

Faculty	Economic and Management Sciences		
Home Department	Political Studies		
Module Topic	Research Project (mini-thesis)		
Generic Module Name	Research Project 803/804 (mini-thesis)		
Alpha -numeric Code	POL803/POL804		
NQF Level	8		
NQF Credit Value	60		
Duration	Year		
Proposed semester to be offered	Both Semesters		
Programmes in which module will be offered	MA (1858), MAdmin (1817)		
Year Level	9		
Main Outcomes	<p>On completion of this module, students should be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Formulate a research problem and research proposal. ● Conduct independent research. ● Analyse relevant literature. ● Write up a substantial research report adhering to all academic conventions. 		
Main Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Independent research ● Mini-thesis 		
Pre-requisite modules	None		
Co-requisite modules	None		
Prohibited module Combinations	None		
Breakdown of Learning Time	Hours	Timetable Requirement per week	Other teaching modes that does not require time-table
Contact with lecturer / tutor:	40	<i>Lectures p.w.</i>	0
Assignments & tasks:	0	<i>Practicals p.w.</i>	0
Practical's:	0	<i>Tutorials p.w.</i>	0
Assessments	0		
Self-study	360		
Other: Please specify	0		
Total Learning Time	400		
Methods of Student Assessment	Continuous Assessment (CA): Final Assessment (FA): 100%		
Assessment Module type	Final Assessment (FA)		