



PHD IN PHILOSOPHY

University of Hull

The following research lines are offered:

- 1: Epistemologies, methodologies and new knowledge
- 3: Body, knowledge and technology

OBJECTIVES

The degree is obtained by the successful completion of a thesis on an approved topic, incorporating the results of independent research and scholarship and advancing philosophical thinking.

Estudios en Inclusión, Interseccionalidad y Equidad

ORGANISATION:

PhD students have two supervisors and have at least 12 formal supervision meetings every year. They are encouraged to establish contact with other members of staff and to attend the Philosophy research seminars and Postgraduate research seminars.

All research students (full-time and part-time) registered for a PhD are required to acquire during their period of study a minimum of 60 credits from the Postgraduate Training Scheme which will qualify them for the award of the Postgraduate Certificate in Research Training. Students should note that the submission of their thesis is not permitted until they have accumulated sufficient credits.

PhD students are usually offered the opportunity to gain teaching experience. Financial support is also available to present their research at conferences nationally and internationally.

The School of Politics, Philosophy and International Studies' Postgraduate Research Centre (PRC) was opened on 1 September 2010. It provides various facilities (computers, storage, common room, etc.) for the exclusive use of the School's doctoral, postdoctoral and visiting

scholars. PhD students also have the opportunity to participate in the activities of a number of Research Centres linked to the School.

RESEARCH LINES:

Research in Philosophy at Hull is concentrated in two core areas: philosophy of mind and body, and applied philosophy. The area of philosophy of mind and body encompasses traditional philosophy of mind and the developing field of philosophy of the body. Research in applied philosophy encompasses applied ethics; feminist philosophy; gender theory; philosophy of education; philosophy of law; and political philosophy.

The two core research areas are linked by common interests in medicine and the body; in gender, disability and the body; by research in the philosophy of the emotions; and in issues of intention and the conditions of responsibility for action. The range of philosophical research at Hull also includes distinctive work in ancient philosophy, epistemology, in the nature of philosophical thought, aesthetics and in the cultural anchorage of science and other knowledge.

