

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

Sciences curriculum 731 (SCU 731)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	16.00
Programmes	BEdHons Life Sciences Education
	BEdHons Mathematics Education
	BEdHons Physical Sciences Education
	BEdHons Teacher Education and Professional Development
	BEdHons Technology Education
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Science, Maths + Techno Ed
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

The nature of the natural sciences, technology and mathematics: public understanding of scientific, mathematical and technological endeavours and their impact on society. Ethical implications of practices and advances in these fields. Indigenous Knowledge Systems (IKS), ethno-mathematics and technologies and ways of knowing. Implications for teaching and learning content, and anticipated outcomes. The purpose and nature of curricula to develop scientific ways of understanding the world.

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