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# MESSAGE OF WELCOME FROM THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRINCIPAL



Dear prospective and current students,

We would like to welcome you to the University of Pretoria and congratulate you on deciding to #ChooseUP. By making this significant decision you joined not only our family, but also our global network of 344 133 alumni, many of whom are making their mark locally and globally.

**Professor Francis Petersen** Vice-Chancellor and Principal

UP has been discovering new knowledge and inventing ways of improving people's lives for 115 years. A deep desire to make sure that whatever we do has a positive impact and uplifts society lies at the heart of all our research and innovation.

The COVID-19 pandemic was a wake-up call, urging us to think critically and reimagine the future. At the University of Pretoria, we're committed to using higher education for a meaningful contribution to post-COVID-19 Africa. Through innovative research and strategies, we're addressing complex pandemic-related challenges wake-up call to do things differently, and has forced us to think even more critically to find solutions to the challenges we face.

Upon graduation, you'll possess critical thinking and creative skills applicable in various workplaces or entrepreneurship. We offer free online entrepreneurship training to support your potential in this area. For more details, visit the Career Services Office at the Hatfield Campus's Old Chemistry Building or access their website at <u>www.up.ac.za/career-services</u>. Our ongoing research at the Centre for the Future of Work will keep your education relevant amidst evolving workplace dynamics driven by advancing digital technologies. Furthermore, our education will foster an understanding of both the challenges and opportunities of being South African and African in a global context.

Make the most of your journey at UP by ensuring that you are familiar with the many resources which you have access to, and learn about the support available along the way to help you to graduate on time. To succeed, it is essential to do the necessary preparation before attending classes by reading the notes in your study guide, watching the recommended videos, and consulting any other suggested learning material. Engage with your lecturers and fellow students during lessons to learn even more about the subject. Study diligently and revise in small chunks to ensure that you are not left with a mass of work to cram in just before the exams. This method will help you to remember information for longer and to apply it more effectively.

As blended learning—which includes a mix of online and in-person classes—becomes a permanent feature of your studies, it is important to ensure that you are well equipped to navigate this new environment. We will be with you as you embark on this journey, and will provide you with the necessary skills and support to help you make a success of your studies.

THE UP WAY of life ensures that everything we do contributes to making us a unique and excellent university. We strive for excellence in teaching and learning; we innovate by developing the skills and solutions that the world needs; and we transform lives, communities, business sectors, society, our continent and the world. We are ethical and treat everyone with respect and kindness. Your success as a member of our family is important to us, so we implore you to embrace THE UP WAY.

To achieve our aim, which is to assist you as you develop into a well-rounded, responsible and socially sensitive citizen who is attuned to the needs of others, we offer a range of creative arts and a variety of cultural, sports and volunteering activities in which you can participate. Such activities enrich the vibrant student life on our campuses and participation will enable you to meet a diverse group of friends.

This InfoGuide is your orientation companion, providing essential details about our campuses, faculties, student services, important dates, accommodations, transportation, libraries, safety, security, and support services from Student Affairs and Finance. It's your guide to confidently begin your exciting journey.



## **1. UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA**

Student Service Centre		Address	Postal address
	7 (0)12 420 3111 c@up.ac.za	University of Pretoria cnr Lynnwood Road and Roper Street Hatfield South Africa	University of Pretoria Private Bag X20 Hatfield 0028 South Africa
Crisis line		Emergency numbers	Website
	7 (0)80 000 6428 Ill-free)	24-hour Operational Management           Centre           Tel         +27 (0)12 420 2310/2760           24-hour Operational Manager         Feature           Tel         +27 (0)83 654 0476	www.up.ac.za www.virtualcampus.up.ac.za Parents' page www.up.ac.za/parents
			Study finance www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees- and-funding

#### 1.1 Campuses and faculties

The Hatfield Campus has more than 60 historical buildings, spread over 24 hectares. It is one of the most picturesque campuses in South Africa and is close to a business centre with several essential services, such as banks, bookshops, pharmacies, sports facilities, clothing stores, restaurants and coffee shops.

The Hatfield Campus houses the following faculties:

- Economic and Management Sciences
- Engineering, Built Environment and Information
- Technology
- Humanities
- Law
- Natural and Agricultural Sciences
- Theology and Religion

The Groenkloof Campus houses the Faculty of Education.

**The Hillcrest Campus** houses TuksSport and the High Performance Centre (hpc).

#### The Mamelodi Campus houses:

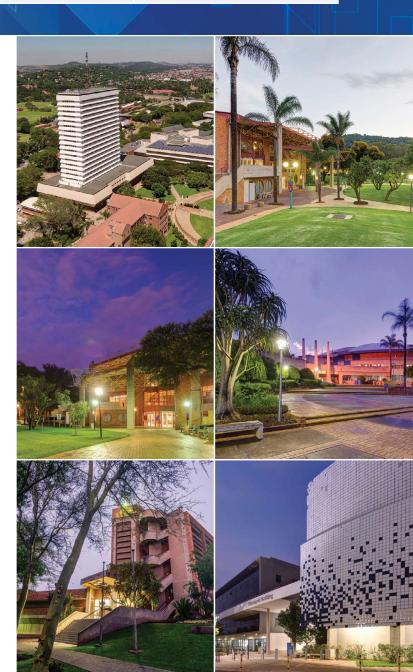
- post-school mathematics and science programmes, and
- a variety of community engagement programmes.

### For updated information, refer to www.up.ac.za/mamelodi-campus.

The Onderstepoort Campus houses the Faculty of Veterinary Science.

The Prinshof Campus houses the Faculty of Health Sciences.

The Gordon Institute of Business Science (GIBS) located in Sandton, Johannesburg, offers academic programmes, as well as a wide range of executive courses that can be custom-designed to suit specific company needs.





### 1.2 Student Administration offices

Economic and Management Sciences	Education	Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
R1-12, Economic and Management Sciences Building, Hatfield Campus	Administration Building, Groenkloof Campus	6th floor, Engineering Building 1, Hatfield Campus
Email ems@up.ac.za	Email ssc@up.ac.za	Email <u>ebit@up.ac.za</u>
Health Sciences	Humanities	Law
Health Sciences R3-54, Student Administration Centre, Tšwelopele Building, Prinshof Campus	Humanities R2-9, IT Building, Hatfield Campus	Law R1-56, Law Building, Hatfield Campus
R3-54, Student Administration Centre,	R2-9, IT Building,	R1-56, Law Building,
R3-54, Student Administration Centre, Tšwelopele Building, Prinshof Campus Email <u>healthapplications@up.ac.za</u>	R2-9, IT Building, Hatfield Campus Email <u>hum-student-admin@up.ac.za</u>	R1-56, Law Building, Hatfield Campus Email <u>kgolane.makua@up.ac.za</u>
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#### 1.3 GPS coordinates of campuses

Campus	GPS coordinates	
Hatfield	S25° 45′ 21′ E28° 13′ 51′	
GIBS	S26° 07′ 46″ E28° 02′ 46″ (56 km from Hatfield Campus)	
Groenkloof	S25º 46' 10' E28º 12' 34" (3.5 km from Hatfield Campus)	
Hillcrest	S25° 45′ 10′ E28° 14′ 46′ (1.2 km from Hatfield Campus)	
Mamelodi	S25° 43' 22' E28° 23' 56' (12 km from Hatfield Campus)	
Onderstepoort	S25° 38' 52" E28° 10' 54" (22 km from Hatfield Campus)	
Prinshof	S25° 43' 57' E28° 12' 10' (6 km from Hatfield Campus)	

#### 1.4 Google maps to our campuses

UP Campus maps are available on Google Maps, as well as on the Google Maps application. Type the links below in your internet browser, or install the Google Maps application free of charge on your smartphone or tablet.

Campus	Google Maps link
Hatfield Campus	http://goo.gl/NkGMVd
Hillcrest Campus	http://goo.gl/JGdYbq
Groenkloof Campus (Faculty of Education)	http://goo.gl/CUSK6y
Prinshof Campus (Faculty of Health Sciences)	http://goo.gl/BD2pNm
Onderstepoort Campus (Faculty of Veterinary Science)	http://goo.gl/gwjdO9
Mamelodi Campus	http://goo.gl/zKsCbl
Gordon Institute of Business Science (GIBS)	http://goo.gl/hNbxPi

#### 1.5 Important dates 2025

Description	Dates
Welcome Day for new first-year students	1 February 2025
Orientation programme for new first-year students	3-7 February 2025
Access to UPO, an online academic orientation module for first-year students	Each faculty's UPO has its own code.
INSYNC first-year concert	8 February 2025
Lectures start	10 February 2025
Rag of Hope Day	15 February 2025
First quarter	10 February–31 March 2025
Second quarter	1 April–29 May 2025
Third quarter	21 July–5 September 2025
Fourth quarter	8 September–6 November 2025
UP Wellness Day	10 September 2025

Note: The dates above are subject to change. For the most recent information, go to www.up.ac.za/calendars



Applicants who are not South African citizens may also refer to Section 5.

#### 2.1 Admission (new first-year students)

- If you have been conditionally admitted to the University, the results you obtain in the end examination of your final school year must still meet the admission requirements of the programme for which you were conditionally admitted. If your results no longer comply with the minimum admission requirements, you will not be admitted.
- Before you register, you may follow your application status on your UP Student Centre at <u>www.up.ac.za > My UP Login</u>, where you will also find relevant communication and checklists.
- A confirmation of intent to register at UP will be required from admitted students after they receive their final exam results.
- Before registration, all students who have been admitted must enter into an enrolment contract with the University. The contract is available on your UP Student Portal, Student Centre. Visit the UP Student Portal at <u>www.up.ac.za ></u> <u>My UP Login</u>. Instructions on how to complete your contract are available at: <u>www.up.ac.za/media/shared/368/</u> <u>Document/Self%20Help%20Guides/how-to-complete-youronline-enrolment-contract-v2.zp211016.pdf</u>.
- Complete your contract, print it, sign it and then deliver the original signed copy to UP for processing.
- Guidelines on how to sign your contract are available at: www.up.ac.za/media/shared/565/2021/how-to-sign-yourenrolment-contract.zp203398.pdf.
- If, before sending us the original document you want to ensure that you have completed the contract correctly and signed at the correct places, you can upload it on to your UP Student Centre. Instructions on how to upload your contract are available at: www.up.ac.za/media/shared/368/ Document/Self%20Help%20Guides/how-to-upload-yourenrolment-contract-for-verification.zp209098.pdf.
- Admitted and conditionally admitted students are requested to log in to the UP Student Portal at <u>www.up.ac.za ></u> <u>My UP Login</u> and accept or reject the offer from the University to enrol for the programme for which they have been (conditionally) admitted.
- Students who wish to cancel their application to study at UP can log in to their UP Student Centre and WITHDRAW their application.
- If you have been placed in a residence, refer to your placement letter for occupation dates.
- If you have been conditionally admitted to a residence, but the end examination results of your final school year are lower than the marks required for admission, admission is

not guaranteed and you may not move into the residence until the Student Administration office of the relevant faculty has confirmed your admission.

If you do not comply with the minimum admission requirements based on your current results and you have applied to have some of your final school year subjects re-marked, you will not be allowed to register in the interim. Re-mark results are only available in February and in terms of the University's policy such marks will not be taken into consideration. However, you are welcome to apply for admission in the following academic year.

**Note:** The Academic Literacy Test is compulsory and has to be written by new first-year students during the orientation programme at the start of the academic year.

#### 2.2 Registration (First-year students)

Online registration for first-year students will be available starting from 19 January 2025. It is preferred that all students complete their registration before lectures begin.

You will not be allowed to register if you do not meet the minimum admission requirements for your specific programme.

#### **STEP 1: FINANCIAL ASPECTS**

#### Before you can register, you need to do the following:

- Pay the initial fee. Ideally, the initial payment should reflect on your student account two days before registration.
   Cash payments for tuition fees will not be accepted on the Hillcrest campus during registration, including for initial payments. Please note that EFT payments and cash deposits will not reflect on the same day.
- If you are a bursary holder, you are required to provide the Student Accounts Division in the Student Service Centre with a confirmation letter from your sponsor or bursar at least five days before registration so that these details can be recorded in the system and, if applicable, the requirement to pay the initial fee can be waived.
- Confirmation that a bursary has been awarded to a student must be on an official letterhead and must be signed by the sponsor. The total amount of the bursary must be stated and the expenses covered by the bursary amount indicated (eg tuition fees, accommodation, meals and textbooks).
- A form to assist the sponsor in defining the bursary amounts is available on the UP website at <u>www.up.ac.za/</u> <u>article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u>. Choose 'Fees', then 'Fees paid by Bursars'.



- If the proof of bursary, as mentioned above, is not submitted at least five days before registration, you will have to pay the initial fee.
- If you have been notified that NSFAS will be funding you, you will be informed via SMS that your initial fee has been waived.
- If payments were made after the due dates, documentation (bank deposit slips, official university receipts, etc.) must be presented upon request.

#### What to pay when

Initial payments that are required before you may register include tuition fees, residence fees and an administrative levy (as may apply to your situation). Information about the amounts payable can be found at <u>www.up.ac.za/student-fees/</u> <u>article/2735925/summary-of-fees-and-levies</u>.

#### **STEP 2: DOCUMENTS, DATES AND VENUES**

All students will be required to register online during the registration period. The registration schedule will be made available on the University's website, which will indicate the dates for registration and the arrangements made with regard to exceptions. For more information, go to www.up.ac.za/online-registration.

#### In these cases, the following will apply:

- Ensure that you know where and when registration will take place. For this information, refer to your orientation programme and information on the start of the academic year.
- Payment of the initial fee does not make you a registered student. You will only be a registered student once you have been issued with a document proving registration for the year.

#### Online or on-campus registration will only be possible if: \*

- your student contract has been correctly completed and delivered to UP;
- your initial payment has been paid (see 'When to pay what' in the Fees and Funding brochure, or at www.up.ac.za/ article/2749200/fees-and-funding);
- your residence reservation levy has been paid (if applicable); and;
- your final NSC/IEB or equivalent qualification results still meet the minimum programme admission requirements.
- \* To register, bring along your ID document and a photocopy.

