

Day 4 – Work-based Research Methods

In order to review Research Ethics and further engage with the material we discussed on Day 4, I would encourage you to pay particular attention to the following texts from your module reading list:

Essential Texts:

- Cohen, L., Manion, L. and Morrison, K. (2011) *Research Methods in Education*. Abingdon: Routledge.
 - Chapter 5, p. 75-104
- Costley, C., Elliott, G., and Paul Gibbs (2012) *Doing Work Based Research, Approaches to Enquiry for Insider-Researchers*. London: Sage.
 - Chapter 1, p. 1-7
 - Chapters 3-6, p. 25-79
- Gill, J and Phil Johnson, (2012) *Research Methods for Managers*. (4th ed) London: Sage.
 - Chapter 8, p. 187-213
- Gray, D. E. (2004). *Doing Research in the Real World*. London: Sage.
 - Chapter 4, p.67-96

Recommended Texts:

- Bell, J. (2005) *Doing your Research Project*. (4th ed) Buckingham: Open University Press.
 - Chapter 3, p. 43-60
- Blaxter, L., Hughes, C. and Tight, M. (2010) *How to Research*. (4th ed) Maidenhead: Open University Press.
 - p. 156-169
- Easterby-Smith, M., Thorpe, R., and Jackson, P., (2012) *Management Research*. (4th ed) London: Sage.
 - Chapter 6, p. 113-140
- Saunders, M., Lewis, P. and Thornhill, A. (2009) *Research Methods for Business Students*. (5th ed) London: Pearson Education Ltd.
 - Chapter 6, p. 168-209
- Walliman, N. (2001) *Your Research Project: A step-by-step guide for the first-time researcher*. London: Sage
 - Chapter 6, p. 239-274

In order to review Research Design and further engage with the material we discussed on Day 4, I would encourage you to pay particular attention to the following texts from your module reading list:

Essential Texts:

- Cohen, L., Manion, L. and Morrison, K. (2011) *Research Methods in Education*. Abingdon: Routledge.
 - Chapters 6-10, p. 105-216
 - Part 3, p. 217-374
- Costley, C., Elliott, G., and Paul Gibbs (2012) *Doing Work Based Research, Approaches to Enquiry for Insider-Researchers*. London: Sage.
 - Chapter 7, p. 80-101
 - Chapters 9&10, p. 115-158
- Gill, J and Phil Johnson, (2012) *Research Methods for Managers*. (4th ed) London: Sage.
 - Review Parts 1&2, p. 1-184
- Gray, D. E. (2004). *Doing Research in the Real World*. London: Sage.
 - Chapters 2&3, p. 15-66

Recommended Texts:

- Bell, J. (2005) *Doing your Research Project*. (4th ed) Buckingham: Open University Press.
 - Chapter 2, p. 28-42
- Blaxter, L., Hughes, C. and Tight, M. (2010) *How to Research*. (4th ed) Maidenhead: Open University Press.
 - Chapters 4-6, p. 99-182
- Chevalier J. M. and Buckles, D. J. (2013) *Participatory Action Research*. Abingdon: Routledge.
 - Modules 1-3, p. 47-252
- Davies, M.B., (2007) *Doing a Successful Research Project - Using Qualitative and Quantitative Methods*. London: Palgrave.
 - Chapters 2&3, p. 19-50
- Easterby-Smith, M., Thorpe, R., and Jackson, P., (2012) *Management Research*. (4th ed) London: Sage.
 - Chapter 5, p. 81-112
- Saunders, M., Lewis, P. and Thornhill, A. (2009) *Research Methods for Business Students*. (5th ed) London: Pearson Education Ltd.
 - Chapter 2, p. 20-57

- Chapter 5, p. 136-167
- Walliman, N. (2001) *Your Research Project: A step-by-step guide for the first-time researcher*. London: Sage
 - Chapter 1, p. 1-56