

EDAD 8193 - Seminar in Educational Research--Dissertation: Methodology

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Ph. D., Evaluation, Measurement, and Applied Statistics, Kent State University 2007

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Course Description

8193. Seminar in Educational Research--Dissertation: Methodology. Students will build knowledge and skills in developing Chapter 3 of their dissertation. Writing of Chapter 3 will be broken down into manageable milestones, following the guidelines set forth in the YSU Educational Leadership Dissertation Guidelines and template. Admission to the Ed.D program required. Prereq. or Coreq.: EDAD 8191. 2 s.h.

Course Readings

Group	Title	Author	ISBN
Required	A concise guide to writing a thesis or dissertation: Educational research and beyond (2nd ed.).	Kornuta, H. M., & Germaine, R. W.	13: 978-0-367-17457-6
Required	APA Manual 7.0	American Psychological Assoc.	978-1-4338-3216-1

Text: A concise guide to writing a thesis or dissertation: Educational research and beyond (2nd ed.). Electronic copy provided in Blackboard.

Access the Handbook <https://ysu.edu/educational-leadership-dissertation-guidelines-handbook#tab-9976>

Password: edulead26

The course readings are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances, research developments, current events, and/or to ensure better learning.

Schedule of Topics and Assignments

Week of	Reading(s)	Proposed Topic	Due/To Prepare for Class
8/24	Kornuta & Germaine pages 34-42, and watch the provided YouTube Videos	Introduction to Chapter 3	Complete Chapter Introduction
8/31	Readings: Kornuta & Germaine pages 34-42, and watch the provided YouTube Videos	Introduction to Chapter 3	Complete Chapter Introduction
9/7	Kornuta & Germaine pages 43-52, and watch the provided YouTube Videos	Participants Section	Completed Participants Section and Corrected Introduction



9/14	Kornuta & Germaine pages 43-52, and watch Participants Section the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Participants Section and Corrected Introduction
9/21	Kornuta & Germaine pages 51-54, and watch Instrumentation Section the provided YouTube Videos	Complete Instrumentation and corrections on the Participants section
9/28	Kornuta & Germaine pages 51-54, and watch Instrumentation Section the provided YouTube Videos	Complete Instrumentation and corrections on the Participants section
10/5	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-59, and watch Procedures Section the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Procedures section and corrections on Instrumentation
10/12	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-59, and watch Procedures Section the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Procedures section and corrections on Instrumentation
10/19	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-59, and watch Procedures Section the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Procedures section and corrections on Instrumentation
10/26	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-67 and watch Proposed Data Analysis and Summary the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Proposed Data Analysis and Summary, Corrections on Procedures
11/2	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-67 and watch Proposed Data Analysis and Summary the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Proposed Data Analysis and Summary, Corrections on Procedures
11/9	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-67 and watch Proposed Data Analysis and Summary the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Proposed Data Analysis and Summary, Corrections on Procedures
11/16	Kornuta & Germaine pages 53-67 and watch Proposed Data Analysis and Summary the provided YouTube Videos	Completed Proposed Data Analysis and Summary, Corrections on Procedures
11/23	No readings; Complete Revisions needed on Completed Revisions literature review chapter	Submit the final copy of chapters 2 and 3
11/30	No readings; Complete Revisions needed on Completed Revisions literature review chapter	Submit the final copy of chapters 2 and 3
12/7	No readings; Complete Revisions needed on Completed Revisions literature review chapter	Submit the final copy of chapters 2 and 3

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