



# FACULTY OF ARTS

## Adelaide Summer Research Scholarship 2021-2022

### **Decolonising Our Curriculum**

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Decolonising the curriculum involves working to create a learning and teaching environment where students engage with a diverse and global range of voices, perspectives and methodological traditions, that supports social justice for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other minority groups, and which recognises the knowledges and expertise that a range of stakeholders, including students and the general public, bring to the classroom and to their learning.

This project involves mapping our current educational provisions in the School of Humanities, identifying our strengths and weaknesses, and exploring with a range of stakeholders (including students) how to produce a curriculum that is more suited to the modern university and the world that we want to make. Students shall develop key skills in pedagogy and curriculum development, learn how to map and bench-mark curricula, and potentially conduct interview or focus groups. They will make a meaningful contribution to the future of the Humanities learning and teaching at Adelaide for the next generation of students.

The student will gain the following research skills and experience;

- Compiling bibliographic data
- Curriculum mapping
- Survey development
- Data analysis and synthesis
- Teamwork
- Possible interviews