#### **Proof of registration**

- Once you have registered, you may download and print a proof of registration form from the UP Student Portal.
- Proof of registration will be emailed to you after you have registered.
- Keep this proof in a safe place.
- A duplicate can be obtained from the Student Service Centre at a prescribed fee per duplicate.
- Note that the Student Service Centre cannot issue proof of registration to a student without proof of identification (ID, student card, passport or driver's licence).
- However, the best way to obtain proof of registration will be to download the document free of charge from the UP Student Portal.

#### STEP 3: TESTS - NEW FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS ONLY

#### Academic Information Management (AIM)

- Academic Information Management modules (AIM 111 and AIM 121) are compulsory for all new first-year students, except for those in the School of Engineering.
- AIM 111 is presented in the first semester and AIM 121 in the second semester.
- No exemption examination is available for AIM 111 or AIM 121.

**Note:** Comprehensive information regarding these modules is communicated to students during scheduled registration or orientation week sessions. The cost of AIM modules is not included in the estimated tuition fees at <u>www.up.ac.za/</u> article/2749200/fees-and-funding or on the quotation system.

#### **UP Readiness Survey**

The University of Pretoria maintains a comprehensive programme to support the academic development of first-year students. This involves services provided by Faculty Student Advisors (FSAs), mentorship programmes and the Department of Student Affairs to support students academically, socially and psychologically. The UP Readiness Survey measures students' readiness for university education, which can be broadly defined as the extent to which students have been prepared (financially, socially and in terms of academic engagement) to succeed at an institution of higher education.

Note: This is not an admissions test.

#### **Contact information**

Dr Juan-Claude Lemmens Email jlemmens@up.ac.za Address Department for Education Innovation R3-58.11, IT Building

#### Academic literacy of first-year students

An inadequate level of academic literacy can impact negatively on a student's chances of academic success. The University of Pretoria has processes in place to identify students who might need development, based either on their marks for English in the final school year, or on their performance in an academic literacy test.

Full details will be communicated as part of the orientation programme at the start of the academic year and will be distributed to all admitted students in November or December. If you are required to write the academic literacy test, a specific time to do so will be scheduled in the programme. If your final school year English marks are to be used, staff from Faculty Administration will register you for the appropriate programme.

Students who wish to terminate their attendance of specific modules or study programmes may not simply stay away from class or inform the lecturers that they do not want to continue. Formal notification must be given to Faculty Administration.



#### 2.3 Student access cards

- Student cards will be issued after registration. Refer to <u>www.up.ac.za/online-registration</u> for information about the registration venue and dates.
- A student card will not be issued without proof of identification (ID, passport or driver's license). Note that your previous student card cannot be used as proof of identification for obtaining a new student card.
- The first student card is issued free of charge. In the event of loss or damage, you may apply for a duplicate card at the Student Service Centre at a prescribed fee.
- Lost, stolen or damaged student cards will not be replaced without proof of identification (ID, passport or driver's licence).
- Student cards provide access to the campus and various computer facilities and buildings on campus. Keep your student card with you at all times. The student card must be presented upon request and during examinations and tests.
- One student card is issued to every registered UP student when at the commencement of their studies. Keep this card safe as it will be used for the duration of your studies at the University of Pretoria. Student cards will be activated annually, directly after the registration period.

**Note:** No holes may be made into the student access card and no other modifications are allowed. Should you make any modification, you will be held liable for the replacement fee.

# 2.4 Discontinuation of studies or modules and changing of programmes and/or modules

- Should you decide that you do not want to continue with a specific module or with your study programme, you cannot simply stay away from class, or just inform the lecturer, but must formally notify Faculty Administration of your decision.
- Lecturers are not involved with the administration of such changes.
- Students need to familiarise themselves with the relevant due dates as reflected at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/ fees-and-funding.
- For any enquiries regarding the financial implications of such a decision, contact the Student Accounts Division (ssc@up.ac.za) in the Student Service Centre.
- Students must complete their degrees in accordance with the regulations that were applicable when they first registered for a specific field of study or specialisation. If students interrupt their studies or change to another field of study or specialisation, the regulations of the year in which studies are resumed, or in which the new field of study or specialisation is taken, will apply.

### Changing programmes or withdrawing from modules (registered students)

- If you wish to change or discontinue a module, it can be done on the UP Student Portal through the registration component. The discontinuation dates that are available at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding (click on 'Fees', then on 'Module changes and termination of studies') will apply.
- Should you wish to change programmes, this can be done by
  - completing a form at the Student Administration
     Office of the faculty in which you wish to continue your studies;
  - attaching the form to an email and sending it to Student Administration; or
  - changing your option on the UP Student Portal.



If you wish to discontinue your studies at the University of Pretoria for the current year or permanently, a prescribed form, which is available at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/ fees-and-funding (click on 'Fees', then on 'Module changes and termination of studies') must be completed at the Student Accounts Division in the Student Service Centre. Failure to do this will result in your account not being closed and fees for the full year being levied. In the event of non-payment, the account will be handed to Legal Services to collect the debt, which may result in blacklisting at credit institutions.

#### 2.5 Academic records

If you are a registered student, you can view and print your academic record, which indicates the subjects you have done with the symbols obtained for each subject on the UP Portal at <u>https://www.up.ac.za/portalstudent</u>. Students can download and print this record and, if needed, have it certified at the Student Service Centre (SSC).

The official academic record that includes the certificate of conduct can be obtained from the SSC at a prescribed fee.

**Note:** No academic record may be issued to a student without proof of identification (ID, student card, passport or driver's licence).

#### 2.6 Travelling abroad

- Students who intend to travel abroad during recess periods can obtain a visa letter from the University, stating that they intend to return to UP to continue with their studies.
- The visa letter may be generated from the UP Student Portal, Student Centre under 'Communications'.
- Alternatively, the letter can be obtained from the Student Service Centre (SSC) at a prescribed fee.
- You must be a registered student to obtain this letter.

**Note:** No letter will be issued to a student unless proof of identification is provided (ID, student card, passport or driver's license).

# 3. FINANCIAL MATTERS

#### 3.1 General financial information

#### AIM modules

The cost of AIM modules is not included in the average cost per programme.

#### Family discount

When two or more dependent children of the same family are registered simultaneously at the University of Pretoria, they may apply for a rebate on tuition fees. For information on terms and conditions, go to <u>www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u>, click on 'Fees', then on 'Family Rebate'.

#### The 2,5% discount

If the student account is paid in full (ie 100%) by 30 April, a 2,5% discount is applicable. For more information, go to <u>www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u>, click on 'Fees', then on '2.5% discount'.

#### Estimates

The University of Pretoria provides undergraduate students with tuition fee estimates in the following ways:

- See fees per faculty at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/ fees-and-funding. Click on 'Undergraduate students'.
- Estimates do not include AIM modules.
- Tuition fee quotations are available to students as a selfhelp function. Follow these steps:
- Log in to the UP Student Portal and enter the Student Centre.
- Under the Finances tab, click on the Student Finances tab.
- On the next page, click the second Student Finances tab.
- The fee estimation (quotation) is available there.
- Use the plus (+) button to add modules, or the minus (-) button to remove modules.
- Click on the Generate Quote button. You can then view, save or print the quotation.
- AIM modules may be added if necessary.

#### Accounts

Half (50%) of the account is payable by 30 April and the full account (100%) by 31 July, even if a statement of account is not received by mail. Accounts are available on the UP Student Portal (My UP Login>Student Service Centre>Finances>Student Finances>Tuition Account) and can be viewed, saved or printed.

**Note:** The internet browser must be set to allow pop-ups. The account will be visible in PDF format. Students can update the UP Student Portal with an email address to which the account can be sent (My UP Login>Student Service Centre>under 'Personal and Contact information', click on 'Email Addresses).

#### **Discontinuation dates**

Adding or dropping of modules after registration should be done at your faculty. Regardless of when a module was added, should you afterwards decide to discontinue said module, the discontinuation costs will be calculated according to the Discontinuation Dates table, which can be found at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding by clicking on 'Fees', then on 'Module changes and termination of studies'.

#### **Initial payments**

The initial payment is not an additional amount payable, but is an initial payment towards the tuition fees. For more information on registration and cancellation fees, go to <u>www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u>, click on 'Fees' and then on 'When to pay what'.

#### **Residence fees**

For information on residence fees, the residence reservation levy, residence cancellation fees and meals, go to www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding, click on 'Fees' and then on 'Residence'.

#### Fees paid by bursars

Before registration, a student must submit written proof of payment provided by the sponsors of the bursary awarded to the student, otherwise the initial payment will be payable by the student. The final decision regarding the acceptance of a bursary letter rests with the University.

#### How and where to pay

UP cashiers are available on all our campuses. For updated information, refer to <u>www.up.ac.za/student-fees/</u> <u>article/2735940/up-bank-details</u>.

For EFT payments, allow at least five working days for the payment to reflect in your student account. More information is available at www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding. No cash payments will be possible during registration.

#### UP banking details

For the University of Pretoria's banking details, go to <u>www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u>, click on 'Fees', and then on 'Bank Details'.

#### **UP Student Portal**

The UP Student Portal allows registered students 24/7 access to their accounts, personal information, academic records, financing applications, discount amounts, amounts payable, payment dates, quotations and meal-money accounts. Although the UP Finance Department sends out monthly statements, the delivery of these statements cannot be guaranteed. The University assumes that students have access to and make use of the UP Student Portal. The importance of this is highlighted during orientation and first-year registration. More information is available at www.up.ac.za/ article/2749200/fees-and-funding.



#### 3.2 Bursary and loan applications

#### UP financial aid

We compile a database of all our students who want to be considered for discounts, bursaries and other forms of funding and financial aid benefits. Registering on this database does not guarantee that you will receive funding, but it will enable us to offer you funding should suitable opportunities arise. This database is open to all students, regardless of household income, study programme or year of study. To apply, visit www.up.ac.za/article/2894107/financial-aid.

#### **UP-managed funding**

Applications must be submitted through the UP Student Portal or <u>www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding</u> by clicking on 'Funding' and then on 'Financial Aid process to register for funding'.

#### National Student Financial Aid Scheme (NSFAS)

In pursuit of South Africa's national and human resource development goals, the NSFAS provides financial aid to students from poor and working-class families in a sustainable manner that promotes access to, and success in higher education and training.

- Students who are South African citizens may apply.
- Refer to <u>www.nsfas.org.za</u> for application dates.
- The NSFAS allocation is awarded as a bursary.
- Students already funded by NSFAS in 2024 need not re-apply.

#### Fundi (formerly known as Eduloan)

Since 1996 Fundi has helped more than 800 000 southern Africans to obtain an education by offering affordable study loans for full- and part-time students. As a registered credit provider, our educational loans cover a wide range of studentrelated necessities, such as books, accessories, laptops, university and private accommodation, as well as tuition, with a fixed monthly instalment. Anyone can apply for a loan (students, parents or guardians), provided that the applicant is in full-time employment or has a registered business.

#### **Contact information**

Tel	+27 (0)12 362 8818	
Email	lizettevr@fundi.co.za	
Address	R1-13, Student Centre	
Business hours	08:00-16:30	

#### Other bursary options

You may also visit the following websites for information on bursaries:

- www.up.ac.za/sport for information on UP sports bursaries
- www.gostudy.mobi, which lists bursaries according to the field of study
- the Bursary Register:
   Contact information
- Tel +27 (0)11 672 6559 Email rlevin@mweb.co.za





#### 3.3 Fly@UP Assist First-year Awards

#### TABLE 1: FLY@UP ASSIST FIRST-YEAR AWARDS 2025

Umalusi issued school-leaving certificates such as NSC, IEB and SACAI, irrespective of citizenship			
Award A	Qualifying average percentage	Amount	
Average percentage for the six (6) best subjects	80%-89.99%	R18 000	
taken, excluding Life Orientation	90%-100%	R45 000	
NOTE: Award B is only applicable if you achieved Award	d A.		
Award B*	Qualifying average percentage	Amount	
Percentage obtained for Mathematics	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Advanced Mathematics	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Further Mathematics	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Alpha Mathematics	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Additional Mathematics	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Physical Sciences	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Advanced Physical Sciences	80%-100%	R2 000	
Percentage obtained for Further Physical Sciences	80%-100%	R2 000	

#### Conditions for the above awards:

- Table 1 primarily applies to UP candidates with Umalusi school leaving certificates (NSC, IEB and SACAI).
- FLY@UP Assist First-Year Awards are based on the final school-year examination results as issued by Umalusi via the Department
  of Basic Education.
- These awards are made automatically to first-time entering first-year registered undergraduate students who meet the award criteria. Students do not apply for these awards.
- First-time entering first-year students who register for studies at UP directly after Grade 12 (final school year) or who took a gap year(s) after their final school year and who meet the award criteria will be considered.
- Students who have previously registered at a tertiary educational institution before registration at UP will not be considered for FLY@UP Assist First-Year awards. Students who have previously registered at UP are also not eligible for consideration.
- For candidates who present an NSC/IEB Certificate, the percentages obtained for the six (6) best subjects taken, excluding Life Orientation are used. Certain subjects are EXCLUDED in the calculation of average percentages:
  - Life Orientation
  - Mathematics Paper 3
  - Practical Music Grade 4 and 5 (Note: Practical Music Grades 6, 7 and 8 are considered for inclusion in the calculation of the average percentage—if your music report for this subject is not part of your NSC report, please submit your official music report to the Student Service Centre at <a href="ssc@up.ac.za">ssc@up.ac.za</a>, before commencement of classes.)
- \* Mathematical Literacy, Technical Mathematics, Technical Sciences and equivalent subjects are not eligible for this award.
   \*A candidate only qualifies for Award B if the candidate meets the criteria for Award A. Therefore, candidates who obtained 80%
- and above for the subjects in Award B only, will not be eligible for the subject awards.
- The calculation of the average percentage is based on the University of Pretoria's formula, per examination authority and not on the number of distinctions achieved.
- The average percentage is not rounded off.
- Results obtained for papers that have been re-marked are not considered for award purposes.
- This award will be cancelled for students who discontinue, are excluded or who terminate their studies for whatever reason during the year in which the award is made. No payouts of the award will be allowed.

