

# Language Testing - 150 Point Program

Year and Campus:	2016
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Overview:	The Language Testing specialisation is part of the Master of Applied Linguistics.
Learning Outcomes:	<p><b>Student who complete the Master of Applied Linguistics should:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Acquire advanced understanding of concepts, current issues and research methods in core areas of applied linguistics;</li> <li># Complete a focused piece of research if undertaking the Minor Thesis elective; and</li> <li># Gain specialist knowledge and research techniques in their chosen Specialisation.</li> </ul>
Structure & Available Subjects:	<p><b>150 point program</b></p> <p><b>Duration:</b> 1.5 year full-time / up to 3 years part-time</p> <p><b>Coursework Only Option:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># four compulsory subjects (50 points)</li> <li># elective subjects (100 points)</li> </ul> <p><b>or</b></p> <p><b>Minor Thesis Option:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># four compulsory subjects (50 points)</li> <li># LING90010 Minor Thesis (25 points)</li> <li># elective subjects (25 points)</li> </ul> <p><b>Capstone Requirement:</b></p> <p><b>All students are required to complete the Capstone Requirement for the program (25 points). Students must complete the relevant capstone option for their specialisation -</b></p> <p><b>Capstone Stream 1: LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics (12.5 points) or LING90005 Quantitative Methods in Language Studies (12.5 points) and LING90018 (12.5 points) Sociolinguistics and Language Learning or LING90019 English in a Globalised World (12.5 points)</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> An opportunity to integrate knowledge and research skills within the English Language specialisation</p> <p><b>Capstone Stream 2: LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics (12.5 points) or LING90005 Quantitative Methods in Language Studies (12.5 points) and LING90012 Second Language Acquisition (12.5 points)</b></p> <p><b>Purpose:</b> An opportunity to integrate knowledge and research skills within the TESOL specialisation</p>

**Capstone Stream 3: LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics (12.5 points) or LING90005 Quantitative Methods in Language Studies (12.5 points) and LING90006 Technology and Language Learning (12.5)**

**Purpose:** An opportunity to integrate knowledge and research skills within the Technology in Language Learning specialisation

**Capstone Stream 4: LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics (12.5 points) or LING90005 Quantitative Methods in Language Studies (12.5 points) and LING90009 Language Testing (12.5 points)**

**Purpose:** An opportunity to integrate knowledge and research skills within the Language Testing specialisation

**Capstone Stream 5: LING90012 Second Language Acquisition (12.5 points) and LING90029 Languages in Context (12.5 points)**

**Purpose:** An opportunity to integrate knowledge and research skills within the Modern Languages specialisation

For policies that govern this degree, see **Academic Services Policy** (<http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/policy/index.html>) in the **University Melbourne Policy Framework** (<http://www.policy.unimelb.edu.au/>) . Students also should also refer to information in the **Student Policy Directory**. ([http://studentpolicy-unimelb.custhelp.com/cgi-bin/studentpolicy\\_unimelb.cfg/php/enduser/std\\_alp.php?p\\_sid=fgBu7Kcj](http://studentpolicy-unimelb.custhelp.com/cgi-bin/studentpolicy_unimelb.cfg/php/enduser/std_alp.php?p_sid=fgBu7Kcj))

**Subject Options:**

**Compulsory Subjects**

4 compulsory subjects (50 points)

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics	Semester 1	12.5
LING90005 Quantitative Methods in Language Studies	Semester 1	12.5
LING90009 Language Testing	Semester 2	12.5
LING90012 Second Language Acquisition	Semester 2	12.5

**Minor Thesis Subject**

25 points

**Please note:**

Students taking LING90010 Minor Thesis should do so in the final semester of their program and must have completed or be concurrently enrolled in LING90003 Research in Applied Linguistics

Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:
LING90010 Minor Thesis - Applied Linguistics	Semester 1, Semester 2	25

**Elective Subjects**

**Coursework Only Option:**

elective subjects (100 points)

**Minor Thesis Option:**

elective subjects (75 points)

**Please note:**

LING90002 Presenting Academic Discourse is only available to students of non-English speaking background.

The following elective subjects are not available to online students:

LING90002 Presenting Academic Discourse

LING90007 Language Curriculum Design

	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Study Period Commencement:</b>	<b>Credit Points:</b>
	LING90002 Presenting Academic Discourse	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.5
	LING90007 Language Curriculum Design	Not offered 2016	12.5
	LING90008 Language Program Evaluation	Semester 1	12.5
	LING90006 Technology and Language Learning	Semester 2	12.5
	LING90015 English Phonetics and Phonology	Semester 2	12.5
	LING90016 Grammar in Use	Semester 1	12.5
	LING90018 Sociolinguistics and Language Learning	Semester 1	12.5
	LING90019 English in a Globalised World	Not offered 2016	12.5
	LING90020 Second Language Writing	Not offered 2016	12.5
	LING90021 Bilingualism	Semester 1	12.5
	LING90026 Transcultural Communication at Work	Semester 2	12.5
	LING90028 Discourse and Interaction	Semester 2	12.5
	LING90034 Second Language Pragmatics	Semester 2	12.5
<b>Links to further information:</b>	<a href="http://languages-linguistics.unimelb.edu.au/">http://languages-linguistics.unimelb.edu.au/</a>		
<b>Notes:</b>	Please note: the 150 point Master of Applied Linguistics program in this specialisation is available online/distant learning and/or on campus.		
<b>Related Course(s):</b>	Master of Applied Linguistics		