

RESA H8020: Research Project (1)

Module Details	
Module Code:	RESA H8020
Full Title:	Research Project (1) APPROVED
Valid From::	Semester 1 - 2019/20 (June 2019)
Language of Instruction:	
Duration:	1 Semester
Credits::	10
Module Owner::	Michael McCorry
Departments:	Unknown
Module Description:	This module is designed to equip students with the critical and analytical skills needed to prepare an ethically sound research proposal at Level 8. Students will submit a proposal for research that they intend to carry out in Semester 2.

Module Learning Outcome	
On successful completion of this module the learner will be able to:	
#	Module Learning Outcome Description
MLO1	Manage logical steps used in the research process to develop a relevant research question.
MLO2	Identify, source and evaluate literature relevant to a research topic in the field of sport, exercise and enterprise
MLO3	Apply appropriate methodology to the development of a research proposal that demonstrates ethical awareness.
MLO4	Produce an academic research proposal at Level 8
Pre-requisite learning	
Module Recommendations <i>This is prior learning (or a practical skill) that is strongly recommended before enrolment in this module. You may enrol in this module if you have not acquired the recommended learning but you will have considerable difficulty in passing (i.e. achieving the learning outcomes of) the module. While the prior learning is expressed as named DkIT module(s) it also allows for learning (in another module or modules) which is equivalent to the learning specified in the named module(s).</i>	
No recommendations listed	

Module Indicative Content	
Research Design Methodological approaches to research - action research, observation, interviews, focus groups, questionnaires, qualitative and quantitative research design.	
Interpretation and Presentation of Evidence in an ethical framework Critical evaluation, reliability and validity in research, generalisability and applicability of findings, GDPR considerations, ethical approval in research	
Module Assessment	
Assessment Breakdown	%
Course Work	100.00%
Module Special Regulation	

Assessments

Full Time On Campus			
Course Work			
Assessment Type	Written Report	% of Total Mark	70
Marks Out Of	100	Pass Mark	40
Timing	End-of-Semester	Learning Outcome	1,2,4
Duration in minutes	0		
Assessment Description Students will submit and present a research proposal on a topic relevant to sport, exercise and enterprise. The word count for the proposal is 2500 words.			
Assessment Type	Written Report	% of Total Mark	30
Marks Out Of	100	Pass Mark	40
Timing	End-of-Semester	Learning Outcome	1,3,4
Duration in minutes	0		
Assessment Description Students will complete and submit an application for ethical approval of their research proposal			
No Project			
No Practical			
No Final Examination			

Part Time On Campus			
Course Work			
Assessment Type	Written Report	% of Total Mark	70
Marks Out Of	0	Pass Mark	0
Timing	S1 Week 12	Learning Outcome	1,2,4
Duration in minutes	0		
Assessment Description Students will submit and present a research proposal on a topic relevant to sport, exercise and enterprise. The word count for the proposal is 2500 words.			
Assessment Type	Written Report	% of Total Mark	30
Marks Out Of	0	Pass Mark	0
Timing	n/a	Learning Outcome	3
Duration in minutes	0		
Assessment Description Students will complete and submit an application for ethical approval of their research proposal			
No Project			
No Practical			
No Final Examination			
Reassessment Requirement			
No repeat examination <i>Reassessment of this module will be offered solely on the basis of coursework and a repeat examination will not be offered.</i>			
Reassessment Description Students will be required to resubmit the research proposal			

Module Workload

Workload: Full Time On Campus

<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Contact Type</i>	<i>Workload Description</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>	<i>Hours</i>
Lecturer-Supervised Learning (Contact)	Contact	Classes, workshops, online learning	Every Week	3.00	3
Directed Reading	Non Contact	No Description	Every Week	4.00	4
Independent Study	Non Contact	No Description	Every Week	7.00	7
				Total Weekly Learner Workload	14.00
				Total Weekly Contact Hours	3.00

Workload: Part Time On Campus

<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Contact Type</i>	<i>Workload Description</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>	<i>Hours</i>
Lecture	Contact	Classes, workshops, online learning	Every Week	3.00	3
Directed Reading	Non Contact	No Description	Every Week	4.00	4
Independent Study	Non Contact	No Description	Every Week	7.00	7
				Total Weekly Learner Workload	14.00
				Total Weekly Contact Hours	3.00

Module Resources

Recommended Book Resources

Grattan, C, Jones, I.. (2014), Research Methods For Sports Studies, 3rd. Routledge, UK, [ISBN: 978-041574933].

Walliman, N. (2013), Your Undergraduate Dissertation, 2nd. Sage, London, [ISBN: 978-144625319].

Levin, P. (2011), Excellent Dissertations, 2nd. Open University Press, Maidenhead, [ISBN: 978-033523861].

This module does not have any article/paper resources

This module does not have any other resources