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#### TABLE 2: FLY@UP ASSIST FIRST-YEAR AWARDS 2025

School-leaving certificates not issued by Umalusi. A maximum of R30 000 per student can be awarded, irrespective of citizenship				
Cambridge Assessment Inter	national Education (CAIE)	International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP)		
Award	Amount	Award	Amount	
A-Level: A*, A or B symbol	R5 000	IBDP: Higher Level 6 or 7 symbol	R5 000	
AS-Level: A symbol	R5 000	IBDP: Standard Level 7 symbol	R5 000	

#### Conditions for the above awards:

The University of Pretoria (UP) reserves the right to amend award values without prior notice.

- The awards in Table 2 are made automatically to first-time entering first-year registered undergraduate students who meet the award criteria. Students do not apply for these awards.
- R5 000 is awarded per symbol and only once per subject achieved, eg if you achieved an A\*, an A or a B-symbol on A-Level in Mathematics as well as an A-symbol on AS-Level in Mathematics, you will only be awarded R5 000 for Mathematics.
- First-time entering first-year students who register for studies at UP directly after Grade 12 (final school year) or who took a gap year(s) after their final school-year and who meet the award criteria will be considered.
- Students who have previously registered at a tertiary educational institution before registration at UP will not be considered for FLY@UP Assist First-Year awards. Students who registered at UP in previous years, are also not considered.
- Results obtained for papers that have been re-marked are not considered for award purposes.
- This award will be cancelled for students who discontinue, are excluded or who terminate their studies for whatever reason during the year in which the award is made. No payouts of the award will be allowed.
- Any international school-leaving qualification that can be converted to the UP bursary formula, based on the UP conversion
  approved guidelines, may be eligible for an award of up to R30 000.
- The University's decision is final.
- These awards are subject to the availability of funds.

#### **Other FLY@UP Awards**

#### TABLE 3: OTHER FLY@UP AWARDS 2025

Award	Amount	Who is eligible?
JuniorTukkie Grade 11 Empowerment Week Award	R16 000	The 40 learners with the best Grade 12 results (NSC or equivalent) who attended the JuniorTukkie Grade 11 Empowerment Week.
Grade 12 Dux Scholar Award	R10 000	The top academic Grade 12 achiever of a specific school (one learner per school).
Vice-Chancellor's Previously Disadvantaged Group Award	R15 700	Top prospective African and Coloured students with the highest average percentage will be considered.
Vice-Chancellor's Distinguished Merit Award (VCDMA)	The award covers three years' tuition fees and additional years may be considered on a case-by- case basis. An amount of R150 000 can be awarded in the first year of study.	<ol> <li>This offer will be made to:</li> <li>The first-time entering first-year student who has achieved the highest overall average percentage in the final school-year results.</li> <li>The first-time entering first-year student from a Quintile 1, 2 and 3 school who has achieved the highest overall average percentage in the final school-year results.</li> <li>Based on the decision of the University, additional awards may be offered. The terms and conditions of the full offer will be contained in the candidate's specific award letter.</li> </ol>

#### Conditions for the above awards:

- Specific terms, conditions and exclusions do apply for each award in Table 3.
- These awards are made automatically to first-time entering first-year registered undergraduate students who meet the award criteria.
- Students do not apply for these awards.
- Qualifying students will be notified.

#### **Contact information**

 Tel +27 (0)12 420 3111 | Email ssc@up.ac.za

 Awards information www.up.ac.za/student-funding/article/2746337/flyup-assist-1st-year-awards

 More information www.up.ac.za/article/2749200/fees-and-funding

For FLY@UP Assist Senior Undergraduate Awards 2025, refer to www.up.ac.za/fees-and-funding

# (ACCOMMODATION

#### 4.1 Accommodation on UP campuses

Women's residences	Men's residences	Mixed residences
Asterhof	College	Hippokrates
Azalea	House TAU	Jakaranda (postgraduates)
Curelitzia	House Ukuthula	OP Village (Onderstepoort residence)
Erica	Mopane	Protea Mbalenhle (postgraduates)
Hayani	Morula Legae	Tuks Bophelong
House Khutso	The Tower	Tuksdorp (postgraduates)
House Mags	Tirisano	TuksVillage
House Nala	Tuks Ekhaya	Xayata
Ikageng		Invicta (Varsity Lodge)
Madelief		
Nerina		
Zhan in		





#### Application for residence placement

- The online application form that is used to apply for admission to a programme is also used to apply for placement in a residence.
- If you did not apply for placement in a residence together with your study application, you can still apply on the UP Student Portal.
- Unfortunately, residence placement cannot be guaranteed as the demand far exceeds the places available.

#### Room changes

- Permission must be granted for a student to move from one room to another. Failure to follow the correct procedure will result in a fine being charged and debited to the relevant student's account.
- A Change of Room form must be completed. This form can be obtained from the Building Coordinator: Residence Facilities.
- Upon receipt of your form, the Building Coordinator: Residence Facilities will conduct a room inspection to determine whether any damage had occurred in the room you intend to vacate.

#### Departure/moving out of a residence

Students who want to leave a residence must give 30 days' notice of departure via the UP Student Portal. A student who leaves must hand in the keys, together with the Departure Form, to the Building Coordinator: Residence Facilities. The room will only be considered to have been vacated once the keys and Departure Form have been handed in. Fees paid for accommodation will not be refunded in the case of students who depart after 15 September.

#### Room renewal

Each year at the beginning of the second semester you will be requested to re-apply on the UP Student Portal to be considered for a place in your current residence. Due to the limited availability of accommodation it is usually not possible to re-allocate all current residing students a place in residence for the following year. Since residence placement for the following year is based on academic merit, it is important to perform well academically from the first semester.

#### **Proof of residence**

- Proof of residence can be supplied only to registered students currently residing in a University of Pretoria residence.
- Proof of residence can be obtained via the UP Student Portal.

#### **Residence fees**

- A student who is admitted to a University of Pretoria residence for the first time must pay a reservation levy within the prescribed period. This amount is communicated in the placement letter.
- Annual accommodation fees cover the academic period only. This excludes all recess periods and early occupation prior to the official move-in dates.
- Residence fees for the current year can be found at the following link: <u>www.up.ac.za/student-fees/article/2736000/</u> residence-fees

#### Contact information

#### **Residence placement**

Emailtuksres.placement@up.ac.zaTel+27(0) 12 420 3112

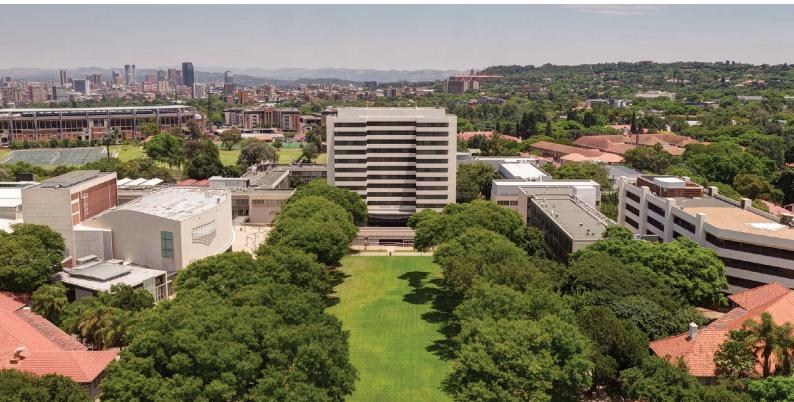
#### General information

 Email
 tuksres@up.ac.za

 Website
 www.up.ac.za/student-accommodation

#### 4.2 Alternative accommodation

Unfortunately, the University cannot provide accommodation to all applicants. For more information on accredited alternative accommodation, please click on the following link: www.up.ac.za/student-accommodation/article/256266/private-accommodation





#### 4.3 Accommodation in Pretoria

**University of Pretoria guest accommodation** The University of Pretoria Guest Accommodation Office provides accommodation close to the relevant campuses for visiting staff and parents/guardians. Kindly contact the Guest Accommodation Office for reservations.

Accommodation	Telephone number	Email
Guest Accommodation Office	+27 (0)12 420 5385	tuksres.guest@up.ac.za
Hotels		
Accommodation	Telephone number	Website
City Lodge Hatfield	+27 (0)12 423 5000	www.citylodge.co.za
City Lodge Lynnwood	+27 (0)12 471 0300	www.citylodge.co.za
Court Classique	+27 (0)12 344 4420	www.courtclassique.co.za
Anew Hotel Hatfield	+27 (0)12 362 7077	www.anewhotels.com
Garden Court Hatfield	+27 (0)12 432 9600	www.tsogosun.com
Hotel 224	+27 (0)12 440 5281	www.hotel224.com
Hotel at High Performance Centre	+27 (0)12 484 1700/27	www.hpc.co.za
Hotel@Hatfield	+27 (0)12 364 0300	www.hotelsa.co.za
Sheraton Hotel Pretoria	+27 (0)12 429 9999	www.sheraton.com/pretoria
Southern Sun Pretoria	+27 (0)12 444 5500	www.tsogosun.com
The Courtyard Hotel Arcadia	+27 (0)12 342 4940	www.citylodge.co.za
Protea Hotel Pretoria, Loftus Park	+27 (0)12 030 0420	www.proteahotels.com

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Accommodation	Telephone number	Website
137 Murray Street Guesthouse	+27 (0)12 346 5940	www.murray137.co.za
Bed and Breakfast in Hatfield	+27 (0)12 362 5392	www.bandbhatfield.co.za
Brooklyn Place Guesthouse	+27 (0)12 346 7650	www.brooklynplace.co.za
Brooklyn Guest Houses	+27 (0)12 362 1728	www.brooklynguesthouses.co.za
Osborne House	+27 (0)12 362 2334	www.osborneguesthouse.com
The Village in Hatfield	+27 (0)12 362 3737	www.thevillageinhatfield.co.za



#### 5.1 International Cooperation Division

All international\* students must upload the necessary immigration documents onto the UP Student Portal. These documents will then be reviewed and the immigration hold will be lifted before registration.

#### 5.2 Special orientation programme

Obtain more information from the International Cooperation Office in the Graduate Centre, or visit <u>www.up.ac.za/</u> international-cooperation-division.

#### 5.3 Immigration clearance

International\* students will have to submit proof of legal status in South Africa.

#### **Contact information**

Tel+27 (0)12 420 3111Emailisd@up.ac.zaWebsitewww.up.ac.za/international-cooperation-divisionAddressGraduate CentreHatfield Campus

#### Supporting documents

Upload these supporting documents onto the UP Student Portal:

- A copy of a valid passport (data page) or identity document (in the case of students with permanent residence in South Africa) and a PR certificate
- A valid study visa endorsed for studies at the University of Pretoria, or one of the following:
  - An asylum transit visa
  - A Section 24 permit (refugee)
  - A diplomatic visa (diplomatic cards are not acceptable)
  - A work visa for part-time postgraduate students and a timetable/block schedule or confirmation letter from your supervisor/department/faculty
  - A relative's or visitor's visa

Permanent residents are still classified as international\* students and must submit a photocopy of their proof of permanent residence in South Africa before registration.

**Note:** Permanent residents of countries other than South Africa\*, including permanent residents of SADC countries, will be captured on UP systems as citizens of their original countries and tuition fees will be levied accordingly.

#### Visa application information

Prospective students must apply for study visas at a South African embassy, mission, or consulate in their country of origin. Guidance on study visa requirements and application procedures will also be provided by the aforementioned institutions.

Please DO NOT come to South Africa on a tourist visa as you will NOT be allowed to register with that visa.

If you are currently in South Africa, obtain information on visa applications at:

 
 Tel
 +27 (0)12 425 3000 (Monday to Friday) 08:00 to 12:00 and 13:00 to 17:00

 Email
 info.dhasa@vfshelpline.com

Website www.vfsglobal.com

#### Students coming into South Africa for 90 days or less

Students from countries that are exempt from visas for visits to South Africa of 30–90 days or less are **NOT** required to apply for study visas, but will be issued with temporary residence permits (TRPs) or stamps on arrival at the port of entry into South Africa. For a list of visa-exempt countries according to the intended duration of stay (30–90 days), please access the following website: www.dha.gov.za/index.php/immigration-services/types-of-visas.

Students who are not from visa-exempt countries and who plan to be in the country for 90 days or less must apply for visitors' visas at the South African Embassies in their home countries.



#### Holders of temporary residence visas

Holders of valid temporary residence visas issued for the categories mentioned below will be allowed to register and undertake part-time studies with institutions of higher learning, as defined by the Immigration Regulations of the Immigration Act (Act No. 13 of 2002), while their respective visas remain valid:

- General Work Visa
- Critical Skills Work Visa
- Intra-Company Transfer Work Visa
- Business Visa

This provision allows for part-time study only. The duration of the programme/qualification must not exceed the period of validity of the primary visa.

#### Working on a study visa

Holders of study visas may undertake part-time work, provided that they do not work for more than 20 hours per week.

#### 5.4 Medical aid cover for study visa holders

International\* students who are holders of study visas, or who wish to apply for study visas must, in terms of South Africa's Immigration Act, have sufficient South African medical aid cover for the duration of their stay in South Africa.

International\* students who intend to study at the University of Pretoria may join one of the medical aid schemes listed at www.medicalschemes.co.za/regulated-entities/medicalschemes-in-south-africa, or one of the two recommended medical cover schemes mentioned below. Membership fees are payable for twelve months in advance.

#### Momentum Health (Ingwe option)

Tel	+27 (0)12 671 8749 (Centurion office)
	or +27 (0)86 010 2493
Email	studenthealth@momentum.co.za
Website	www.ingwehealth.co.za

#### **Comp Care Wellness Medical Scheme**

 Tel
 +27 (0)861 222 777

 Email
 info@universal.co.za

 Website
 www.compcare.co.za

**Note:** Although another international insurance or medical product may secure a study visa from a South African visaissuing authority, the University of Pretoria, in accordance with the Immigration Act, does not recognise such medical cover for registration purposes. Momentum Health and the Comp Care Wellness Medical Scheme offer weekly consultations at the International Cooperation Division offices in the Graduate Centre on the Hatfield Campus.

