

# Pathology

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<b>Overview:</b>	The Honours program in the Department of Pathology provides an introduction to the challenging area of investigation of disease at the cellular and molecular level. Students will undertake a full-time research project based in a laboratory within the Department of Pathology or at one of our affiliated institutions. A student undertaking Honours in the Department of Pathology will have a strong interest in investigating and understanding the mechanisms of disease.									
<b>Learning Outcomes:</b>	<p>The course is composed of a laboratory based research project, supported by course work, which will give students experience in the areas of -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Design and execution of experiments</li> <li># Learning new laboratory techniques and procedures</li> <li># Construction of a title, hypothesis and relevant aims for a project</li> <li># Acquisition, interpretation and critical analysis of data.</li> <li># Reporting of experimental data in a concise and scientific manner through the preparation of a Thesis that is consistent with that published in scientific manuscripts</li> <li># Reporting of experimental data, through the preparation of a Thesis report, in a concise and scientific manner consistent with that published in scientific manuscripts</li> <li># Oral communication of results via presentations to a scientific audience</li> </ul> <p>Students completing Honours in the Department of Pathology will develop a strong foundation for further studies as a Research Higher Degree candidate or employee with research and analysis experience.</p>									
<b>Structure &amp; Available Subjects:</b>	<p>The Honours program consists of 100 credit points completed over 12 months full time (or part time equivalent) comprising of two (2) Advanced Coursework subjects and a Research Project. To be awarded Honours with a specialisation in Pathology, students must successfully complete the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># BIOM40001 - Introduction to Biomedical Research (12.5 points)</li> <li># PATH40002 - Critical Analysis of Pathology Research (12.5 points)</li> <li># PATH40001 and PATH40005 - Pathology Research Project (75 points)</li> </ul> <p>There are no elective subjects in this Honours program.</p>									
<b>Subject Options:</b>	<p><b>Coursework Component</b></p> <p>Students must complete 25 credit points of advanced coursework subjects. This is achieved by enrolling in the following subjects in the appropriate semesters.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>BIOM40001 Introduction To Biomedical Research</td> <td>February</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PATH40002 Critical Analysis of Pathology Research</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	BIOM40001 Introduction To Biomedical Research	February	12.50	PATH40002 Critical Analysis of Pathology Research	Semester 1	12.50
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**Research Component**

Students must complete a total of 75 credit points of research across the duration of the Honours program. This is achieved by enrolling in a combination of the following subjects in the appropriate semesters.

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
PATH40001 Pathology Research Project	Semester 1	25
PATH40005 Pathology Research Project	Semester 2	50

**Links to further information:**

<http://www.path.unimelb.edu.au/>

**Related Course(s):**

Bachelor of Biomedicine (Degree with Honours)  
Bachelor of Science (Degree with Honours)