



# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## Mammalogy 352 (ZEN 352)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
<b>Module credits</b>	18.00
<b>Programmes</b>	BSc Biochemistry BSc Chemistry BSc Environmental Sciences BSc Genetics BSc Geography BSc Geoinformatics BSc Human Physiology BSc Microbiology BSc Physics BSc Plant Science BSc Zoology
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Education
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	4 lectures per week, 2 practicals per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Zoology and Entomology
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Quarter 1

### Module content

Mammalian origins and their characteristics: evolution of African mammals; structure and function: integument, support and movement; foods and feeding; environmental adaptations; reproduction; behaviour; ecology and biogeography; social behaviour; sexual selection; parental care and mating systems; community ecology; zoogeography. Special topics: parasites and diseases; domestication and domesticated mammals; conservation.

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