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Introduction to qualitative research 740 (NMQ 740)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	12.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Both Afr and Eng
Academic organisation	Educational Psychology
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

This module provides students with the foundations of research literacy in qualitative inquiry; Using real-life exemplars from educational contexts, students learn the theory and methods associated with various approaches to qualitative research including case study research, historical research, ethnographic research, and action research; Students will gain applied competence in at least two qualitative methods such as structured observations, semi structured interviews, content analysis, and questionnaire design; Students are provided with the basic concepts and strategies for pursuing advanced educational research training at higher levels of study.

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