#### 5.5 Universities South Africa (USAf)

The possession of a full or foreign conditional exemption certificate is a prerequisite for citizens from countries other than South Africa\* and for students who do not have a South African National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Independent Examination Board (IEB) qualification, but would like to enrol for undergraduate studies at the University of Pretoria. This certificate can be obtained only from Universities South Africa.

#### Contact information

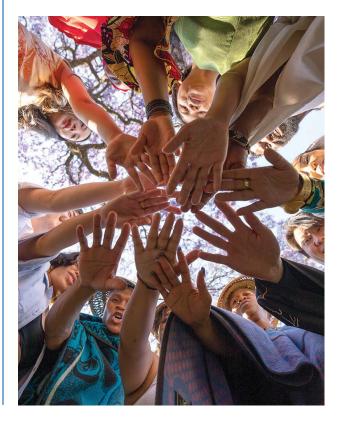
Tel	+27 (0)10 591 4401/2
Fax	+27 (0)86 677 7744 (SA only)
	+27 (0)12 481 2992 (international only)
Email	exemptions@usaf.ac.za
Website	mb.usaf.ac.za
Address	1st floor
	Block D and E
	Hadefields Office Park
	1267 Pretorius Street
	Hatfield 0028
	Pretoria
Postal address	PO Box 27392, Sunnyside
	Pretoria 0132

#### 5.6 South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA)

Students who graduated at non-South African universities and wish to apply for admission to the University of Pretoria should first have their qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA).

#### Contact information

Call centre	+27 (0)12 431 5000/70	
	(evaluation of foreign qualifications)	
Helpdesk	+27 (0)86 010 3188	
Fax	+27 (0)12 431 5137	
Website	www.saqa.org.za	
Address	SAQA House	
	1067 Arcadia Street, Hatfield	
Postal address	PostNet Suite 248	
	Private Bag X06	
	Waterkloof 0145	





The Department of Student Affairs (DSA) is dedicated to student success by providing essential services that support leadership, well-being, and personal growth. With a proactive, programme-based approach, the DSA ensures that all students at the University of Pretoria (UP) have access to the resources they need to thrive academically and personally.

The DSA is organised into four key units: Student Governance and Leadership, Student Access and Success, Student Health Services, and the Student Counselling Unit. Each unit plays a critical role in ensuring students receive the support, guidance, and care they need throughout their university journey.

While services are available on all UP campuses, the DSA's primary offices are on the Hatfield Campus. Together, we help our students FLY@UP by promoting leadership, academic achievement, and mental and physical well-being, creating a supportive environment for student success.

#### **Contact information**

Director of Student Affairs: Dr Kgadi Mathabathe Office of the Director of Student Affairs

Tel	+27 (0)12 420 2336
Email	lerato.sethoga@up.ac.za
Address	The DSA is located in Engineering II, Floor 4, Room 4-31, while the Student Affairs building is undergoing renovations.
Website	www.up.ac.za/student-affairs



# 6. STUDENT AFFAIRS

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### Who to contact when you need help





### Rape and sexual assault referral and support process

		Reported within 3 days of the rape/ assault/UP staff		Reported more than 3 days after the rape/assault/UP staff	
<b>8</b> 7 <b>7</b> 8	Student or Staff (Survivor or 1st Contact)	1	Report to UP Crisis Line 0800 006 428	1	Report to UP Crisis Line 0800 006 428
24- 24-	UP Crisis Line	2	<ul> <li>Capture personal details</li> <li>Engage UP Investigator</li> <li>Refer to Student Counselling Unit (SCU) for counselling if need be</li> </ul>	2	<ul> <li>Capture personal details</li> <li>Engage UP Investigator</li> </ul>
Q	UP Investigator (Within 72 hours or after 72 hours)	3	<ul> <li>Collect information <ul> <li>Explain process</li> </ul> </li> <li>Arrange transport to TRCC</li> <li>Open SAPS docket (if requested)</li> <li>Report to UP Transformation office</li> </ul>	3	<ul> <li>Collect information <ul> <li>Explain process</li> <li>Arrange transport to TRCC or</li> </ul> </li> <li>Hospivission</li> <li>Open SAPS docket (If requested)</li> <li>Report to UP Transformation office</li> </ul>
	Thuthuzela Rape Crisis Centre (TRCC)	4	<ul> <li>HIV testing, support and PEP (if HIV neg)</li> <li>Forensic collection</li> <li>Counselling</li> <li>Legal support</li> </ul>	4	<ul> <li>HIV testing and support excluding PEP</li> <li>Forensic collection (may be limited)</li> <li>Counselling</li> <li>Pregnancy and health advice</li> </ul>
Ð	SAPS (survivor wants criminal investigation)	5	<ul> <li>Commence criminal investigation</li> <li>Explain judicial procedure</li> </ul>	5	<ul> <li>Commence criminal investigation</li> <li>Explain judicial procedure</li> </ul>
	Transformation Office	6	<ul> <li>Decision on whether disciplinary</li> <li>process or mediation steps</li> </ul>	6	<ul> <li>Prima Facie assessment</li> </ul>
	UP Student Legal UP ER Legal	7	<ul> <li>Commence disciplinary investigation</li> <li>Explain UP disciplinary procedure</li> </ul>	7	<ul> <li>Commence disciplinary investigation</li> <li>Explain UP disciplinary procedure</li> </ul>



#### 6.1 Student Counselling Unit (SCU)

Welcome to the Student Counselling Unit (SCU), where your mental health matters. Our dedicated, multidisciplinary team of clinical and counselling psychologists, registered counsellors, and supervised interns provides all UP students with free and confidential mental health services. The SCU supports you with in-person and online sessions whether you face academic pressure, life challenges, or need someone to talk to. Explore our wide range of mental health resources, from podcasts to peer support groups, designed to help you navigate university life with resilience and confidence.

#### What do we offer?

At the SCU, we provide a wide range of mental health services designed to support your well-being and help you achieve your academic goals:

- Counselling services: Our psychologists and counsellors offer individual counselling for various personal, academic, and social challenges. Please book an appointment for indepth support or access short, direct consultations with our registered counsellors.
- Campus-wide availability: Psychologists are available across all UP campuses. Visit our website to find your nearest support.
- Learning and academic support: We offer academic counselling and cognitive training to help students overcome learning challenges and perform at their best.
- Career counselling and assessments: Whether you're choosing a career or considering a change, our career counselling services will help guide your decisions.
- Disability assessments: In collaboration with the ADIS (Access, Disability and Inclusion Services), we offer assessments for students seeking academic concessions due to disabilities.
- Group workshops and skills development: Join our skills courses and mental health programmes designed to build resilience and promote well-being.

- Peer support groups: In partnership with SADAG (South African Depression and Anxiety Group), we facilitate peer support groups online and in some residences, offering a space for students to connect and share experiences.
- Workshops and presentations: We host regular workshops on mental health topics, and student groups, faculty houses, and residences can request tailored workshops to meet their needs.
- Podcasts and resources: Listen to our SCU Mental Health and Well-being podcast series for valuable insights into managing your mental health. Please have a look at our BounceUP podcast series on our website: https://www.up.ac.za/student-counselling
- Mental health campaigns: We run ongoing mental health awareness campaigns and offer monthly wellness themes. Check out our website for posters and additional resources to support your well-being.

Whatever your mental health needs, the SCU is here to help you thrive at UP.

#### How do I get in touch?

To access any of our services, send an email to <u>studentcounselling@up.ac.za</u>. Be sure to include your student and cell phone numbers; a staff member will contact you to assess your needs and connect you with the appropriate service.

For immediate emotional support, UP, in partnership with SADAG, offers 24-hour assistance through the **UP Careline** at **+27 (0)800 747 747**. Whether you're facing a psychological crisis or need someone to talk to, you can call anytime. Alternatively, send an **SMS to 31393** for a call-back. Unlimited telephonic counselling is available to all registered students. No appointment is necessary.

For more mental health information, visit the **SADAG website** at <u>www.sadag.org</u>.

Hatfield Campus (Central Office)					
Dr Hanlé Kirkcaldy (Head: Student Counselling Unit) or SCU Central ReceptionTel (office hours)+27 (0)12 420 2333Tel (after hours)+27 (0)12 420 2310/2760 (Security: Operational Centre)UP Counselling Careline open 24/7+27 (0)80 074 7747 (toll free) SMS 31393 for a return callEmailstudentcounselling@up.ac.zaAddressStudent Centre (opposite TuksFM)Hatfield Campus07:30-16:00					
Groenkloof Campus	Mamelodi Campus				
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Onderstepoort Campus	Prinshof Campus				
Ms Carin Kuhn (clinical psychologist) Tel +27 (0)12 529 8377 Email carin.kuhn@up.ac.za Address Student Health Services Arnold Theiler Building 1-52	Sikander Kalla (clinical psychologist) Tel +27 (0)12 319 3054 Email sikander.kalla@up.ac.za Address Tšwelopele Building 3-12				



#### 6.2 Student Health Services (SHS)

Student Health Services (SHS) offers all registered UP students essential primary healthcare. With qualified and registered healthcare professionals, SHS provides a range of services across all UP campuses. This includes a fully accredited Voluntary Counselling and Testing (VCT) site for HIV/AIDS, where students can access free testing and counselling. SHS ensures your health and well-being so you can focus on your academic journey.

#### **Contact information**

Tel+27 (0)12 420 2500Emailinfo.shs@up.ac.zaWebsitewww.up.ac.za/student-health-servicesAddressSHS is located in Natural Sciences 2, Floor 4,<br/>while the Hatfield Campus Clinic is being renovated.

#### **Health and Wellness Services**

SHS offers a comprehensive range of medical and wellness services to ensure your health during your time at UP:

- Medical care: Our doctors and nurses diagnose, treat, and manage illnesses. Prescriptions are issued, and students can purchase medication from a pharmacy at their own cost.
- Injury treatment: We provide care for student injuries.
- Referrals: If necessary, we refer students to specialists, clinics, hospitals, or laboratories (costs are the patient's responsibility).
- Medical advice and counselling: Our team offers guidance and counselling on various medical concerns.
- Immunisation programmes: Preventative immunisations are available at the patient's expense.
- Family planning: Free family planning services, with referrals to on-site pregnancy counselling or student counselling if needed.
- Dietary and lifestyle advice: Students can receive free dietary advice and guidance on maintaining a healthy lifestyle.
- HIV testing and counselling: Free voluntary HIV counselling and testing (VCT) is provided.

- Eye testing: Free eye testing is available to all students.
- Crossroads pregnancy help centre: A safe, supportive environment offering accurate information to help you make informed decisions.
- Chronic medication collection: Participation in the Central Chronic Medicine Dispensing and Distribution Programme will provide students with convenient access to prescribed medications through pick-up point services. These services are expected to be available soon.

SHS is committed to supporting your health and wellness so you can focus on your studies.

#### How does the service function?

- Booking an appointment: Students can book appointments by emailing info.shs@up.ac.za or by calling +27 (0)12 420 2500. A letter granting access to the University for your appointment will be provided if needed. Walk-in emergencies are also attended to. We are also looking forward to launching our new online booking system soon. Please keep checking our website for updates.
- Specialised appointments: For dietary consultations, pregnancy counselling, eye testing, blood testing, and Voluntary Counselling and Testing (VCT) Clinic consultations, appointments must be made using the same booking process.

#### Important to remember

- Consultations: Currently, consultations are free, but this may change in the future.
- Contact information: For more details, call +27 (0)12 420 2500 or email info.shs@up.ac.za.
- Student card: Always bring your student card when visiting a Student Health Services Clinic.
- Medication: Prescribed medicine can be purchased at any pharmacy at your own expense.
- Specialised exams: Any specialised examinations will require payment.

Campus	Clinic hours	Doctor's cons	ulting hours
<b>Groenkloof Campus</b> Room 2-10 2nd floor Letlotlo Building	Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays 08:00–15:30 (subject to change)	Wednesdays Tel	8:00–10:00 (subject to change) +27 (0)12 420 5233 +27 (0)12 420 3423
Hatfield Campus Student Health Services Building	Mondays to Fridays 08:00–13:00 and 13:45–15:30	Mondays Tuesdays Wednesdays Mental Health Thursdays Tel	08:00-13:00 08:00-10:00 and 10:30-12:30 Doctors 08:00-11:30 08:30-12:30 (subject to change) +27 (0)12 420 2500
Mamelodi Campus Education Building	<b>Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays</b> 08:00–15:30 (subject to change)	Wednesdays Tel	12:00–14:00 (subject to change) +27 (0)12 842 3724 +27 (0)12 420 2500
<b>Onderstepoort Campus</b> Room 1-47 to Room 1-52 Arnold Theiler Building	Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays 08:30–15:30 (subject to change)	Thursdays Tel	12:00–14:00 (subject to change) +27 (0)12 529 8243 +27 (0)12 420 2500
Prinshof Campus Room 3-8 Tšwelopele Building	Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 08:00–15:30	Wednesdays Tel	12:00-14:00 (subject to change) +27 (0)12 319 3051/3052 +27 (0)12 420 2500

#### **Student Health Services Clinics**



#### 6.3 Student Access and Success (SAS) unit

Student Access and Success (SAS) ensures equitable access, inclusion, and support for all UP students, including those with disabilities. Through ADIS (Access, Disability, Inclusion, and Success), we provide the resources needed for every student to thrive. With Academic Success Coaches and Peer Advisors, SAS offers personalised guidance to help you navigate your academic journey. We aim to foster a sense of belonging, engagement, and personal growth, empowering you to FLY@UP—because the finish line is yours!

#### Contact information

Tel+27 (0)12 420 2370Websitewww.up.ac.za/student-affairsAddressSAS is located in Natural Sciences 2, Floor 4, while<br/>the Student Affairs building is being renovated.

SAS hosts the following initiatives:

#### FLY@UP

FLY@UP focuses on inclusive communication about student support services across all platforms. We also provide accessible academic advising through various channels to help students stay on track and succeed.

