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Information ethics 715 (INY 715)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 15.00

NQF Level 08

Programmes BISHons Information Science

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 8 meetings per semester

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Information Science

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

This module focuses on the main moral ethical issues pertaining to information and ICT, globalisation, privacy and knowledge flow. It covers amongst others the following fields: information and computer ethics; cyber warfare and terrorism; information philosophy; information security; privacy and the right to information; digital identity management; cyber law; e-waste; globalisation and the impact on society.

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