

# School of Education

# **EDST5889 Minor Thesis**

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## STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Outcome		Assessment/s
1	Specify a suitable topic for a minor thesis research project and justify its significance, relevance and feasibility	1
2	Locate and critically evaluate a wide range of literature relevant to a topic of interest in education	1
3	Use appropriate research methodology to obtain and analyse data in an investigation of a topic of interest in education	1
4	Report and interpret the significance of the findings in relation to underlying theory and practice	1

## PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

Capability		Assessment/s
1	Advanced disciplinary knowledge and practices  Demonstrate an advanced understanding of the field of education as it relates to their specialist area of study, and the ability to synthesize and apply disciplinary principles and practices to new or complex environments.	1
2	Research-based learning Demonstrate an in-depth understanding of research-based learning and the ability to plan, analyse, present implement and evaluate complex activities that contribute to advanced professional practice and/or intellectual scholarship in education.	1
3	Cognitive skills and critical thinking  Demonstrate advanced critical thinking and problem solving skills	1
4	Communication, adaptive and interactional skills Communicate effectively to a range of audiences, and be capable of independent and collaborative enquiry and team-based leadership	1
5	International outlook Demonstrate an understanding of international perspectives relevant to the educational field	1
6	Ethical and responsible professional practice  Demonstrate an advanced capacity to recognise and negotiate the complex and often contested values and ethical practices that underlie education	1

### 8. ASSESSMENT

Assessment Task

Length

Weight

Student Learning Outcomes Assessed