#### Academic advising

Academic Success Coaches (ASCs) are vital in helping firstyear students navigate their academic journey. They offer workshops and individual consultations on academic support, goal setting, time management, effective study methods, exam preparation, stress management, and career exploration. Peer advisors and senior students are also available for basic advice and referrals to other resources.

#### Access, Disability, and Inclusion Services (ADIS)

ADIS provides reasonable accommodations to ensure students with disabilities have equal access to education and student life. Our services include assistive technology, academic concessions, and a dedicated assessment venue for students with special needs. We also support students with temporary disabilities. Find us in the Old Chemistry building or contact us at du@up.ac.za or +27 (0)12 420 2064.

#### Student entrepreneurship

UP encourages student entrepreneurship through a free online course, workshops, and market opportunities. Visit the Entrepreneurship website for more details.

#### **Special programmes**

Student committees like STARS Mentorship, VITA, and Golden Key foster a vibrant, supportive student community. For more details, visit our website or reach out to us directly.





## 6.4 Student Governance and Leadership (SGAL) unit

The Unit for Student Governance and Leadership (SGAL) is dedicated to fostering a vibrant, inclusive, and responsive student governance system at UP. Guided by the vision "Transforming Governance, Enriching Learning" and the slogan "Governance Reimagined – Your Voice, Your Era," we empower students to take an active role in governance, ensuring their voices are heard and valued. By promoting leadership and collaboration, SGAL helps shape a university culture that reflects students' aspirations while positively impacting society.

#### **Contact information**

Website www.up.ac.za/student-affairs

Address SGAL is located in Engineering II, Floor 4, Room 4-31, while the Student Affairs building is undergoing renovations.

#### Leadership programmes

- Student Representative Council (SRC): The SRC has the highest student structure and is democratically elected to represent all students at UP. Operating under the Universities Act and the Constitution of Student Governance, the SRC advocates for student interests across the institution.
- Day houses: Catering to day students, Day Houses offer a space to engage in student life through culture, community

involvement, and sports. They also provide leadership opportunities and academic support. The four Day Houses are Dregeana, Luminous, Vividus, and Docendo.

- Key committees: These official SRC subcommittees focus on culture, community, and sport, organising major student life events like Step It Up, 1nSync, and UP-Lympics, as well as the RAG of Hope Day festival.
- Faculty houses: Every student is automatically a member of their Faculty House upon registration. Faculty Houses promote academic excellence and student life, serving as a bridge between students, staff, and the SRC while overseeing academic support and the Class Representative System.
- Faculty sub-houses: These cater to specific academic programmes, fostering student engagement with their fields and promoting leadership development, all under the guidance of their respective Faculty Houses.
- Class representative system: This system enables students to engage with lecturers and provide feedback on the teaching and learning experience, offering leadership opportunities outside of traditional student structures.
- Legislative committees: The Constitutional Tribunal ensures student leadership documents align with institutional policies, while the Student Disciplinary Advisory Panel (SDAP) supports students involved in disciplinary processes.
- Student societies: Students can join or establish societies based on shared interests, hobbies, or beliefs, encouraging broader participation in extracurricular activities.



# 7. STUDENT COMPUTING SERVICES



#### 7.1 Overview

The Student Computing Services Division has a proud history of supporting the University of Pretoria's academic functions. After starting from a small computer room with 40 computers in 1998, our services have since expanded to almost a hundred buildings, with multiple facilities available on each of our campuses.

We now manage and maintain more than 6 000 computers and are proud to host more than one million visitors each year, our services include a wide range of technology-based functions to uphold the vision and strategy of each of the faculties we service.

As part of the Unit for Academic IT, our service areas focus on:

- the provision of computer classroom facilities installed with high-end computer equipment, classroom management systems, audio-visual technologies, and state-of-the-art software packages;
- computer-based testing facilities that adhere to the regulations provided for testing centres by a number of certification authorities;
- several open-access computers available on campus or at residences to students requiring computer systems for academic purposes;
- wi-fi access, printing, account support, software installations and other services for all registered students at all our facilities; and
- a dedicated team to provide support to students making use of their own computing devices while studying.

Our facilities are managed by a team of qualified IT professionals with an average of 15 years' experience in the field. Additionally, our Student Assistant work programme has provided work experience for thousands of students over the past two decades.

Please visit our web page for more information: www.up.ac.za/student-computing-services

### Support with personal computing devices/laptop support for students

The student laptop support centre (Student IT Hub) is situated in the Student Centre on the Hatfield Campus. Since its introduction in 2015, this service has offered dedicated technical and software support to students who use personal computing devices to manage their studies.

The team focuses on assisting students with personal computing support and works closely with the various scholarship programmes to acquire devices that meet the needs of our students and to solve technical problems that students may experience.

As a supporting function underpinning the services offered by our computing facilities, the team has assisted thousands of students with issues ranging from hardware problems and software installations to access to systems and training for using their devices.

Email	studentithub@tuks.co.za
Website	www.up.ac.za/laptop-support
Location	Student Centre (Rooms 1-5)
	Hatfield Campus

#### 7.2 Computer facilities

We support and staff several centrally managed computer facilities located at each UP campus and residence, as well as at the various UP libraries. Inside each computer facility there is a support service desk where students can request assistance as required.

Our services are available during the respective facility's operating times and include the following:

- Login and password assistance
- UP Student Portal and clickUP enquiries
- Student email enquiries (TUKS Gmail enquiries)
- Wireless network setup and enquiries
- Printing services and support
- Software support for students from specific departments

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Please refer to the table below for a summary of our facilities and the services offered:

Facility name	Services offered	Building	Web page and contact details
Open Lab	<ul> <li>Computer facility offering open access to any registered-UP student</li> <li>User account and password support for UP Student Portal; clickUP; Gmail</li> </ul>	IT Building Hatfield Campus	www.up.ac.za/open-labs/ article/2939533/contact-us
Informatorium	<ul> <li>Classroom computer access and software support for students from the School of IT and the Department of Statistics</li> </ul>	IT Building Hatfield Campus	www.up.ac.za/informatorium-labs/ article/2939446/contact-us
Mining Engineering Study Centre	<ul> <li>An open-access facility dedicated to students from the Department of Engineering</li> <li>Provides software support and 3D printing facilities to engineering students</li> </ul>	Engineering Building l Hatfield Campus	www.up.ac.za/mining-industry-study- centre/article/2974501/staff
Engineering Labs	<ul> <li>Classroom computer access for engineering students</li> </ul>	Natural Sciences Building II Hatfield Campus	www.up.ac.za/engineering-computer- labs/article/2939400/contact-us
IT Labs	<ul> <li>Support for students enrolled in AIM</li> <li>Provides classroom facilities to other departments</li> </ul>	Technical Services Building Hatfield Campus	www.up.ac.za/aim-labs/ article/2938796/contact-us
Groenkloof IT Labs	<ul> <li>IT facilities and software support for students studying at Groenkloof Campus</li> </ul>	Aldoel Building Groenkloof Campus	www.up.ac.za/groenkloof-labs/ article/2939475/contact-us
Veterinary Science IT Labs	<ul> <li>IT facilities and software support for students studying at Onderstepoort Campus</li> </ul>	Arnold Theiler Building Onderstepoort Campus	www.up.ac.za/onderstepoort-labs/ article/2939632/contact-us
Medical Sciences IT Labs	<ul> <li>IT facilities and software support for students studying at Prinshof Campus</li> </ul>	HW Snyman Building Prinshof Campus	www.up.ac.za/prinshof-labs/ article/2939667/contact-us
Mamelodi IT Labs	<ul> <li>IT facilities and software support for students studying at Mamelodi Campus</li> </ul>	Computer Centre Mamelodi Campus	www.up.ac.za/mamelodi-labs/ article/2939591/contact-us
Residence IT Labs	<ul> <li>IT support for students at the various UP residences</li> </ul>	Located in each individual residence	www.up.ac.za/residences-labs/ article/2939701/contact-us
Library Computing	<ul> <li>Support for students making use of the various library facilities</li> </ul>	Located in each library facility	www.up.ac.za/library-services-labs/ article/2939562/contact-us

Consult your timetable booklet for detailed information on practical sessions that may be scheduled in the Student Computing Services labs.



#### 7.3 Student IT Helpdesk

Walk-in support to all students is available at the various campus computer facilities. Please view the details on page 25 to find your closest facility and relevant contact details.

You can also make use of our Service Management System to raise a service request for the relevant team: https://upsmax.up.ac.za/saw/ess

You may follow this guide to direct you to your nearest facility: <u>https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-nb9Tbn4vueKNaROUTcaChy1ytdr1N6C/view</u>

#### 7.4 Access to UP computer systems

When using the UP network and infrastructure, all official UP policies apply, including the Code of Conduct in the Computing Services Environment and the Policy on the Acceptable Use of Computing Resources. This includes connections via the UP wireless and cabled network from the library, computer facilities, residences and any other building or open area on a UP campus. The viewing and/ or downloading of pornographic or copyrighted material (including media items, movies and software) is strictly forbidden and may lead to disciplinary action.

Students must familiarise themselves with the relevant policies regarding the acceptable use of ITS resources:

Code of Conduct for Users of the Student Computing Environment: <u>https://www1.up.ac.za/cs/groups/staff/@public/</u> documents/document/mdaw/mda0/~edisp/004227.pdf

Acceptable Use Policy: https://www1.up.ac.za/cs/groups/ public/@public/documents/document/chby/mde3/~edisp/ uppr017218.pdf

Electronic Communications Policy: https://www1.up.ac.za/ cs/groups/public/@public/documents/document/mdaw/ mda0/~edisp/004158.pdf

IT User Access Policy: <u>https://www1.up.ac.za/cs/groups/public/</u> documents/document/chby/mja0/~edisp/uppr204631.pdf

Malware Prevention Policy: https://www1.up.ac.za/cs/ groups/public/@public/documents/document/mdaw/ mda0/~edisp/004170.pdf

#### UP Cyber Security Awareness Campaign

IT Services provides security awareness information throughout the year. The purpose is to ensure that UP has an informed and alert staff and student corps who know how to protect themselves, their families and the University against security breaches and subsequent losses.

**Please visit our web page:** <u>www.up.ac.za/itsecurity</u> for more information. Articles on specific topics are regularly uploaded and we encourage our staff and students to familiarise themselves with the information provided.

Please click any of the topics identified in our roadmap for relevant information: www.up.ac.za/itsecurity/ article/2877690/information-and-cyber-security-roadmap

#### **UP Student Portal**

As an admitted, conditionally admitted or registered student of the University of Pretoria, you have access to the virtual campus environment via the UP Student Portal. The UP Student Portal is a gateway to all your applications, including clickUP and the UP Student Centre.

#### clickUP

clickUP is the in-house name for the Learning Management System (LMS) used at the University of Pretoria; the commercial name is Blackboard Learn. clickUP Ultra provides access to your registered modules and can be accessed any time of the day or night from anywhere with Internet access.

Depending on your lecturer's preference, you may find the following information on clickUP online classrooms:

- clickUP modules
- Lecturers' contact information
- Study guides
- Content and resources
- Announcements, Discussions, Messages, Journals and Groups
- Projects and assignments
- Anti-plagiarism software (Turnitin)
- Tests
- Assignment, project and test marks
- Notifications
- Calendar/What's new?/Needs attention/To do
- <u>clickUP Ultra Student Help Site</u>

**Note:** Semester and final-year marks are available only on the UP Student Portal.

#### **UP Student Centre**

On the Student Centre (self-service), you will find information about the following:

- Student Academic Readiness Survey (STARS) Report
- All registered modules (proof of registration)
- Academic results and records (academic record)
- Personal biographical information (eg email address for student account)
- Quotations
- Discount for early payment
- 50% amount payable 30 April
- Student financial information
- Student account and query logging
- Financial aid application and information
- To-do list (outstanding documentation)
- Online registration
- Communication
- Uploading of supporting documents
- Acceptance or rejection of the application





#### 7.5 Self-service password functionality

This service provides a procedure for users to set up or change their UP Student Portal passwords, or to reset forgotten or lost passwords themselves.

- Passwords need to conform to the UP policy, which states that a password must consist of at least eight characters, including one or more digit(s) and a combination of upperand lower-case letters.
- Passwords should not include words found in a dictionary, and should preferably not be names of people, pets, celebrities, sports teams and months of the year.
- Do not write down your password.
- Do not tell anyone your password, as this will enable access to all your personal information.

Students are advised to set up challenge questions that may be used to reset their passwords themselves should they forget or lose a password. Self-help guides are available at www.up.ac.za/students/article/2745903/self-help-guides.

## 7.6 Instructions for new users of the UP Student Portal

- Go to www.up.ac.za. Click on 'My UP Login'.
- Click on the 'New users' link on the UP Student Portal login page.
- Log in with your username, which is 'u' followed by the eightdigit UP student number that appears on your student card or application letter (eg u12345678).
- Follow the process to create and save a password.
- Select three questions from the list of challenge questions.
- Enter and save the answers to the challenge questions.

Walk-in support to all students is available at the various campus computer facilities. Please view the details on page 27 to find your closest facility and relevant contact details.

You can also make use of our Service Management System to raise a service request for the relevant team: https://upsmax.up.ac.za/saw/ess

This document will also guide you through the process of setting up your accounts once you have registered as a student: <u>https://drive.google.com/file/d/10ernh0WbLX-</u> uKI7x4U9NtMpngacMLqrQ/view

#### 7.7 Internet access

Internet access at the University of Pretoria is provided free of charge to registered students. Although access is free, students' UP computer access accounts will be monitored.

Note: When using the UP network and infrastructure, all official UP policies apply, including the Code of Conduct in the Computing Services Environment and the Policy on the Acceptable Use of Computing Resources. This includes connections via the UP wireless and cabled network from the library, computer facilities, residences and any other building or open area on a UP campus. The viewing and/ or downloading of pornographic or copyrighted material (including media items, movies and software) is strictly forbidden and may lead to disciplinary action.

#### 7.8 Tuks Google account

All registered students have free access to and use of the internet on all campuses and in all residences. They also have a UP-enabled email service hosted by Google as TUKS Gmail:

...@tuks.co.za. This TUKS Gmail account is used as one of the official channels of communication with students and, once activated, will be available for life.

