

095PP Postgraduate Diploma in Arts (Public Policy and Management)

Year and Campus:	2012																				
CRICOS Code:	044109A																				
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees																				
Level:	Graduate/Postgraduate																				
Duration & Credit Points:	100 credit points taken over 12 months																				
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Course Overview:	<p>The postgraduate diploma allows students to undertake a research project in a specialist field of study. Students will gain considerable knowledge in an area of public policy and engage in critical assessment of the major theoretical claims of the discipline. The course provides a pathway to higher degree research for students who have not completed honours in public policy.</p>																				
Objectives:	<p>Students who complete the postgraduate diploma should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # complete the equivalent of fourth year honours with a research component and obtain a recognised qualification; # obtain an adequate basis for pursuing advanced studies in public policy at masters or PhD level; # develop a specialist understanding of specific areas of study, showing an understanding of the latest research directions; # develop a capacity for an advanced level of analysis in relation to the specific issues in public policy. 																				
Course Structure & Available Subjects:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Thesis 12,000 words (37.5 points) # One compulsory subject (12.5 points) # One core subject (12.5 points) # three elective subjects (37.5 points) <p>Total 100 points</p>																				
Subject Options:	<p>Thesis Subject</p> <p>Students must be enrolled in the thesis subject over two consecutive semesters.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>PPMN40005 Public Policy & Management Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>18.75</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Compulsory Subject</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>POLS40013 Social Science Research Seminar</td> <td>February</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Core Subjects</p> <p>One core subject (12.5 points)</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>PPMN40001 Policy Design</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	PPMN40005 Public Policy & Management Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	18.75	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	POLS40013 Social Science Research Seminar	February	12.50	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	PPMN40001 Policy Design	Semester 1	12.50
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	PPMN40002 Organisations and Management	Semester 2	12.50
	Elective Subjects		
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	ASIA90001 Human Rights in Southeast Asia	Semester 2	12.50
	AUST90001 A Century of Australian Social Policy	Semester 1	12.50
	CULS40001 Cultural Policy and Power	Semester 1	12.50
	POLS40002 Australian Politics:Democracy & Justice	Not offered 2012	12.50
	POLS40003 Communication and Governance	Not offered 2012	12.50
	POLS40004 Justice, Democracy and Difference	Semester 1	12.50
	POLS40016 Asia-Pacific: Zone of Conflict or Peace?	Semester 2	12.50
	POLS90013 Politics and Business in post-Mao China	Semester 2	12.50
	POLS90015 Business and Government	Semester 1	12.50
	PPMN40001 Policy Design	Semester 1	12.50
	PPMN40002 Organisations and Management	Semester 2	12.50
	PPMN40004 Contemporary Issues in Governance	Semester 1	12.50
	PPMN90003 Social Policy: Special Topics	March	12.50
	PPMN90029 Managing Communications & the Media	Not offered 2012	12.50
	SOCI90003 Comparative Social Policy	Semester 2	12.50
Entry Requirements:	The minimum entry requirement is: # an undergraduate degree with a major in political science or cognate discipline with a grade average of H2B (70%) or equivalent in the major.		
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Students Experiencing Academic Disadvantage Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Description, Subject Objectives, Generic Skills and Assessment Requirements of this entry. The University is dedicated to provide support to those with special requirements. Further details on the disability support scheme can be found at the Disability Liaison Unit website: http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/		
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