

Master of Oral History and Historical Memory

new at Monash University's School of Historical Studies from 2009

This new postgraduate course integrates the study of oral history and historical memory. Oral history illuminates the lived experience of hidden histories and produces riveting historical documentary in books, radio and television, museum exhibitions and multi-media production. Graduates of the Master of Oral History and Historical Memory will be fully prepared to undertake research degrees involving historical memory and may go on to work in the wide range of professions that make significant use of oral history and historical memory, including museums, television, radio and multi-media production, heritage and corporate history, community and family history.

This course is linked to three other applied Masters courses in: Biography and Life Writing, Holocaust and Genocide Studies, and Public History.

Teaching team

Professor Alistair Thomson
Associate Professor Mark Baker
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Professor Bain Attwood
Professor Barbara Caine

Entry requirements

The completion of a Bachelor's degree in a relevant discipline area (eg. History, Anthropology, Sociology, Social Psychology) with at least a 70% average in the final year, or a Bachelor's degree with demonstrable professional experience (three years in a relevant field or relevant publications), or with the permission of the course coordinator. Credit may be granted for prior learning.

A limited number of Commonwealth Supported Places (HECs) are available for this course. For application and fee details contact the administrative officer Liisa Williams listed below.

Further information

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For further details about the Monash history graduate courses, see the School of Historical Studies website (<http://www.arts.monash.edu.au/historical-studies/pgrad/coursework/>).