The Google services include spam protection and applications such as Google Photos, Google Drive, Google Calendar, Google Meet and Google Docs.

If you already have a personal Gmail account, your personal and TUKS Gmail accounts will be independent of each other. Your personal account has, for example, the format 'username@gmail.com' while your TUKS account has the format of 'u12345678@tuks.co.za'.

You can follow the guides included in this document to assist you with setting up your UP Google account: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Lhzfl785m0gCrbilPTh8wqvtvn NHxmkx/view https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xYiZUbXJYdmU7fUB0YNhVPgyJTTa4TI/view https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ftfRtVv8qyg92e-9MmwQxaFisjh3AKUZ/view

#### 7.9 Software available to students

#### Microsoft Office 365

The University of Pretoria offers the Microsoft Office 365 suite free of charge to all registered students. To download and install the software, please consult the guide available at <u>https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-SmOB\_</u> enG0wnqwNX5RumnpQptbMr-0ZK/view

A number of additional packages are available to students for use on their personal devices. These offerings include MatLab, SPSS, Microsoft Endnote, AtlasTI, Amos, JMP and SAS. Academic departments also manage software licences dedicated to students registered for specific subjects and courses.



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#### 7.10 TuksPrint

The TuksPrint service is a quick and convenient system that enables students to manage all their printing, copying and scanning needs online from one unique print account.

#### **TuksPrint features**

- TuksPrint is a web and mobile-enabled system that allows you to submit and manage print jobs and manage your printing account from your smart mobile device or internetconnected workstation computer.
- TuksPrint 'pay-per-page' is a prepaid system. Your TuksPrint account will only be debited for pages printed, copied or scanned.
- TuksPrint 'secure-release': Use your unique PIN (personal identification number) and your student card at a specific TuksPrint MFD to ensure that only you will be able to retrieve your print jobs from that device.
- TuksPrint is available on all UP campuses. The same functionality is available on all the campuses. You can print wherever you find a TuksPrint-linked MFD to enjoy simple and easy 'follow me' functionality (see maps).
- TuksPrint informs you by email of every action in your printing account (deposits, scan jobs, print jobs, etc).
- TuksPrint is quick and convenient.

Walk-in support to all students is available at the various campus computer facilities. Please view the details on page 27 to find your closest facility and relevant contact details.

You can also make use of our Service Management System to raise a service request for the relevant team: <u>https://upsmax.up.ac.za/saw/ess</u>

#### 7.11 Wi-Fi network

All registered students have free access to and use of the wireless internet on all campuses and in all residences. The University foresees expanded Wi-Fi coverage and provision to communal and departmental venues to meet specific operational needs. Various UP wireless internet hotspots provide wireless coverage to identified indoor and outdoor areas on all campuses.



#### 8.1 Introduction

Sports make up a significant part of student life and is an integral part of the University's DNA. The University of Pretoria provides students with opportunities to participate in a variety of sporting codes at club, national and international levels. These opportunities extend into inter-student competitions through both internal UP student-only leagues and participation in USSA, Varsity Sport and Varsity Cup national student competitions. The University also boasts excellent sports facilities, which are highly regarded both nationally and internationally.

The Hillcrest Sports Campus, which is centrally located and easily accessible to students. TuksSport, has a large number of sports clubs and is currently the largest source of athletes for a variety of sports disciplines to national teams. TuksSport forms a vital part of the UP experience and you are encouraged to select the University of Pretoria for an outstanding balanced sporting and academic career.

#### **Contact information**

Tel +27 (0)12 420 6060 | Fax +27 (0)12 420 6095 | Email sportinfo@up.ac.za | Website www.up.ac.za/tukssport

#### 8.2 Sports clubs

Sport	Contact information	Sport	Contact information
TuksAthletics	Ammie Sutton Tel +27 (0)12 420 6080 Email ammie.sutton@up.ac.za	TuksNetball	Lifalethu Khumalo Tel +27 (0)12 420 6081 Email lifa.khumalo@up.ac.za
TuksAquatics: lifesaving, swimming, triathlon, underwater hockey and water polo	Neressa Houtman Tel +27 (0)12 420 6075 Email <u>tuks.aquatics@hpc.co.za</u>	TuksRowing	Xilia Dreyer Tel +27 (0)12 420 6122 Email <u>xilia.dreyer@up.ac.za</u>
TuksHockey	Kgothatso Maboea Tel +27 (0)12 420 6170 Email kgothatso.maboea@up.ac.za	TuksRugby	Ansie du Plessis Tel +27 (0)12 420 6068 Email ansie.duplessis@up.ac.za
TuksCricket	Blanche Conradie Tel +27 (0)12 420 6124 Email blanche.conradie@up.ac.za	TuksSquash	Alex Verhage Tel +27 (0)12 420 6109 Email <u>tukssquash@up.ac.za</u>
TuksFootball	Boitumelo Lekalakala Tel +27 (0)12 420 6001 Email boitumelo.lekalakala@up.ac.za	TuksTennis	Makgotso Moloantoa Tel +27 (0)12 420 6083 Email <u>tukstennis@up.ac.za</u>
TuksGolf and PGA Golf Academy	Neil van Vliet Tel +27 (0)12 420 6888 Email <u>neil.vanvliet@hpc.co.za</u>	Recreational sport: TuksBasketball, TuksChess, TuksCycling, TuksKarate, TuksTaekwondo and TuksVolleyball	Sibongile Maswanganye Tel +27 (0)12 420 6061 Email <u>sibo@up.ac.za</u>
TuksGymnastics	Christine van Wyk Tel +27 (0)12 420 6014 Email <u>admin.gymnastics@up.ac.za</u>	Specialised and individual sports: TuksArchery, TuksBadminton, TuksFencing, TuksJudo, TuksJudo, TuksTrampoline and TuksWrestling	llze Wicksell Tel +27 (0)12 420 6135 Email <u>ilze.wicksell@up.ac.za</u>
TuksAikido, TuksCanoe, TuksCueSport, TuksESport, TuksExploratio, TuksUltimate, TuksYachting	Letladi Lekolwane Tel +27 (0)12 420 6173 Email <u>letladi.lekolwane@up.ac.za</u>		



#### 8.3 Sports bursaries and performance support

Subject to conditions as determined by each club's criteria, sports bursaries and performance support are available to elite sports achievers who have competed at a high level (typically having achieved a high level of performances in the selected sport and possibly filling a team positional need along with being a full-time, bona fide registered student at the University of Pretoria). Students who are awarded sports bursaries are expected to participate actively in the specific sport for a TuksSport Club while studying at the University.

A bursary can be awarded to an applicant for only one sports code. Applications must be submitted annually preceding commencement of study. TuksSport bursary applications are handled separately from normal UP bursary applications. To find out more about our sports bursaries, visit the TuksSport website (www.up.ac.za/tukssport). Bursary queries may be submitted to the email address provided.

#### **Contact information**

 Tel
 +27 (0)12 420 6060

 Email
 riekie.labuschagne@up.ac.za

 Website
 www.up.ac.za/tukssport

#### 8.4 High Performance Centre (hpc)

The University of Pretoria's High Performance Centre (hpc) is southern Africa's first elite performance sports facility. Launched in May 2002, the Centre is the training ground for tomorrow's sporting champions and the venue of choice for sports professionals and enthusiasts alike.

The hpc, situated on the Hillcrest Sports Campus, offers a unique combination of world-class facilities, medical services, accommodation and hospitality, nutritional and scientific expertise and research, which has earned this Centre a reputation of excellence and success both locally and internationally. It is also home to the Sport Exercise Medicine and Lifestyle Institute (SEMLI). These facilities attract a steady flow of international athletes, as well as local sporting bodies, for training camps and specific team preparation. The hpc has become the preferred location for many national teams' predeparture camps and the centre of choice for specialisation for a significant number of national federations. Within this sporting environment, the Sport Academy Programme, in conjunction with the TuksSport High School initiative, has been endorsed by several national and international sporting federations on numerous occasions.

Traditionally many African sports federations have enrolled their talented athletes in the Academy Programme. Athletes from Zimbabwe, Mozambique, Namibia, Kenya, Zambia and Botswana frequently spend time at the hpc while preparing to compete on the global stage.

#### Contact information

Tel	+27 (0)12 484 1717/1718
Fax	+27 (0)12 484 1701
Email	info@hpc.co.za
Website	www.hpc.co.za

#### 8.5 TuksSport High School

TuksSport High School is an independent school for boys and girls from Grade 8 to Grade 12. This specialised school allows current and potential high-performance athletes to train and travel internationally while remaining continuing with their education. TuksSport High School offers learner athletes a unique opportunity to live out their passion for sport in a distinctive and supportive sporting milieu created by the hpc and the University of Pretoria.

The main sports academies that form part of the school structure are swimming, athletics, soccer (boys and girls), golf, gymnastics, tennis and mountain biking.

#### **Contact information**

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Di Reid-Ross Tel +27 (0)12 484 1786 Email di.reid-ross@hpc.co.za



#### 9.1 Parking and traffic

#### **Hatfield Campus**

Undergraduate students may park in the designated areas surrounding the Hatfield Campus. However, parking space is minimal and the University cannot take responsibility for fines issued by the Tshwane Metro Police Department when students park illegally on sidewalks.

Honours and master's students may park on campus from 14:00 on weekdays, and doctoral students may do so at any time, provided that they have obtained parking discs online via the UP Student Portal. Students may not park on reserved and undercover parking bays on weekdays, but parking is allowed over weekends.

The official student parking areas of the University in the Hatfield area are located as follows:

- Corner of Burnett and Festival Streets (H17)
- Corner of Herold Street and Duxbury Road (H29)
- Corner of Herold Street and Lynnwood Road (H30)
- Corner of Hilda Street and Duxbury Road (no parking code as yet)

The above areas are enclosed and are patrolled by security officers of the Department of Security Services. To gain access to these areas, students must produce a valid student card at the gate. All students may park on the Hatfield Campus from 16:30 on weekdays and at any time during weekends unless directed otherwise. A student card must be presented.

#### **Engineering 3 Parkade (Hatfield Campus)**

The Engineering 3 Parkade is accessible only from the entrance situated on University Road. Access control for students is on a prepaid credit or a pay-on-foot cash basis, as is the case at other parkades. Payments can be made in cash or by using a credit card at an automatic payment station. A prepaid credit system is available and students can open an account at the Katanga Parking Management control room on level 2 of the Parkade.

The following rates will apply in the case of casual student parking on weekdays from 06:00 to 18:00:

- 0–2 hours: R5
- 2–4 hours: R8
- 4–6 hours: R10
- 6+ hours: R20

A flat rate of R8 will apply from 18:00 to 06:00 on weekdays and over weekends. This will not apply when the Parkade is used for special events. For events at Loftus Versfeld, a flat rate of R100 will apply. The penalty for cars left in the Parkade for more than 24 hours is R250, and the penalty for a lost ticket is R50.

### Onderstepoort, Groenkloof, Mamelodi and Prinshof campuses

Students at the Onderstepoort, Groenkloof, Mamelodi and Prinshof Campuses apply for parking discs at their specific campuses and full-time parking is allowed, except in reserved and undercover parking bays.

#### Parking for residence students

Only limited numbers of parking bays are available at residences and qualifying residence students may park in the

paid parking areas at the residences. Students should apply through the UP Student Portal. All applications for parking at the residences are submitted to the Residence House Committee member responsible for administration allocation.

#### Parking for students with disabilities

Students with permanent physical disabilities may apply for parking discs at the Parking Division in the Student Service Centre.

**Note:** A written motivation from your doctor must be submitted along with your application.

#### **Contact information**

Retha Labuschagne Tel +27 (0)12 420 5172 Email accesscontrol.ssc@up.ac.za

#### 9.2 Bus services

#### **Public bus services**

www.tshwane.gov.za/sites/residents/TshwaneBusSerivces/ Pages/default.aspx

#### Gautrain bus route downloads www.gautrain.co.za

#### University of Pretoria bus services

- Bus timetables are available on on clickUP via the Institution page
- Bus services are available for use by registered UP students only and are free of charge

**Note:** Examination bus schedules differ from the regular academic bus schedules.

#### UP supplies the following bus services

Residence bus services: The University provides bus services between most residences and campuses, except for residences within walking distance from campuses.
GR01—Groenkloof and Hatfield Campus

- HR01—Hillcrest residences and Hatfield Campus
- HP01—Hippokrates and Prinshof Campus
- PH06—Curelitzia to and from Hatfield Campus
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#### Bus services for academic purposes:

- MP01—Mamelodi Campus Staff Shuttle Service
- MS01—Mamelodi Campus from Hatfield Campus
- PH01—Prinshof Campus and Hatfield Campus Shuttle
- PK01—Prinshof Campus to Kalafong Hospital
- PT01—Prinshof Campus to Tembisa Hospital
   PM01—Prinshof Campus to Tembisa Hospital
- PW01—Prinshof Campus to Weskoppies Hospital
- PM02—Prinshof Campus to 1 Military Hospital
- HS01—Sunnyside and Arcadia bus service
  GS01—Groenkloof to Sunnyside and Arcadia

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### Park-and-Ride bus servicesPR01—Hillcrest Campus Park-and-Ride

GR01—Groenkloof Campus and Hatfield Campus

#### Contact information

Tel	+27 (0)12 420 2530/3900
Email	ina.brits@up.ac.za
	cornelia.basson@up.ac.za



#### 9.3 Shuttle services

Should you require transport to a campus or to your accommodation in Pretoria, you may contact one of the following companies:

Travel agent	Telephone number	Email and/or website
Gautrain Your first consideration should be to make use of the Gautrain.	<b>Tel</b> +27 (0)800 428 87246	-
Ulysses Tours	Tel +27 (0)12 653 0018 or +27 (0)82 566 5506	Emailreservations@ulysses.co.zaWebsitewww.ulysses.co.za
EZ Shuttle	Tel +27 (0)86 139 7488 or +27 (0)12 346 0899	Emailinfo@ezshuttle.co.zaWebsitewww.ezshuttle.co.za
La Luonde Tours	<b>Tel</b> +27 (0)73 639 9416 +27 (0)82 850 6654	Email <u>info@laluonde.co.za</u>
Roxburg Travel	<b>Tel</b> +27 (0)83 261 0455	Email         roxburgtransfers@gmail.com           Website         www.roxburgtravel.com
Shuttle Direct	<b>Tel</b> +27 (0)86 173 4732	Emailadmin@shuttledirect.co.zaWebsitewww.shuttledirect.co.za





#### 10.1 University of Pretoria (UP) Museums

The University of Pretoria (UP) Museums actively curate the institution's collections and associated archives with a view to art conservation, social and academic engagement, reinterpretation and research so that the UP community and wider society can access and enjoy our creative galleries and learning spaces. The University of Pretoria Museums are members of the South African Museums Association (SAMA), the International Council of Museums (ICOM), University Museums and Collections (UMAC) and the International Committee for Conservation (ICOM-CC). Under the auspices of the UP Executive in the Office of the Registrar as well as members of the International Council for Archives (ICA), the University of Pretoria Museums render a professional service to the University of Pretoria.

