School of Education

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1. LOCATION

Faculty of Arts, Design & Architecture School of Education EDST5037 Education Project 2 (6 units of credit) Term 2 2021

2. STAFF CONTACT DETAILS

Course Coordinator:	Prof Terry Cumming
Office Location:	G19, Morven Brown Building
Email:	t.cumming@unsw.edu.au
Availability:	Email for appointment

3. COURSE DETAILS

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Course Name	Education Project 2
Credit Points	6 units of credit (uoc)
Workload	Includes 150 hours including the completion of online activities, readings, assessment, and follow up activities. You should allow 3 hours per week to complete the online activities. Additional time will be required to complete the reading and assessment tasks
Schedule	http://classutil.unsw.edu.au/EDST_T2.html#EDST5037T2

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Outcome		Assessment/s
1	Identify and explain the steps in the research process.	1
2	Recognise and address the practical considerations in a research proposal for a doctoral research project in education.	1
3	Identify and explain the elements, structure, organisation and writing style of a research proposal in education.	1
4	Draft a research proposal that meets the expectations of a reader in your field of study.	1
5	Orally present a research proposal documenting the rationale for a doctoral research project in education to an academic audience.	2

4. RATIONALE FOR THE INCLUSION OF CONTENT AND TEACHING APPROACH

While most of the course involves you working closely with your supervisors to develop the proposal, it also aims to provide you with support in preparing and writing your research proposal prior to submitting it for your confirmation of candidature. It will provide information on the structure and organisation of the proposal document and consider reader expectations. It will also offer an opportunity to rehearse the oral presentation required at confirmation. Face-to-face sessions, either in person or online, will allow for discussion and opportunities for peer feedback will be provided.

5. TEACHING STRATEGIES

Presentation of generic structure of confirmation proposal and reader expectations. Opportunities for discussion and peer engagement and feedback. Opportunity to rehearse confirmation oral presentation.

7. RESOURCES

Prescribed text: There is no prescribed text.

Recommended texts: Recommended texts will be found in the Reading List in Moodle

Recommended websites: n/a

See Moodle for reading schedule.

***All students are expected to access the course's Moodle site on a regular basis for course materials, information, and announcements.

8. ASSESSMENT

Assessment Task	Length	Weight	Learning Outcomes Assessed	Due Date
Task 1: Research proposal	7000 words max.	60	1-4	Monday 19 th July 2021 by 5pm
Task 2: Oral presentation	15 minutes	40	5	Monday 2 nd August 2021

Submission of assessments

Submission of Assessment 1 will be after regular consultation with your supervisors and once they are satisfied that the research proposal is ready for confirmation. It will take place about two weeks prior to the advertised confirmation dates and students will be advised on how to upload their documents to GRIS.

Assessment 2 will be presented on the day of confirmation.

Students are required to follow their lecturer's instructions when submitting their work for assessment. Students are also required to keep all drafts, original data and other evidence of the authenticity of the work for at least one year after examination. If an assessment is mislaid the student is responsible for providing a further copy. Please see the Student Policies and Procedures for information regarding submission, extensions, special consideration, late penalties and hurdle requirements etc. https://education.arts.unsw.edu.au/students/courses/course-outlines/

Assessment Details

Assessment 1: A research proposal submitted as a confirmation of candidature document.

Assessment 2: An oral presentation at confirmation review.

Successful confirmation of candidature will be determined through the confirmation review held in Term 3.

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Student name:

Student number:

Assessment task 1: Research proposal (7000 words max)

SPECIFIC CRITERIA		(-) → (+)				
Demonstrated understanding of key steps in the research process.						
Development of discipline appropriate argument as to relevance of and need for proposed study						
Development of an appropriate theoretical framework for the study based on a critical review of relevant literature Development of justification of choice of methodology and						

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