PHRM40002 Advanced Topics in Pharmacology

Credit Points:	12.5		
Level:	4 (Undergraduate)		
Dates & Locations:	2015, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus.		
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 24 Total Time Commitment: 24 contact hours with an estimated total time commitment of 170 hours (including non-contact time)		
Prerequisites:	Students must be enrolled in the Bachelor of Biomedicine (Honours), Bachelor of Science (Honours) or MBiomedSci Pharmacology to complete this subject.		
	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	BIOM40001 Introduction To Biomedical Research	February	12.50
Corequisites:	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
	PHRM40001 Pharmacology Research Project	Semester 1	25
Recommended Background Knowledge:	Pharmacology 300 level and related biomedical discipline.		
Non Allowed Subjects:	None		
Core Participation Requirements:	For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Equitable Adjustment Procedure (SEAP), 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 will 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:	The pharmacology coursework subject covers topics in analytical pharmacology, cutting edge research techniques in drug design and molecular pharmacology, and in evaluating mechanisms of drug action at the molecular level through to complex integrated systems. There will be tutorials on reading and evaluating scientific manuscripts, experimental design and statistical approaches.		

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Learning Outcomes:	Advanced knowledge of research techniques in pharmacology. Understanding of analytical, molecular and integrated pharmacology. Evaluation of scientific manuscripts and experimental design.	
Assessment:	Theory assignment (mid semester 1) (70%) Manuscript evaluation (end of semester 1) (30%)	
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	
Generic Skills:	Technical writing Database searching	
Links to further information:	http://www.pharmacology.unimelb.edu.au/	
Related Majors/Minors/ Specialisations:	Pharmacology	

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