

**2012 COURSE STRUCTURE****Doctor of Education**

Course Code: HZED

Campus	Footscray Park
School	Education
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Study Mode	Part-time study available
Duration	Students may complete ONE & a HALF years of study (or part-time equivalent) and exit with a Master of Education – Professional Practice  Completion of the full Doctorate program requires THREE years of study (or part-time equivalent)
Fee Type	Full Fee only - Fee information available from <a href="http://www.vu.edu.au/Current_Students/Student_Administration/Fees/index.aspx">http://www.vu.edu.au/Current_Students/Student_Administration/Fees/index.aspx</a>
Application Method	Direct Application to Victoria University <a href="http://www.vu.edu.au/Future_Students/index.aspx">http://www.vu.edu.au/Future_Students/index.aspx</a>
Timetable	<a href="http://www.vu.edu.au/Faculties/aehd/Timetables/">www.vu.edu.au/Faculties/aehd/Timetables/</a>
Course Requirements	Bachelors degree with Honours or Masters degree with Minor Thesis or Major Thesis
Further Information	Unit (subject) and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="http://www.vu.edu.au/courses/search">http://www.vu.edu.au/courses/search</a>

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Unit Code	Unit Title	Semester	Credit Points	Prerequisites	Your Record of Completion
<b>Years 1 Coursework units</b>					
AER8510	Policy Context of Professional Development	2	24	Nil	
AER8514	The Practice of Professional Development	1 or 2	24	Nil	
AER8517	Investigating Professional Practice	N/A	24	Nil	
AER8518	Researching Professional Practice	1	24	Nil	

After completion of coursework units, students decide whether to continue with Masters or Doctorate Studies

<b>Year 2 If exiting at Masters</b>					
AER8519	Workplace Project (Masters) <b>OR</b>	1 or 2	48	Satisfactory completion of coursework units	
AER8531	Workplace Project (Masters) Part-time	1 and 2	2 * 24	Satisfactory completion of coursework units	

<b>If studying for Doctorate Full-Time</b>					
<b>Workplace Project Option</b>					
<b>Year 2</b>					
AER8520	Workplace Project A (Doctoral)	1 and 2	2 * 48	Completion of course work units - H2A average	
<b>Year 3</b>					
AER8521	Workplace Project B (Doctoral)	1 and 2	2 * 48	Completion of course work units - H2A average	
<b>Or Thesis Option</b>					
<b>Years 2 and 3</b>					
AER8507	Research Thesis (Full-time)	1 and 2	2 * 48 and 2 * 48	Completion of course work units - H2A average	

<b>If studying for Doctorate Part-Time</b>					
<b>Project Option Years 3 and 4</b>					
AER8532	Workplace Project A (Doctoral) Part-time	1 and 2	2 * 24 and 2 * 24	Completion of course work units - H2A average	
<b>Years 5 and 6</b>					
AER8533	Workplace Project B (Doctoral) Part-time	1 and 2	2 * 24 and 2 * 24	Completion of course work units - H2A average	
<b>Or Thesis Option</b>					
<b>Years 3, 4, 5 and 6</b>					
AER8509	Research Thesis (Part-time)	1 and 2	8 * 24	Completion of course work units - H2A average	