

## MUSI90185 Research Essay

<b>Credit Points:</b>	12.5						
<b>Level:</b>	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)						
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2016, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 1, Parkville - Taught on campus. Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus. Individual Supervision.						
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: Fortnightly supervision meetings of 45-60 minutes as arranged in consultation with the supervisor over one semester. Total Time Commitment: 120 hours						
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	The Research Process for Musicians or equivalent. If you have not completed MUSI40064 Research Process for Musicians as an honours student, or an equivalent subject elsewhere, you will need to complete MUSI90191 Research Process for Musicians (RHD) prior to enrolling in Research Essay. Students are expected to have an essay topic and research proposal before being permitted to enrol in this subject. <table border="1" data-bbox="387 745 1485 893"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>MUSI90191 The Research Process For Musicians (RHD)</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	MUSI90191 The Research Process For Musicians (RHD)	Semester 1	12.5
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<b>Corequisites:</b>	None						
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	None						
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<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Support and Engagement Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Learning Outcomes, 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: <a href="http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/">http://www.services.unimelb.edu.au/disability/</a>						
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<b>Subject Overview:</b>	Candidates will plan a research topic related to their performance practice and produce a 5000 word research essay excluding bibliography, footnotes and appendices.						
<b>Learning Outcomes:</b>	On completion of this subject students should have						

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Demonstrated the ability to conceive, plan and execute an independent research project related to their performance-practice;</li> <li># Demonstrated a capacity to think originally and independently;</li> <li># Shown a command of the standard literature related to their research; and</li> <li># Demonstrated the ability to write in a scholarly manner.</li> </ul>
<b>Assessment:</b>	100%: A 5,000 word research essay due 2 weeks after the end of the semester.
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	None
<b>Breadth Options:</b>	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
<b>Fees Information:</b>	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, <a href="http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees">http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>Generic Skills:</b>	<p>On completion of this subject students should have developed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># The ability and self-confidence to comprehend complex concepts and to express them lucidly in writing;</li> <li># Knowledge, skills and practices which provide a basis for independent critical inquiry and research-based writing;and</li> <li># A capacity for self-directed learning and the ability to plan work and use time effectively in research-based activities.</li> </ul>
<b>Related Course(s):</b>	Master of Music (Music Performance)