

Faculty of Higher Education

Subject Code	LED951
Subject Name	Leadership in Uncertain Times
Credit points	6
Study Level	Year 2 (AQF9)
Delivery mode	Blended
Location	Melbourne
Prerequisites	N/A

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Subject Overview	Current and future leaders are required to have suitable knowledge, skills and abilities to effectively lead and manage through crises and volatile, uncertain, complex and ambiguous (VUCA) business environments. Building on current leadership knowledge and experience, this subject fosters the development of leadership agility, strategic mindset and effective communication, to effectively deal with risks, uncertainty and crisis. Students will apply the crisis and leadership theory to the international hospitality business scenarios, exemplify their leadership through a simulated crisis scenario and develop business strategies to mitigate future risks and crises.
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Learning Outcomes	Review current crisis and leadership literature and critically discuss how organisational systems and management practices (strategic and operational) can conspire to create conditions of business failure and crisis
	Exemplify leadership agility, strategic mindset and effective communication during the time of business crisis
	Critically reflect on your leadership practices to formulate effective development strategies
	Devise a crisis management plan informed by the current crisis and leadership literature

Assessments	Details	Weighting
	Critical essay	30%
	Simulation	35%
	Case study	35%

Graduate Attributes addressed in this subject	Preparedness
	Ethical and social understanding
	Systematic and coherent body of knowledge
	Cognitive skills to synthesise and consolidate knowledge
	Interpersonal skills
	Teamwork skills
	Communication skills