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MA Fine Arts (01250108)

Minimum duration of study	1 year
Total credits	180
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Programme information

The research can be conducted by means of a dissertation (BKS 858), a dissertation and solo exhibition (BKS 859) or a dissertation and curated exhibition (BKS 860).

Admission requirements

- A four-year degree in Fine Arts or equivalent qualification (with approval by Senate) with an average of at least 65%.
- The Research Committee of the Department of Visual Arts must approve the application which includes a research proposal.

Additional requirements

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Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 180

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a. A dissertation (BKS 858), or

b. A dissertation and solo exhibition (BKS 859) or

c. A dissertation and curated exhibition (BKS 860).

Core modules

Dissertation: Advanced research in Fine Arts 858 (BKS 858)

Module credits	180.00
Prerequisites	A four-year degree in Fine Arts or equivalent qualification (with approval by Senate) with an average of at least 65%.
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	Visual Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A dissertation on an approved topic completed under supervision of a supervisor.

Dissertation and creative production 859 (BKS 859)

Module credits	180.00
Prerequisites	A four-year degree in Fine Arts or equivalent qualification (with approval by Senate) with an average of at least 65%
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	Visual Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A solo exhibition of creative work investigating a relevant research theme/idea that has been meaningfully and appropriately delimited within contemporary discourses, accompanied by a dissertation of limited scope serving as a framing document and a catalogue for the exhibition. The creative work and the dissertation must be conceptually linked and integrated.

Dissertation and curatorial practice 860 (BKS 860)

Module credits	180.00
Prerequisites	A four-year degree in Fine Arts or equivalent qualification (with approval by Senate) with an average of at least 65%.
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class

Department	Visual Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A curated exhibition investigating a relevant research theme/idea that has been meaningfully and appropriately delimited to comply with contemporary requirements; a dissertation of limited scope which will serve as a framing document, and a catalogue for the exhibition. The area and topic for research are those that were delineated in the research proposal. The curated exhibition and the dissertation must be conceptually linked and integrated.

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