The unique and iconic museum collections are on public display in two historical buildings on the Hatfield Campus. The popular Mapungubwe Gallery, the Mapungubwe Archive and the extensive ceramic collections can be viewed in the Old Arts Building, erected in 1910. In addition, there is an expansive Sculpture Gallery exhibiting works by Edoardo Villa as well as classical and contemporary sculptures and new acquisitions that is situated in the Old Merensky Building, which dates back to 1937. All museum galleries are dedicated to the institution's cultural and art collections that are open to the campus community and the general public to engage with, enjoy and appreciate in a university museum and academic setting. The UP Museums Archive is available for research and is a rich scholarly resource for new collections knowledge alongside the Mapungubwe Archive, a global research resource. The museum-beyond-walls initiative in the form of a sculpture art route that explores all the sculptures on the Hatfield Campus is also very popular and shares UP's institutional art collection, cultural heritage within the natural landscape.

The University of Pretoria Museums also curate a large and beautiful collection of 20th-century and contemporary art, and plans for a dedicated-UP Museum Art Gallery, and the expansion of a bespoke and modern Gallery dedicated to the national and globally-renowned Mapungubwe Collection are underway. The University of Pretoria Museums have also loaned the iconic *National Treasures Exhibition* of the Mapungubwe Gold Collection in the popular new Javett-UP Art Centre. The UP Museums also house a unique museum art conservation room dedicated to the remedial conservation and care of the valuable institutional art collection which spans 100 years.

The University of Pretoria Museums are integrated into the academic programme contributing to over 20 modules in different faculties and departments as the museums move towards transdisciplinary platforms, but are critical social and research spaces open to students for free and interpretative tours. Planned tours for learners and other visitors to the Campus, as well as special tours for the disabled are also offered. We take great pride in being a university with

exceptional museums.

 Contact information

 Tel
 +27 (0)12 420 5181

 Tours
 +27 (0)12 420 2178

 Email
 museums@up.ac.za

 Website
 www.up.ac.za/museums-collections

#### **Physical Address**

Old Arts Building, Room 1-9, Hatfield campus.

#### **Opening Hours**

Monday to Friday: 08:00am to 16:00pm By appointment only, one-time pin required for Hatfield campus access for all external visitors

#### **Google Arts and Culture**

https://artsandculture.google.com/partner/university-ofpretoria-museums Instagram @UPMuseums Facebook University of Pretoria Museums

#### UP Museum rates and bespoke tours

Per person rates				
Adults	R50			
Pensioners	R40			
External students	R25			
Learners (under 18s)	Free			
All children under age 12	Free			
UP students and staff	Free access with valid student or staff card (UP staff and students only)			
SAMA & ICOM members	Free			
UP Alumni	10% off			

#### Museum trail and tour package offers

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Introductory	1 hour Museum tour: R80 per person
Sculpture Art Route	R80 per person
School Tours	R120 all inclusive
Museum Heritage Tour	R120 per person
GLAM Tour	R60 per person
Mapungubwe Collections Tour	R100 – duration 2 hours per person
Customised Museum Culture and Art Tour	R100 – duration 2 hours per person
Corporate Tour	Upon request



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## 10.2 GLAM

Founded and managed by the UP Museums in 2021, GLAM collectively and collaboratively brings together knowledge found within the University of Pretoria's Gardens, Libraries, Archives and Museums (GLAM). UP is the first African GLAM at a higher education institution and plays a central role in collecting and promoting access to the cultural, artistic, archival and historical, including the institutional heritage of UP.

With the support of the UP Alumni Relations Office in the Department of Institutional Advancement, GLAM brings together the UP Museums, Archives and Library, the Botanical Gardens, the Department of Historical and Heritage Studies (Faculty of Humanities), the Department of Architecture, the Architecture Archives (EBIT Faculty) and other internal transdisciplinary partners to promote wider access to, and more research on UP's natural and cultural campus landscape.

GLAM is still in its foundation phase, but hopes to foster greater future collaboration and strengthen partnerships within the institution and beyond with our networks at the local, national and global levels in order to catalyse research on university collections and make them more accessible to civic society. Through the overlap of collecting, maintaining and preserving accessible primary (or original) sources, GLAM enriches and expands access to the various collections to ensure that UP contributes significantly to the public good of promoting and sustaining the arts, archives, libraries and museums. GLAM is focused on the future and supports the creative arts and the heritage of higher education. GLAM presents the foundation to untapped knowledge, curated research and collections generated by the University of Pretoria with a rich history of over 110 years.

#### Contact information Tel +27 (0)12 420 21

lei	+27 (0)12 420 2178
Email	museums@up.ac.za

Join the GLAM Group to support UP Museums https://upalumniconnect.com

## 10.3 The School of the Arts

#### **Music ensembles**

Our music ensembles are responsible for world-class performances in the many theatres and venues on UP's various campuses. In addition to our own performers, these concerts regularly feature musicians from outside the University, thus effectively diversifying the experience we offer to our students and the broader University community. We annually present more than 25 live and virtual Lunch-hour Concerts in the Musaion.

Talented students, with or without formal training, can participate in our various ensembles and choirs, which include the UP Camerata, UP Ovuwa Cultural Ensemble, University of Pretoria Youth Choir, UP Chorale, UP Symphonic Winds (UPSW), Onderstepoort Community Choir (OCC) and University of Pretoria Symphony Orchestra (UPSO).

#### Contact information

Tel	+27 (0)12 420 2495
Email	<u>sotarts@up.ac.za</u>



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## 10.4 The Javett Art Centre at the University of Pretoria

The Javett Art Centre at the University of Pretoria is a partnership between the University of Pretoria and the Javett Foundation. Both share a firm belief in the value of the arts for education, and for society in general. This project is both collegiate and philanthropic. With one foot firmly rooted in academia and the other embedded in the public, Javett-UP aims to make the pan African art practices accessible, relevant and engaging.

Researching the pan African art practices lies at the very heart of the work of the Javett-UP and we aim to set new benchmarks in art curation, conservation and education. The fact that the Javett-UP is part of the University of Pretoria's research, teaching and learning resources means that this is not only a place for enjoying art, but also for learning about it. At the Javett-UP, learning and enjoyment are two sides of the same coin and both are valued and encouraged. The Javett Art Centre at the University of Pretoria was created as a space that enhances unique and exceptional transdisciplinary learning through the arts. We engage diverse publics in exploring the human condition and reimagining our futures. Like its building, the Javett-UP connects the University of Pretoria to the City of Tshwane via a bridge that spans Lynnwood Road.

In addition to temporary exhibitions such as Nolan Oswald Dennis' Specifications for a Reverse Archeology, which reflects on deep-time geological-spiritual systems and archeological memory in a landless environment, Javett-UP houses five collections on long-term loan—the Javett Foundation's collection of 20th-century South African art, the Gold of Africa collection with more than 350 pieces from West Africa, the South32 Collection, the Bongi Dhlomo Collection and the *National Treasures Exhibition* of the Mapungubwe Gold Collection, important for South Africa, the southern African region and the world.

#### Connect with Javett-UP

Tel	+27 (0)12 420 3960
Email	connect@javettup.art
Website	www.javettup.art
Facebook	Javett Art Centre at UP
Twitter	@javettup
Instagram	@javettup
Visiting hours	The Javett-UP is open from
	10:00–16:00 Tuesday to Sunday

#### **Booking information**

- Guided tours must be booked and paid for at least 48 hours in advance.
- Tour groups accommodate up to 15 people per facilitator.

- For online ticket booking, go to <u>https://plankton.mobi/</u> Home/Index, or contact bookings@javettup.com
- for bookings.
- General enquiries: connect@javettup.com

Entry fees	
Adults	R85
Pensioners	R60
Under 18 years	R40
Guided tours	R490
South African private tertiary institutions	R40
African bases Tertiary Institution	R40
International students	R75
Children under six years of age	Free
UP staff	Free on presentation of a valid UP staff card
University students	Free on presentation of a valid student card
South African Museums Association/SAMA members	Free on presentation of a valid membership card
ICOM members	Free on presentation of a valid membership card
School tours	R25 per learner and R25 per teacher

Free entrance days	
Human Rights Day	21 March
Freedom Day	27 April
International Museum Day	18 May
Africa Day	25 May
Youth Day	16 June
National Women's Day	9 August
Heritage Day	24 September
Day of Reconciliation	16 December

#### Javett-UP physical address

The Javett Art Centre at the University of Pretoria 23 Lynnwood Road Elandspoort Pretoria, 0002



## 10.5 University of Pretoria Archives —the institutional memory bank

The University of Pretoria Archives (UPA) was established on 13 September 1994 to serve as the University's memory bank. Its mission is to collect, sort, preserve and catalogue information about the University and to make it available to interested parties. The collection includes documents, reports, photos and clippings about the UP Senate and Council, the nine faculties, sports, student activities and satellite archives in the UP residences. The Archives also houses collections of all University publications, including programmes of performances, student magazines (including a complete set of *Perdeby/PDBY* dating back to 1939) and a unique art archives of South African art and artists.

The UPA is involved with staff and student research projects and national and international researchers and alumni. The UPA exhibitions form part of the engineering students' orientation, and honours students studying heritage and cultural tourism compile their research for UP Campus Tours in the UPA. During their honour's year, history students complete a short internship in the archives as part of the 'What's in the Box?' project and postgraduate architecture students research the heritage mapping of the Campus for their studio project.

The UP Archives is also actively involved in collecting all information related to UP in various formats. The archival holdings have information on the Spanish flu of 1918 and the closure of the University then, and also of the 2016 #Feesmustfall protests. The UPA has also documented how members of the UP community experienced the COVID-19 pandemic through a range of competitions that required students and staff to capture their lives during lockdown visually and in writing. Selected entries were published as a book by the UPA in 2023.

The UP Archives is your archives. Email or visit us to share and record your experiences of the University of Pretoria for future generations.

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 +27 (0)12 420 2123 or +27 (0)12 420 3036

 Email
 archives@up.ac.za

## 10.6 University of Pretoria Campus tours (UPCT)

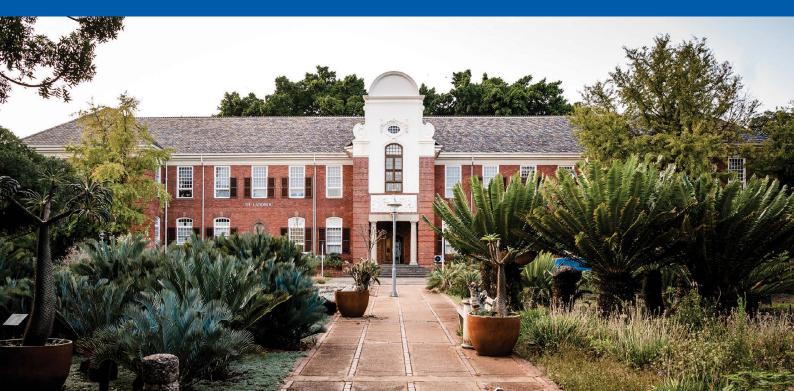
## UPCT continues to take visitors on both virtual and in-person tours

UPCT is a student-run business venture that offers customised tours for prospective students, academic and administrative staff, visitors from other South African and international universities, alumni, school groups and the wider public. It is an integral part of the Honours BSocSci degree in Heritage and Cultural Tourism offered by the Department of Historical and Heritage Studies. While operating UPCT, these postgraduate students—heralded as the young ambassadors of the University—acquire a range of skills, including expertise in research, marketing, finances, management, teamwork and actual tourist guiding.

According to Professor Karen Harris, founder of UPCT, this contributes to both the employability and success of these graduates in the job market as they have a year of hands-on experience and loads of confidence. It is, in essence, workintegrated learning. UPCT continues to take guests on tours of the Hatfield Campus, showcasing its nine faculties, and has extended its offerings to include other aspects of the beautiful UP campuses. They have also added a Green Tour of Hatfield Campus, a Sculpture Tour, and a tour of the Future Africa Institute.

These interesting tours have opened up new and exciting experiences to entertain guests and inform them about what UP has to offer prospective students, and to showcase UP's attractions to the broader public.

If you are interested in joining UPCT for a customised tour of your choice, please email <u>upcampustours@gmail.com</u> for more information, or to book a tour.





## 10.7 The Manie van der Schijff Botanical Gardens

The Manie van der Schijff Botanical Gardens are situated along the Western and Northern perimeter of the University's Hatfield West Campus, taking up roughly 3.5 hectares between and surrounding many historical buildings such as the old Botany Building and the old Agriculture Building. The Living Plant Collection had its beginnings in 1924 when Pavetta species were planted on the campus for research purposes a role that the Gardens still play today as the main supplier of the living plant material used in teaching and learning at the University. Plant collections are maintained with research in mind and approximately 40 staff members from about 10 departments (and their students) benefit from plants grown specifically for teaching and learning purposes.

The Botanical Gardens currently house about 3 000 plant species within its grounds. In the last decade the living plant collections have expanded tremendously and through a close working relationship with the Department of Facilities Management the diversity of plants and landscaping has grown on all the campuses of the University and we consider the Living Plant Collections to be part of the greater campus environment.

