

Module Layout ENΔ701B / Master's Thesis II

Faculty	ΣΑΚΕ	Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	
Programme of Study	ENΔ	Communication and New Journalism II	
Module	ENΔ701B	Master's Thesis II	
Level of Study	Undergraduate	Graduate	
		Master X	Doctoral
Language of Instruction	Greek		
Mode of Delivery	Distance		
Module Type	Required		Electives
			X
Number of Group Consulting Meetings	Total	Physical Presence	Online
	-	-	-
Number of Assignments	-		
Final Grade Calculation	Assignments	Weekly Activities	Final Exam
	-	-	-
Number of European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)	15		

Module Description

During the second year of their studies (on full-time enrolment or when at least the prerequisite Thematic Units are completed), students can choose to write a Master's Thesis. The thesis consists of two modules, ENΔ701A and ENΔ701B.

The research subject falls within the topics covered by the Thematic Units of the MA in "Communication and New Journalism ". In order to write a thesis, students should follow the procedure outlined below:

1. Based on their obligations, research interests and a topic, students discuss with the Academic Coordinator about the thesis. After the finalization of the subject, the Academic Coordinator discusses with adjunct faculty members of the Program to make sure who would be the right person to supervise the thesis.
2. Submission of the Master's Thesis Topic Statement Form (APKY63) to the member of the Academic or Adjunct Faculty interested in supervising the proposed dissertation.
3. If APKY63 is accepted by the supervisor, then it must be forwarded to the Academic Coordinator of the Program for final approval, as well as to the Program secretariat.

It should be noted that if all of the above are not completed at least one month before the registrations for the next semester, the student will not be able to enrol in Master's Thesis and will have to enrol in two of the remaining elective courses of the 3rd semester of studies.

During the first part of the Thesis, the student is required to complete form APKY157. This form serves as an interim progress report of the Thesis, with a length of 5,000-6,000 words, and describes the objectives as finalized in form APKY63, the main points of development of the topic, the evolution of research questions, etc. The form is uploaded on the eclass platform and must be signed by both the student and the Thesis supervisor. The first part of the Thesis is evaluated by the supervisor, with a Pass or Fail.

During the second part of the dissertation, the writing is completed and the dissertation is presented by the student in front of a three-member committee which decides on the final grade of the Master's Thesis.

Pre-requisite Modules

ENΔ511	Contemporary World: The Political Condition
ENΔ512	Understanding Media: The Message
ENΔ513	Contemporary Approaches to Communication and Journalism
ENΔ521	Contemporary World: the social condition
ENΔ522	Understanding the Message: The effects
ENΔ523 or ENΔ524	Strategic Communication / The Challenges of new Journalism

Co-requisite Modules

ENΔ701A	Master's Thesis I
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Grading Scheme

Assessment Method	Percentage on Final Grade	Workload	
		Hours	ECTS
Submission of Master's Thesis Viva voce examination of Master's Thesis	100%	450	15
Total	100%	450	15

Grading Rules and Assessment methods

- Students are evaluated with 9, if they earn 90% of the possible grade, i.e. $90\% \cdot 10 = 9$, etc.
- Passing rate
 - 50% from the dissertation.

If a student earns a grade with decimal points, then it is rounded to the nearest half unit.