
Master of Town and Regional Planning [MTRP]

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The Master's degree [MT&RP] is conferred by virtue of a dissertation as well as related assignments as prescribed by the Head of Department including an academic article for publication and an examination in the field of the dissertation and/or sections thereof as required by the Head of Department/supervisor.

The successful completion of a relevant module in research methodology is a prerequisite for approval of the study proposal.

Refer to the G Regulations.

For more information, please consult the Faculty webpage.

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Career Opportunities

While the majority of town and regional planners act as private consultants to the public and the private sector they are also employed by all three spheres of government research agencies such as the CSIR and the HSRC non-governmental organisations community-based organisations major financial institutions and property development groups.

Programme Code

12252035

Closing Dates

- **SA** - 31/05/2025
 - **Non-SA** - 31/05/2025
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Admission Requirements

1. Bachelor of Town and Regional Planning degree of the University of Pretoria
or
equivalent degree in Town and Regional Planning in a course or programme accredited by (1) the professional council or organisation in the country in which it is offered - the South African Council for Planners (SACPLAN) in the case of South Africa - or (2) an international planning organisation or institute such as the Royal Town Planning Institute (RTPI)
or
Honours-level degree in a field relevant to planning (such as architecture, civil engineering, construction, economics, geography, sociology, public management, law or development studies), that is deemed acceptable by the departmental Postgraduate Committee
 2. Evidence of knowledge of research methodology
 3. Evidence of practical experience
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Minimum duration of study

1 years, full-time

Faculty Notes

The Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology at the University of Pretoria is a leading source of graduates in the engineering, built environment and information technology professions. We achieve this by a focus on research to drive innovative and enquiry-led teaching for

educating and positioning our students to be leaders in their professions. The Faculty has extensive and cutting-edge teaching, learning and laboratory facilities integrated with the excellent suite of facilities and services offered by the University. We facilitate access to our qualifications through our extended programmes but expect our students to excel and develop as future professionals through our programme offering. We invite you to consider enrolling in one of our programmes if you share our vision of excellence and want to position yourself as a leader in the professions that we support.

The Faculty is organised in four schools: the School of Engineering, the School for the Built Environment, the School of Information Technology and the Graduate School of Technology Management. The School of Engineering is the largest of its kind in the country in terms of student numbers, graduates and research contributions and offers programmes in all the major engineering disciplines with many specialisations also offered at undergraduate and graduate level.

The University of Pretoria aims to be internationally competitive while also locally relevant. Advisory boards at both faculty and departmental level promote alignment and excellence in our teaching and research activities. Where applicable and available our programmes are accredited by statutory and professional bodies at both national and international level.

Enquiries about the programme

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How to apply



Online Application



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