

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA

FSG710: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Course Name (English)	RESEARCH METHODOLOGY APPROVED
Course Code	FSG710
MQF Credit	3
Course Description	This course will provide students with knowledge and exposure required on methods and ethics to carry out a scientific research. Students will be introduced to different experimental design and components involved in research proposal writing. The student will perform a systematically research project and present the research proposal at the end of semester. The quantitative (statistical) technique will cover the multivariate analysis. It is designed for biological experiments using appropriate statistical tests
Transferable Skills	Students able to analyze quantitative data and creating scientific ideas. Students can also solve scientific problems systematically and present their ideas orally.
Teaching Methodologies	Lectures, Presentation, Journal/Article Critique, Supervision
CLO	 CLO1 To describe the basic concepts and principles in conducting research in a pragmatic, logical, and scientific manner. CLO2 To identify and describe the types of research and research approaches used in research methodology. CLO3 To understand the multivariate analysis in biological experiment CLO4 To design and defend research proposal in written report and oral presentation.
Pre-Requisite Courses	No course recommendations
Reading List	Reference Book ResourcesFlick U. 2011, Introducing Research Methodology: A beginner's guide to doing research project, Sage Publication LtdMcdonald J. H. 2009, Handbook of Biological Statistics, 2nd Ed., Sparky House Publishing Baltimore. Maryland Paul D. Leedy,Jeanne Ellis Ormrod 2005, Practical Research, 8th Ed., Pearson College Division [ISBN: 0131108956] Zainudin Awang, Research Methodology and Data Analysis, 2nd Ed. [ISBN: 9789673634224] 2011, Guideline on thesis format for post graduate, Institutes of Graduate Studies (IGS) UiTM
Article/Paper List	Recommended Article/Paper Resources S. Rajasekar, P. Philominathan, V. Chinnathambi 2013, Research Methodology, 53 Journal of Pharmacy and Biological Sciences <u>http://iosrjournals.org/iosr-jpbs.html</u>
Other References	This Course does not have any other resources