

POPH90113 Research Project - Master Epidemiology

Credit Points:	12.5									
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)									
Dates & Locations:	2015, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus. Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus.									
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 36 hours: attendance at a half-day research training skills workshop (week 1 of semester), approximately fortnightly supervisor meetings, attendance at 2 full-day sessions for student oral presentations (week 11: of each semester). Total Time Commitment: 340 hours									
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Corequisites:	None									
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None									
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 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.									
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Subject Overview:	Students will develop an epidemiological research question and attempt to answer the question either by a systematic review of the published and unpublished literature with or without a meta-analysis, or by the analysis of an existing data set, or by the development of a research protocol									
Learning Outcomes:	At the end of this subject, students are expected to be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Develop and execute a substantial, research-based project # Justify the research question using available evidence, # Summarise, analyse and interpret research findings, # Present research findings to a non-expert audience # Write reports suitable for use by public health practitioners or write manuscripts for publication. 									

Assessment:	A 15 minute oral presentation describing the proposed research project due in week 11, 1st semester of enrolment (15%) A 20 minute oral presentation describing the findings of the research project due in week 11, 2nd semester of enrolment (20%) A written research report of 5000 to 8000 words, students must pass the written research report (hurdle) due during the examination period of the 2nd semester of enrolment (65%)
Prescribed Texts:	None
Recommended 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:	-
Links to further information:	http://www.sph.unimelb.edu.au
Notes:	
Related Course(s):	Master of Epidemiology