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## PHD- 901 Diakonia, values and professional practice 10 ECTS

Work requirements - Spring 2021

### 1. Participation/Attendance

Participants are required to attend 75% of the course. Valid absences must be documented.

### 2. Literature

It is expected that participants are familiar with relevant literature before the course starts.

### 3. Short paper and presentation

Persons that are full participants in the course are required to submit an abstract no longer than 800 words. The text must describe the PhD project of the candidate and the relation to the course theme. During the course, we will have time for presentations by each participant and discussions related to the paper and presentation. It is expected for the student to hold a three minutes presentation. The presentation should be about your project with a focus on ideas and/or questions regarding one or two of the topics: diakonia, values and professional practice. How do you consider the chosen topics relevant to your project? The presentation will be followed by questions and discussion related to some of the themes of the course (aprox. 30 min pr. project). Participants are required to respond to the text of fellow students and take part in group discussions.

Supervisors can be invited to be present during the presentations and participate in the discussions.

**Deadline for submission in Canvas: 24<sup>th</sup> May 2021.** Please submit in Canvas "PhD 901 – Spring 21, Diakonia, Values and Professional Practice", in the Module named "Submission of abstracts, apr. 800 words"

### 4. Paper

To obtain 10 ECTS, the participants have to submit a paper after the course. The paper is supposed to be up to 10 pages (approximately 3500 words, 1, 5 line spacing) + bibliography. In this paper, it is

expected that the theoretical foundation for the research course is discussed and reflected in connection with the participants individual PhD projects.

The evaluation of the paper is based on the learning outcomes described in the Course Plan

<https://www.vid.no/site/assets/files/3885/emneplanphd901.pdf>

Adequate academic standard in terms of references and bibliography is expected. Please find guidelines for writing papers here:

<https://www.vid.no/en/files/guidelines-for-writing-papers-and-theses-apa-norwegian/>

<https://www.vid.no/en/files/guidelines-for-writing-papers-and-theses-apa-english-version/>

**Deadline for submission of written paper in Inspira: 30<sup>th</sup> of September**

**Course certificate:** A course certificate is given when the coursework is successfully completed.