



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

BScHons Applied Science Industrial Systems (12243002)

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 128

NQF level 08

Programme information

The curriculum is determined in consultation with the relevant heads of departments. A student is required to pass modules to the value of at least 128 credits.

The degree is awarded on the basis of examinations only.

The BScHons (Applied Science) degree is conferred by the following academic departments:

- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Industrial and Systems Engineering
- Materials Science and Metallurgical Engineering
- Mechanical and Aeronautical Engineering
- Mining Engineering

Any specific module is offered on the condition that a minimum number of students are registered for the module, as determined by the relevant head of department and the Dean. Students must consult the relevant head of department in order to compile a meaningful programme, as well as on the syllabi of the modules. The relevant departmental postgraduate brochures must also be consulted.

Admission requirements

- Any one of the following:
 - a three-year BSc degree (in natural sciences) (or equivalent) with a weighted average of at least 60%;
 - an appropriate BTech qualification, i.e. one offered by a department of industrial engineering at a university of technology in South Africa, with a weighted average of at least 75% and no modules failed in the BTech, excluding the National Diploma;
 - a four-year engineering-based university degree not recognised by ECSA for registration as a professional engineer.
- The departmental Postgraduate Committee reserves the right to make a thorough assessment of the applicant's academic transcript and CV, and to decide if the applicant is suitable for postgraduate studies. This assessment may include an oral or written entrance examination.



Other programme-specific information

The programme consists of two compulsory modules (48 credits) with any relevant core module as prerequisite and the remainder of credits either core and/or elective modules. Students are allowed 16 relevant credits from outside the department. Students are advised to select modules in line with their desired research stream:

- Resource Optimisation (RO)
- Business Process Optimisation (BPO)
- Supply Chain Engineering (SCE)

Please refer to the Programme Guide for further information, available [here](#).



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 128

BCS 780 and BAN 780 are compulsory modules.

Core modules

Industrial analysis 780 (BAN 780) - Credits: 16.00

Enterprise engineering and research methods 781 (BBA 781) - Credits: 32.00

Industrial and systems engineering research 780 (BCS 780) - Credits: 32.00

Supply chain processes 781 (BLK 781) - Credits: 16.00

Operations research 780 (BOZ 780) - Credits: 32.00

Manufacturing planning systems 782 (BPZ 782) - Credits: 32.00

Simulation modelling 780 (BUY 780) - Credits: 32.00

Supply chain design 780 (BVK 780) - Credits: 16.00

Elective modules

Reliability engineering 780 (BTH 780) - Credits: 16.00

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