

# HUMN 1058 INDIGENOUS LANDSCAPES

**Credit Points** 10

**Legacy Code** 102805

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**Description** Indigenous Landscapes aims to explore 'traditional' Indigenous Australian ways of knowing landscape in contemporary, meaningful, and relevant ways. Specifically, the subject acknowledges and values pre-colonial Australian history and land-use practices. Content includes 'traditional' land management practices; cold-burning, protected area management, sustainable land use; cultural heritage and heritage landscapes, Sovereign land rights. This subject also aims to equip students with cultural competency in order to address issues of dispossession and disadvantage brought about by the historical destruction and disruption of ecological integrity.

**School** Humanities & Comm Arts

**Discipline** Indigenous Studies

**Student Contribution Band** HECS Band 4 10cp

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**Level** Undergraduate Level 1 subject

**Equivalent Subjects** BIOS 1020 - Indigenous Landscape LGYA 6193 - Indigenous Landscapes

## Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this subject, students should be able to:

1. Demonstrate cultural competency when working with Indigenous Australians
2. Identify ♦etraditional♦ of Indigenous Australian land-use practices
3. Discuss the significance of Native Title and its difference compared to Land Rights
4. Argue the benefits of effective landscape joint-management/co-management for reconciliation
5. Demonstrate understanding of the importance to Indigenous Australians of particular places and sites of significance
6. Explain the concept of protected area management

## Subject Content

Indigenous landscapes  
 Indigenous land management  
 Contemporary environmental sustainability  
 Native Title / Sovereign Land Rights  
 Protected area management  
 Sustainable land use  
 Joint Management / Co-management  
 Cultural Heritage  
 Heritage Landscapes

## Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are

regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Type	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/Group Task
Quiz	60 mins (30 questions)	15	N	Individual
Presentation	10 mins presentation/1,200 word paper	40	N	Individual
Report	2,000 words	45	N	Individual

Teaching Periods

## Spring (2022)

**Online**

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