

Introduction to post graduate studies, 7,5 HE credits

Introduktion till studier på forskarnivå, 7,5 hp

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Applies from: H20

Learning outcomes

After completing the course, students should be able to:

Knowledge and Understanding

- Account for fundamental similarities and differences between the various scholarly traditions as well as the relationship between the research perspective and choice of methodology
- Describe the scientific publishing process and various publication models and discuss their advantages and disadvantages
- Demonstrate knowledge of the central research questions and viewpoints relating to epistemology and the theory of science

Skills and Competence

- Place one's own research as well as research in general in the perspectives of theory of science and relate to the fields of Work Integrated Learning/Production Technology
- Search information in physical and digital bibliographic tools, compose search strategies, argue for these, and critically assess and evaluate the attained information as well as the search process itself
- Orally and in writing present and motivate choices of content that has been made

Judgement and Approach

- Reflect upon ethical concerns relating to the protection of the individual, respect for human life and show scientific probity when carrying out research
- Review and suggest constructive peer feedback regarding scientific texts.

Entry requirements

Any student who has been admitted to a third-cycle programme is qualified.

The forms of assessment of student performance

Seminars in which individual oral and written reports are evaluated. Analysis and discussion of others' work is also evaluated.

Course contents

- University West's values concerning collaboration and Work Integrated Learning

and what this means regarding the conduct, organisation and performance of research and research education

- To be a PhD-student – regulations and expectations
- Theory of Science and Introduction to Research Methodology
- Research Ethics
- Orientation in Philosophy of Work Integrated Learning and Production Technology
- Communication of Research
- Information Retrieval

Other regulations

Course grading: Failed or Passed

Course language: The teaching is conducted in English.

Cycle

Third cycle