

Academic Year 2022/23

Master of Arts in Planning and Environment Research

Code: 4006 F/P

Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Postgraduate (Taught) Progress Regulations and Examination Conventions.*
- (ii) *A core module is a module which a student must pass and in which a fail mark may not be compensated; such modules are designated by the board of studies as essential.*
- (iii) *A compulsory module is a module which a student must take.*
- (iv) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1. Programme structure

- (a) The programme is available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 12 months starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 24 months starting in September.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

| <i>Code</i> | <i>Descriptive title</i> | <i>Total Credits</i> | <i>Credits Sem 1</i> | <i>Credits Sem 2</i> | <i>Credits Sem 3</i> | <i>Level</i> | <i>Type</i> | <i>Mode</i> |
|-------------|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| HSS8001 | Thinking about Research | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | Core | |
| HSS8002 | Information Skills | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | Core | |
| HSS8003 | Dissertation Preparation | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | Core | |
| HSS8004 | Qualitative Methodology in the Arts, Humanities and Social Science | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | Core | |
| HSS8005 | Quantitative Analysis | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | Core | |
| TCP8099 | Dissertation | 60 | | | 60 | 7 | | |

- (e) All candidates shall take further optional modules to a value of 50 credits from the following:

| <i>Code</i> | <i>Descriptive title</i> | <i>Total Credits</i> | <i>Credits Sem 1</i> | <i>Credits Sem 2</i> | <i>Credits Sem 3</i> | <i>Level</i> | <i>Type</i> | <i>Mode</i> |
|-------------|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| APL8000 | Conceptualising Landscape (20 credits) | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | |
| APL8004 | Conceptualising Landscape (10 credits) | 10 | | 10 | | 7 | | |
| TCP7021 | Project 1: Spatial Strategies | 20 | | 20 | | 7 | | |
| TCP7023 | Economics of Development | 10 | | 10 | | 7 | | |
| TCP7024 | Conservation and the City | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | | |

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| TCP8001 | Planning Frameworks | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | | |
| TCP8025 | Linked Research Project | 30 | 10 | 20 | | 7 | | |
| TCP8034 | Planning and Sustainability | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | | |
| TCP8902 | The Reflexive Practitioner | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | | |
| TCP8912 | Conservation and the City Project* | 10 | | 10 | | 7 | | |
| TCP8920 | Globalisation and Social Justice: Project* | 10 | | 10 | | 7 | | |
| TCP8921 | Globalisation and Social Justice | 10 | 10 | | | 7 | | |

* There is a pre-requisite Semester 1 module with each of these.

Modules on offer within the School change each year. Alternative optional modules to those listed above may be selected with the approval of the Degree Programme Director and depending upon the academic background of the candidate.

Students taking the Part-time mode negotiate the pattern of their programme on an individual basis with the Degree Programme Director.

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

3. Other

Candidates are normally expected to pass the taught modules before proceeding to the dissertation, in accordance with the University Postgraduate Taught Examination Conventions.