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Engineering geology of South Africa 714 (GTX 714)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	15.00
Programmes	BScHons Engineering and Environmental Geology Engineering Geology BScHons Engineering and Environmental Geology Hydrogeology
Prerequisites	SGM 311 or TDH
Contact time	2 lectures per week, 2 practicals per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Geology
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Overview of site investigation phases; site investigation techniques; soil profiling and rock core description. Literature study and compilation of reports on the stratigraphy of South African rock types and engineering problems of rocks and soils within different stratigraphic units and climatic regions.

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