**UQ Summer or Winter Research Project Description**

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| **Project title:** | An inter-professional approach to bereavement education. |
| **Project duration:** | 6 weeks  18 November 2019 – 3 January 2020 |
| **Description:** | This project contributes to an on-going project to develop educational resources for inter-professional education on grief and loss. In late 2018 an extensive review or nursing, midwifery and social work literature was undertaken to ascertain current practices in training undergraduate nursing, midwifery and social work students in bereavement responses.  This project will use data collected to report on findings for publication and to begin the development of resources to be used in the school and potentially more broadly in HaBS. |
| **Expected outcomes and deliverables:** | This project provides the opportunity for students to participate in the writing of systematic review of the research literature as the basis of literature review to be submitted for peer review. Three papers are planned covering each of the core disciplines.  It is anticipated that by undertaking this process students skills will be enhanced in communication, advanced literature searchers, consolidation of research findings and generation of a research paper for publication. These skills would be beneficial to all students, particularly those wishing to complete honours or research based study. |
| **Suitable for:** | This application is open to students currently enrolled or graduated within the last two years in the School of Nursing, Midwifery and Social work.  Candidates will need to work independently with regular meetings and support from their supervisor/s. |
| **Primary Supervisor:** | Catherine Kilgour PhD RN RM– for the nursing /midwifery student  John Drayton PhD BSW – for the social work student |
| **Further info:** | Candidates will be required to attend the UQ St Lucia campus for 20 hours per week for this project. Days to be negotiated with the team prior to commencement.  Please contact Catherine Kilgour ([c.kilgour@uq.edu.au](mailto:c.kilgour@uq.edu.au)) or John Drayton (j.drayton1@uq.edu.au) prior to submitting an application. |