

History and Philosophy of Science

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Overview:	See program overview																			
Learning Outcomes:	<p>Students who complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Arts in this area of specialisation should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # undertake the equivalent of an honours year of study in the discipline; # engage in advanced postgraduate study in history and philosophy of science # conduct original research leading to the presentation of an honours level thesis. 																			
Structure & Available Subjects:	<p>The Postgraduate Diploma in Arts in this area of specialisation requires:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # thesis subject (50 points) # three compulsory subjects (37.5 points) # one elective subject (12.5 points) <p>Total 100 points</p> <p>Please note: the thesis must be taken over two consecutive semesters</p>																			
Subject Options:	<p>Thesis Subject 50 points</p> <p>Please note: the thesis must be taken 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>HPSC40015 HPS Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>25</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Compulsory Subjects 3 compulsory subjects (37.5 points)</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>HPSC40002 Directed Study</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HPSC40016 Contemporary Approaches in HPS</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SOCI40004 Sociology of Science and Technology</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Elective Subject 12.5 points</p> <p>One subject from a cognate discipline, typically philosophy, history or sociology, which would serve as a theory, skills or research methods subject for the thesis. The selection of this subject should be made with the permission of the subject coordinator and the HPS honours coordinator.</p>		Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	HPSC40015 HPS Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	25	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	HPSC40002 Directed Study	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50	HPSC40016 Contemporary Approaches in HPS	Semester 1	12.50	SOCI40004 Sociology of Science and Technology	Semester 2	12.50
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