

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

## MIT ICT Information Science (Coursework) (12254016)

**Department** Information Science

**Minimum duration of study** 2 years

**Total credits** 180

**NQF level** 09

### Programme information

This degree programme is presented in English only.

Also consult G Regulations G.30 to G.54

The curriculum is determined in consultation with the programme organiser.

A student will have to apply to the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology if he/she requires more than three years to complete the degree.

### Admission requirements

1. Three-year first degree in Library and Information Science and a second degree in Library and Information Science **or** honours degree in Library and Information Science **or** four-year degree in Library and Information Science **or** master's degree **or** equivalent degree from a SAQA-accredited university

### Other programme-specific information

#### **Discontinuation of studies**

The Dean may, on the recommendation of the admissions committee, cancel the studies of a student who fails more than one module. A module may only be repeated once.

#### **Deregistration of modules**

Deregistration of modules is only allowed before the early deadline.

Students may register for two modules in another master's programme with the permission of the Programme Coordinators of both degrees.

### Examinations and pass requirements

A minimum semester mark of 40% is required in order to be admitted to the final examinations in all the prescribed modules of the degree. A final mark of 50% is required to pass all coursework modules and the mini-dissertation.

## Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction on students who have obtained at least 75% for the mini-dissertation and a minimum of 75% weighted average final mark for the coursework modules and completed the degree in minimum time.



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## Curriculum: Year 1

**Minimum credits: 90**

### Core modules

Research data management 885 (MIT 885) - Credits: 15.00

Institutional repositories and virtual work environments 886 (MIT 886) - Credits: 15.00

The knowledge society in the Fourth Industrial Revolution 887 (MIT 887) - Credits: 10.00

Information ethics 889 (MIT 889) - Credits: 10.00

Data, information and knowledge management 890 (MIT 890) - Credits: 15.00

Facilitating information retrieval and information use 891 (MIT 891) - Credits: 15.00

IT Research 892 (MIT 892) - Credits: 10.00



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## Curriculum: Final year

**Minimum credits: 90**

### Core modules

Mini-dissertation 880 (MIT 880) - Credits: 90.00

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