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Mini-dissertation: AAC 895 (AAK 895)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty Faculty of Humanities

Module credits 90.00

Programmes MA Augmentative and Alternative Communication (Coursework)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Language of tuition Both Afr and Eng

Academic organisation CAAC

Period of presentation Year

Module content

The mini-dissertation should consist of an independent research project of limited scope on a topic related to the field of AAC selected in collaboration with the supervisor(s). The project must be based on an approved research proposal and ethics clearance if the latter is required for the project.

At the end of this module the student must be able to

- develop a clearly defined research proposal that reflects an understanding of the different components;
- obtain ethics clearance for this project;
- conduct a thorough literature review based on the topic proposed;
- conduct a pilot study to test methodological procedures; and
- discuss the expected outcomes in a well-integrated manner.

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