

On Tue, Feb 27, 2018 at 2:57 PM, roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz <kroe031@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi Justine!

Hope you and Tim and your family is well.

I am trying to enrol in a qualification that I can complete in 1 year - in order to establish that I have the capacity to complete a qualification (on a full time basis) in 1 year. Because the last qualification I completed was more than 5 years ago, now.

I am trying to enrol in a GradDip at Otago to that end - but having some trouble getting the philosophy department on board with the idea of enrolling me in 400 level research papers without my being enrolled in an Honours degree or a Post-Graduate Diploma in Philosophy, particularly.

I was wondering whether it might be possible for me to complete a Philosophy research program this year via distance with Waikato? Either a series of papers or one bigger project. I am thinking particularly about the notion of 'equity' - but am amenable to negotiating a topic.

Justine Kingsbury <justine.kingsbury@waikato.ac.nz>
To: "roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz" <kroe031@gmail.com>

Tue, Feb 27, 2018 at 3:26 PM

Hi! We are well. Sorry not to get to talk to you more at NZAP.

Because you already have Bachelors and a Masters degree in Philosophy, the only one-year thing we could enrol you in is an MPhil. But that might work. Do you want to look up the regs and see whether it sounds like something you'd like to do? You might have to agree to come up here occasionally, but I think you could mostly be supervised via Skype. I'm the graduate advisor for philosophy, so the people to talk to are me and whoever you think you'd like to have supervise - have a look at the research interests of the people here, because there's been a lot of turnover!

On Tue, Feb 27, 2018 at 5:06 PM, roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz <kroe031@gmail.com> wrote:

Sorry - I started applying and it looks like the application is due March 1.

I am mostly concerned to be able to complete the degree this year since it says students 'invariably' take longer and I need for that not to be the case...

Justine Kingsbury <justine.kingsbury@waikato.ac.nz>
To: "roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz" <kroe031@gmail.com>

Tue, Feb 27, 2018 at 6:27 PM

Hi - yes, I'll be a referee. And happy to supervise too - I think it's an interesting issue.

I'm pretty sure it gets externally examined, so if you need actual results within a year, you'll have to finish it in less than that - but I'm sure you can.

From: <enrol@waikato.ac.nz>
Date: 28 February 2018 at 13:02
Subject: University Of Waikato application confirmation
To: kroe031@gmail.com

Dear kelly

Thank you for your 2018 application to the University Of Waikato.

Your application is now being considered and we will notify you of the outcome as soon as possible.

To enquire about the progress of your application, or to make changes to it, login to your application. You can also view emails we have sent you about your application.

Your Student ID is 1365769. You have applied to enrol in:

Choice 1 : MPHIL

Master of Philosophy

Main Subject: Philosophy

Faculty: Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

Paper Code	Paper Title	Points	Dates	Status
PHIL800-18C (HAM)	Philosophy MPhil Thesis	120.00	05-03-2018 - 03-03-2019	Pending

If you require any further assistance, phone 0800 WAIKATO (0800 924 528) or +64 7 838 4610 from outside NZ.

Kind Regards
Enrolment Office

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Sat, Mar 3, 2018 at 3:06 PM

Hi,

I have formerly studied with the University of Waikato at undergraduate and graduate level, and been employed as an academic member of staff.

My previous student ID was 9753890 and I'm fairly sure my previous username / email address was kellyr@waikato.ac.nz

I have recently applied to study an MPhil with the University and I have been assigned a new ID number. I now don't seem to be able to log into the system to check the progress of my application.

Thanks,

Kelly Roe.

On Sun, Mar 4, 2018 at 10:52 AM, roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz <kroe031@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi,

I haven't heard back yet about my enrolment, but I guess I'm hoping (fingers crossed) that it goes through okay.

I heard back from Auckland that I would need to notify them that I have passed my course by December 7.

1. Submission Deadline.

I see that there is external examination involved. I don't know when would be realistic for me to have it submitted to graders so as to be likely to be passed by December 7 (if it is indeed of passable quality). I suppose I should allow for the possibility of revise and resubmit - thinking that if it is of broadly passable quality then alterations shouldn't take more than... 2 weeks? Would it be reasonable to think I could submit it for grading 6 weeks prior to deadline (by October 26)? Or do you think that would be cutting it too fine for external examination?

Justine Kingsbury <justine.kingsbury@waikato.ac.nz>

To: "roeke375@student.otago.ac.nz" <kroe031@gmail.com>

Mon, Mar 5, 2018 at 9:55 AM

Hi - I think that's too short. Aim for between 40,000 and 50,000.

Normally examiners are told that they have two months. But the supervisor makes the initial approach, so I can make sure we only get examiners who are willing to commit to - well, six weeks, anyway - I could try for a month. October 15th would be a safer deadline to aim for.

I've just been to a conference that was partly about enactivism - I think you're right that there's been an explosion in embodied cognition stuff (and also, it's not a particularly clear literature - hard to make sense of how different views connect to each other) - I wouldn't recommend it as a contained project! If you can find a couple of interesting papers on equity, that sounds like a better bet. But I don't know the literature. Shelley Tremain is the only name I know in disability studies, and I think she is continentally-inclined, but it might be worth looking at the bibliography of something of hers to see if she references anything that looks promising. Have you got access to the Philosophers' Index? I find it the best way to find material for a new project, though most of my colleagues prefer PhilPapers.

J.