

AGRI90065 Major Research Project

Credit Points:	25												
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)												
Dates & Locations:	This subject is not offered in 2014. Students must undertake this subject in both Semester 1 and Semester 2 consecutively in order to achieve the required 50 credit points.												
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: Two hours per week plus individual project work. Total Time Commitment: 240 hours												
Prerequisites:	Undertaking a research project is conditional upon obtaining approval from a supervisor with consideration to appropriate subjects undertaken in their Masters												
Corequisites:	None												
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None												
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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 Overview, Objectives, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry. It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and the Disability Liaison Unit: http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/												
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Subject Overview:	<p>The subject allows students to conduct an original research project, under supervision to be approved by a subject Coordinator. The work will be equivalent to lecture and practical based subjects worth 50 points. The content and extent of the project will be determined by a Coordinator, in collaboration with the student and the supervisor.</p> <p>The project represents a capstone subject and would ordinarily include a review of a body of relevant literature, together with a critical evaluation of research or experimental protocols, and the development of research methods, implementation of a mathematical model, completion of an original experiment, or a thorough exploration of a research problem or issue. Projects would ordinarily include a component of original research well beyond a review or critique. Projects would involve regular 1-hour discussion groups where students report on progress, major problems and plans.</p>												
Learning Outcomes:	To undertake a directed research project.												
Assessment:	Project Proposal (10%) Due week 5, 1,500 words, (A pass in the project proposal is a hurdle requirement); Oral Presentation (15%) Due week 12, 15 minutes Final Report (75%) Due end of SWOTVAC period, 10,000 words.												

Prescribed Texts:	None
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
Notes:	If you are enrolling in this subject please ensure you enrol in two consecutive semesters to achieve the required 50 points.
Related Course(s):	Master of Agricultural Science Master of Animal Science Master of Food Science Master of Forest Ecosystem Science Master of Urban Horticulture