# PhD in Leadership

The Faculty of Economic Management Sciences through The Albert Luthuli Centre for Responsible Leadership offer a new the new research degree called PhD in Leadership. This degree aims to develop a cadre of PhD's with comprehensive understanding of the emerging field of leadership as a trans-disciplinary discourse as it relates to the management and sustainability of the planet's socio-ecological systems, who will be prepared to do research and teach in institutions of higher learning, or effect a change in the world of practice.

**Minimum admission requirements**

(i) A relevant master's degree
(ii) Research Methodology module (unless exemption is granted)
(iii) Research proposal
(iv) The Director of the Centre may, however, set additional admission requirements.

**Curriculum**

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| (v) | OBS 900 | Research proposal: Leadership |
| (vi) | OBS 996 | Thesis: Leadership |

Selection for admission will require the submission by candidates of a written pre-proposal which briefly outlines their intended research topic supported by a short motivation**.** The research component comprises a thesis and three research articles submitted for publication. Once the student has registered for the PhD, the candidate will work under the guidance of a supervisor to develop a detailed research proposal in accordance with Centre guidelines and regulations The proposal must be presented to the Centre PhD committee and must be officially approved by all relevant committees before the candidate can commence with his/her research. The candidate will continue his/her research under the guidance of his/her supervisor until the research is completed according to the rules and regulations of the University. A public defence of the final thesis is compulsory and forms part of the final examination. Three research articles, based on the candidate's research, must be submitted for publication to a recognised accredited journal. At least two of these must be accepted for publication. These articles are a compulsory condition for the degree to be conferred on the candidate. The research component contributes 100% towards the total requirement for the degree.

**Note: Please note there will be no intake in 2016, enquries for 2017 will start in August 2016**

**For further information, visit the Albert Luthuli Centre for Responsible Leadership's website;**
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