

PHDL701, PHDL703, and PHDL704 - Research Planning (I and II) and Research Proposal

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| Course Title | Research Planning (I and II) and Research Proposal | | | | |
| Course Code | PHDL701, PHDL703, and PHDL704 | | | | |
| Course Type | Compulsory | | | | |
| Level | PhD (Third Level) | | | | |
| Year / Semester | 1 st and 2 nd Semester | | | | |
| Teacher's Name | Student's Research Advisor (any Teaching and Research Staff member of the Department.) | | | | |
| ECTS | 7 | Lectures / week | NA | Laboratories / week | NA |
| Course Purpose and Objectives | <p>Prior to research engagement, a PhD student is required to convince the academic community that the proposed research is original, innovative and will lead to new scientific knowledge.</p> <p>With the Research Planning I (PHDL701) course, the student is expected to meet with his/her research advisor regularly, in order to decide on the research problem to be addressed and the proposed research hypothesis. To this end, the student must investigate the current state of knowledge in the research area of the proposed thesis, and decide on the expected contributions of his/her work.</p> <p>The Research Planning II (PHDL703) is a continuation of the Research Planning I (PHDL701) course. The coursework of PHDL703 includes a complete review of the current state of knowledge in the research area of the proposal, the finalization of the Thesis contributions, the methodology to be employed, the expected results and the planning for the implementation of the methodology. Infrastructure requirements and possible ethical issues related to the work of the proposed Thesis must be resolved at this stage.</p> <p>The Research Proposal (PHDL704) includes the submission of a written report on the coursework of the Research Planning (PHDL701 and PHDL703) courses, and an oral presentation of the proposal, in front of the student's Research Advisory Committee.</p> | | | | |
| Learning Outcomes | Not applicable | | | | |
| Prerequisites | PHDL701 (Prerequisite for PHDL703) PHDL701 and PHDL702 (Prerequisites for PHDL704) | Co-requisites | | None | |
| Course Content | Not Applicable | | | | |
| Teaching Methodology | Not Applicable | | | | |

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| Bibliography | Not Applicable |
| Assessment | <p>These are “Pass” / “Fail” courses.</p> <p>PHDL701: The student is expected to submit a preliminary research proposal report, stating the research problem to be addressed, the motivation and novelty of the research work, and the proposed research hypothesis. The preliminary research proposal is assessed by the student’s Research Advisor.</p> <p>PHDL703: The student is expected to submit a progress report on the research proposal report, stating the research problem to be addressed, the motivation and novelty of the research work, the proposed research hypothesis, the expected contributions of the proposed work, the methodology to be employed, the expected results and the planning for the implementation of the methodology. This progress report is assessed by the student’s Research Advisor.</p> <p>PHDL704: The student is expected to submit a final research proposal report. The final Research Proposal Report and the oral presentation are assessed by the student’s Research Advisory Committee. The Research Proposal Report is checked for plagiarism using the tools provided by the electronic learning platform of the University. Information on the plagiarism policy and on the procedure followed for the assessment of the research proposal is provided in the “PhD In Law - Program Regulations”</p> <p>If the student takes the courses PHDL703 and PHDL704 concurrently, the progress report of PHDL703 is replaced by the final research proposal report, and the student is graded with the same grade for both PHDL703 and PHDL704. In the case of a failure, the student must repeat only the PHDL704 course.</p> |
| Language | English and Greek |