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Research methodology 891 (FBS 891)

| Qualification | Postgraduate |
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| Faculty | Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences |
| Module credits | 0.00 |
| Programmes | MCom Financial Management Sciences |
| | MPhil Financial Management Sciences |
| Language of tuition | Module is presented in English |
| Department | Financial Management |
| Period of presentation | Year |

Module content

An overview of the research process to be followed and the outcomes required of postgraduate students; Foundational research skills for postgraduate students; What is research?; What is a research theory and how can I ensure that my study makes a clear theoretical contribution?; An overview of the structure of a research proposal; Identifying and evaluating possible research topics; Delineating the scope of a study; Writing a literature review; Choosing an appropriate inquiry strategy (research approach) for a study; Writing the research design and methods section of a research proposal.

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