

Extended Essay

Third year module

Lecturer: Supervisor allocated according to topic

Essay topic to be chosen from a list supplied by the Department or to be determined in consultation with tutor/supervisor. Research to be undertaken, leading to the submission of a progress report and an essay plan at the end of the first semester. In the second semester students write their individual essay which will be handed into supervisors by a pre-determined date after which revisions are made before handing in the final draft.

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module students should be able to:

- a) demonstrate an ability to work on their own
- b) to use their initiative in collecting and presenting material
- c) undertake a thorough review of the available literature
- d) draw appropriate conclusions from assembled data
- e) present an academic essay
- f) gain experience in organising work with other students, if they choose to work in groups.

Assessment

100% essay between 5000 and 7000 words