**Minor Literature Essay (6 ECTS)**

The Minor Literature Essay is a short systematic literature review. During this course you will design and perform your own literature study on a specific (bio)medical subject of your own choice, and report the results in a written scientific report in English of about 3000-5000 words.

More details are located in the course description on the VUmc website.

**Note:**

VUmc students will undertake the Minor Literature Essay in January since the first term at VUmc extends until the end of January.

Western’s IMS students will arrange a supervisor for the Minor Literature Essay during their term at VUmc and continue to work on the report when they return to Canada. They will communicate with their supervisors via Skype, email, etc. and submit the report by the end of January.

*The Minor Literature Essay will transfer back to Western as 0.5 3000-level Writing course*