

## PSYT90007 Personality Theory & Human Behaviour

<b>Credit Points:</b>	18.75
<b>Level:</b>	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: August, Parkville - Taught on campus.
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: 12 weeks x 3.5-hour seminars Total Time Commitment: Not available
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	.
<b>Corequisites:</b>	.
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	.
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	.
<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	.
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<b>Subject Overview:</b>	<p>The focus of this subject is the study of the theory of personality and of human behaviour and its clinical and therapeutic implications. The chief aim of the course is to consider the various theoretical approaches, which have been applied in order to understand an individual's intra and interpersonal psychological world. Topics covered include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># the concept of personality;</li> <li># different theoretical approaches to the conceptualisation of personality and psychological functioning and the relationship between these approaches; and</li> <li># application of these different approaches to clinical practice, particularly psychotherapeutic treatment.</li> </ul>
<b>Objectives:</b>	.
<b>Assessment:</b>	A 4000-word essay
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	Bloch, S (Ed) (2007) An Introduction of the Psychotherapies, 4th edition, Oxford University Press, Oxford Engler, B (2007) Personality Theories: An Introduction, 7th edition, Houghton Mifflin Company, Boston Gay, P (ed) The Freud Reader, NY: Vintage, 1995 Gabbard, G., Beck J., Holmes J. (eds) (2005) Oxford Textbook of Psychotherapy, Oxford University Press Monte, C. F. (1999) Beneath the Mask: An Introduction to Theories of Personality, Academic Press (6th edition)
<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>Related Course(s):</b>	Master of Psychiatry