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Subject Overview:	The aim of this subject is to introduce the student to the neurosciences and their relationship to psychiatry. The student will be exposed to the diversity of this field and understand how this knowledge is integrated to understanding the individual and their illness
Objectives:	.
Assessment:	critical review of literature and class presentation (50%) and a written assessment (50%).
Prescribed Texts:	Gelder M., Mayou R. and Cowen P., Shorter Oxford Textbook of Psychiatry, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2001.Sadock B. and Sadock V., Kaplan and Sadock's Synopsis of Psychiatry: Behavioural Sciences, Clinical Psychiatry, Lippincott, Williams and Wilkins, Philadelphia, 2003.Charney, DJ, Nestler, EJ and Bunney, B (eds) Neurobiology of Mental Illness, Oxford University Press, 1999.
Recommended Texts:	McHugh PR, Slavney PR. The Perspectives of Psychiatry, 2nd ed. Baltimore: The John Hopkins University Press, 1998. Shorter E. A History of Psychiatry. New york: John Wiley & Sons, 1997. Meadows G, Singh B. Mental Health in Australia. Melbourne: Oxford University Press, 2001.
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
Related Course(s):	Master of Psychiatry