The Botanical Gardens house many novel and groundbreaking developments, such as the Rainwater Harvesting Garden around the Mining Engineering Study Centre and the Green Walls of the Plant Sciences Building. It is a driving force behind the water-wise garden conversion drive of the University, with hybrid aloes as the flagship group most noticeable on our campuses.

Please send an email to garden curator jason.sampson@up.ac.za to request more information, or visit our webpage at www.up.ac.za/botanical-garden.

A subset of the living collections of the Manie van der Schijff Botanical Gardens includes an extensive collection of a highly threatened group of plants, namely cycads. The ever-growing collection currently comprises more than 1 200 individual cycads belonging to approximately 200 species from nine genera. The collection includes charismatic South African species such as *Encephalartos woodii*, often referred to as the 'loneliest plant on Earth' as the 'female' of the species is extinct, leaving only one male specimen that can only be reproduced as a clone, and *Encephalartos transvenosus*, the well-known Modjadji cycad. The collection is spread out across a number of the University campuses, including the Hillcrest Campus, where seedlings can be purchased as part of an effort to aid the conservation of these special plants.

Please email collection and nursery curator at <u>arnold.frisby@up.ac.za</u> for more information, or visit our webpage at www.up.ac.za/botanical-garden/article/2915976/ the-cycad-collection-and-nursery.

The newest and extremely exciting addition to our collections is the Future Africa Foraging Garden, which forms the landscape of the Future Africa Campus. Comprising an evergrowing collection centred around African Orphan Crops and wild foraging species, every plant in the landscape has an edible use and not only supplies the on-site kitchen and chef with novel ingredients, but also assists the Department of Consumer Sciences with material for teaching, research and their famous banquets.

Please email the collection curator at <u>lina.rampora@up.ac.za</u> for more information, or visit <u>www.futureafrica.science/</u> campus/design-philosophy/future-africa-gardens.

### **Contact information**

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www.facebook.com/MvdSBG



## 11.1 Career Services Office

The Career Services Office is part of the Department of Enrolment and Student Administration (DESA) at the University of Pretoria, located in the historic Old Chemistry Building on the Hatfield Campus. As a centre for employability support, its mission is to equip UP students and graduates with essential workplace skills, paving the way for successful careers.

In today's competitive job market, a degree alone is not enough. Career Services steps in as a guiding resource, ensuring that students are prepared to be work-ready. The office provides the following services to all UP students:

### **Employability Support:**

- Assistance with creating compelling CVs and cover letters
- Mastering interview techniques
- Targeted job search strategies
- Soft skills development through LinkedIn Learning
- LinkedIn profile creation
- Access to the free online Ready for Work Programme

#### Final year mentorship Programme:

- Connecting final-year students with industry experts for real-world exposure
- One-on-one support from experienced professionals
- Networking opportunities within specific industries
- Insight into career paths and development areas
- Guidance on recognising abilities and career potential

### **Engaging with Employers:**

- Job advertisements for various vacancies, graduate programmes, internships, and vacation work
- Graduate recruitment events including industry presentations, networking events, and campus interviews
- Career Fairs where students can interact with potential employers
- Graduate Handbook with an employer directory and available opportunities

#### Internship & Graduate Placement Programme:

- Offering recent graduates work experience opportunities
- Career goal guidance
- Building a professional network
- Strengthening resumes and securing references

All these opportunities are advertised through TuksCareers, an online platform accessible via the UP-Student Portal. Students can book events and apply for vacancies. The Career Services website (https://www.up.ac.za/career-services) also provides valuable resources to help students become career-ready, ensuring they transition into the workplace with confidence and competence.

#### **Contact Information**

 Tel
 +27 (0)12 420 6438

 Email
 careerservices@up.ac.za

 Address
 Old Chemistry Building, Room 1-6

#### Social media

Facebook | LinkedIn | Twitter | Instagram

Step into the Career Services Office, where your potential is nurtured, and success is a journey enriched with skills, opportunities, and a brighter future.

## 11.2 The Centre for Sexualities, AIDS and Gender (CSA&G)

The CSA&G works closely with the University in its response to HIV, sexualities and gender, engages in research and teaching and runs community projects. It also contributes to institutional transformation initiatives with its vision of using HIV and AIDS as both a lens and springboard in 'understanding power, exploring diversity, examining difference and imagining inclusivity'.

## Just Leaders social justice volunteer programme

The CSA&G runs a comprehensive youth leadership and active citizenship programme, Just Leaders, which focuses on building a movement of active citizen student leaders who promote social justice, critical consciousness and inclusive practices at the University of Pretoria, and supports similar movements at partner universities in the region. It addresses various forms of marginalisation, including marginalisation on account of race, gender, sexuality, class and ability. The programme equips students with the skills needed to understand research and conduct advocacy, has community outreach and regional components, and includes support around gender, sexualities and HIV.

## To volunteer for this programme, please contact

Chris Joubert Tel +27 (0)12 420 4391 Email justleaders@csagup.org Address First floor, Akanyang Building, Hatfield Campus

#### Addressing sexual and gender-based violence

The CSA&G, in collaboration with the Transformation Office at UP, runs anti-sexual harassment workshops, seminars and talks, and works closely with student leadership structures across UP. It runs a joint project, #SpeakOutUP, which offers basic support and guidance to students who may have concerns or queries about sexual harassment and genderbased violence.

#### To volunteer for this programme, please contact

 Tel
 +27 (0)12 420 4391

 Email
 justleaders@csagup.org

Address First floor, Akanyang Building, Hatfield Campus

## HIV counselling and testing (see also section 6.2)

The HIV counselling and testing service for UP students is a collaboration between Student Health Services and the Centre for Sexualities, AIDS and Gender (CSA&G). This free service offers students professional HIV testing with pre- and post-test counselling. It is offered both at Student Health Services and at the offices of the CSA&G (the testing service at the CSA&G offices is also available to all UP-staff members). Students who test positive receive medical and emotional support (from the UP Clinic, the CSA&G and the Division of Student Support) and, if necessary, can access antiretroviral treatment at Tshwane District Hospital. All information is treated with the utmost confidentiality. Testing is available from 9:00 to 15:00 from Monday to Thursday and from 9:00 to 13:00 on Fridays.



**For information on HIV testing at the CSA&G, please contact** Sr Dipontseng Kheo

 Tel
 +27 (0)12 420 4391

 Email
 dipontseng.kheo@up.ac.za

 Address
 First floor, Akanyang Building, Hatfield Campus

This testing and counselling is offered by student volunteers of the CSA&G who have been trained as lay counsellors (Befrienders). They conduct the test and offer counselling under the guidance and mentorship of trained staff, including a nursing sister. To find out more about being selected and trained as a Befriender, please contact Chris Joubert on +27 (0)12 420 5190 or at chris.joubert@up.ac.za, or visit the CSA&G reception on the first floor of the Akanyang Building, Hatfield Campus.

#### **Contact information**

Tel+27 (0)12 420 4391Emailinfo@csagup.orgWebsitewww.csagup.orgAddressFirst floor, Akanyang Building, Hatfield Campus

## 11.3 Campus shops

Shop	Contact information
UP Shop The core business of the UP Shop is to sell an authentic UP-branded clothing range to students, academics, parents and visitors. Its range of items includes T-shirts (long and short sleeves), jackets, hoodies, sleeveless body warmers and caps. It also stocks UP-branded promotional items for faculties and for individual orders. The UP Shop partners with Vida e Caffè, which sells refreshments and light meals.	Tel+27 (0)76 954 9993 (Lerato Sekwele)Emailupshop@up.ac.zaTel+27 (0)72 252 0272 (Laurike Strobos)Emaillaurike@outdoorsport.co.zaAddressAkanyang Building (previously Huis en Haard) Hatfield Campus
<b>Bookmark</b> Bookmark, the campus bookshop, has branches on the Hatfield, Groenkloof, Mamelodi and Prinshof Campuses. Bookmark strives to stock all the prescribed books and most of the recommended textbooks, as well as contemporary books, office and school stationery, electronic products and more. This store provides quotations, e-book downloads, online purchase of printed textbooks and delivery with flexible payment options— all available online at <u>https://upbookmark.com/</u> or on-campus.	Tel+27 (0)12 362 4420 (Hatfield) +27 (0)12 319 2204 (Prinshof)Emailinfo@bookmark.co.zaWebsitehttps://upbookmark.com/AddressStudent Centre, Hatfield CampusOffice hoursMondays to Fridays, 08:00-17:00 Saturdays, 08:00-13:00Closed on Surdays and public holidays
Hatfield Campus Student Copy Centre Students may visit the Copy Centre for photocopying, printing, binding and laminating.	Tel+27 (0)12 420 2210AddressStudent Centre, Hatfield CampusLibraries on all University campusesMondays to Fridays, 07:30-16:00

## 11.4 Dining halls and payment for meals

The various restaurants and coffee shops on UP Campuses generally operate on a cash basis, but meals are also provided in the following ways: **Day students** (ie non-residence students) may make use of following dining halls:

- Hatfield Campus: Monastery Hall (next to the UP Chapel)
- Groenkloof Campus: Groenkloof dining hall
- Prinshof Campus: Curelitzia dining hall
- Onderstepoort Campus: OP Village dining hall

Payments can be made via EFT or at the cashiers in the Student Service Centre. This will allow you to book meals and purchase food items using your student card. The meal system is centralised. Students do not need to transfer funds between dining halls. Payments made by day students at Groenkloof Campus can be utilised at both the Groenkloof dining hall and the Monastery Hall.

In the case of **residence** students, an amount that can be used for meals at the dining halls of specific residences is debited in advance to students' accounts. Once this amount is depleted, a student can pay in additional money in one of the following ways:

- Deposit money at the **cashiers** on campus. Be sure to indicate that the payment being made is for meals.
- Make a deposit or EFT transfer into UP's ABSA or Standard Bank account using your student number as reference.
- Note: You need to notify us that you have made a payment for meals by sending an email to <u>ssc@up.ac.za</u>. Include your personal particulars and student number.



Should there be a credit balance on your student account, you can request Student Accounts to transfer a specified amount on your card for meals by sending an email request to <u>ssc@up.ac.za</u>, or by visiting the Student Accounts division in the Student Service Centre.

**Note:** Payments made at the cashiers will be activated on the same day, but EFT and other payment options will take longer to reflect on your student account.

# Contact informationTel+27 (0)12 420 3111Emailssc@up.ac.za

11.5 Food outlets

Note: There are coffee kiosks in the Law Building and the Merensky 2 Library on the Hatfield Campus.

Food outlet	Contact i	nformation
Adler's	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 362 8854 Akanyang Building (previously Huis en Haard), Hatfield Campus
Adler's	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 842 3577 Arena Building, Mamelodi Campus
Adler's Kiosk	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 362 8854 Law Building, Hatfield Campus
Artisan Café	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 2854 South Campus Town Square Next Building 5
Artisan Coffee bar and Kiosk	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 2854 Next to the Rautenbach Hall (below the Aula), Hatfield Campus
Campus Halaal Foods	Tel Address	+27 (0)76 939 7300 Student Centre, Hatfield Campus
Cozy Coffee	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 2854 IT Building Atrium and Merensky 2 Library, Hatfield Campus
CPR Café	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 329 1612 HW Snyman Building, Prinshof Campus
Crisp Health Café	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 356 3031 (Prinshof Campus) Tšwelopele Building, Prinshof Campus Klinikala Building, Kalafong
Electro Media	Tel Address	+27 (0)74 211 9999 Student Centre, Hatfield Campus
Groenkloof Dine	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 5853 Letlotlo Building Groenkloof Campus
Groenkloof Hub	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 5611 Building No 10, Groenkloof Campus
Haloa Coffee Shop, Hatfield Campus	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 4992 Engineering Tower, Hatfield Campus
Haloa Coffee Shop, Groenkloof Campus	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 5962 Opposite Aldoel Building (next to Bookmark), Groenkloof Campus
Haloa Coffee Shop, Prinshof Campus	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 319 2376/+27 (0)60 654 8480 Opposite Aldoel Building (next to Bookmark), Prinshof Campus
Lucky Bread	Tel Address	+27 (0)72 721 0878 Student Centre, Hatfield Campus
Piazza Foods	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 362 3128 Student Centre, Hatfield Campus
Pure Café	Tel Address	+27 (0)10 021 0281 Building 18, Old Club House, Hatfield Campus
Steers Tukkies	Tel Address	+27 (0)12 420 3242 Next to the Rautenbach Hall (below the Aula), Hatfield Campus
Tenz Express (Minimarket and Light food offering)	Tel Address	+27 (0)72 850 1986 Akanyang Building (previously Huis en Haard), Hatfield Campus

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Food outlet	Contact information
Vida e Caffé	Juan KrugerTel+27 (0)73 488 6602Emailjuank@caffe.co.zaAddressAkanyang Building (previously Huis en Haard), Hatfield Campus
Vida e Caffé	Juan KrugerTel+27 (0)73 488 6602Emailjuank@caffe.co.zaAddressJavett Art Square, Hatfield Campus

## 11.6 Legal aid

## Services rendered by the University of Pretoria

### Law Clinic

Attorneys, candidate attorneys and students render a variety of services. These services are, however, only available to individuals who qualify in terms of a means test. Only persons with a gross income of less than R7 000 per month whose immovable and/or movable assets are valued at less than R700 000 are eligible for assistance. The Law Clinic provides much-needed legal aid to the indigent, who have very little chance of obtaining these services from private practitioners.

#### The Law Clinic

- does not conduct any consultations telephonically or by email (an appointment must be made at the offices of the Law Clinic); and
- does not charge any fees for professional services rendered to clients (clients are only liable to pay for their disbursements, such as sheriff's fees).

### Contact information (Hatfield office)

Tel	+27 (0)12 420 4155
Email	francina.ngidi@up.ac.za
Address	University of Pretoria Law Clinic, 1107 South Street, Hatfield
Office hours	Mondays to Fridays: 08:00–16:00 (office closed between 13:00 and 14:00)
	Saturdays: Closed

#### Contact information (Hammanskraal office)

Tel	+27 (0)66 107 4280
Email	moipone.kgoathe@up.ac.za
Website	www.up.ac.za/up-law-clinic-home-page/article/23723/contact-us
Address	Old BNDC building (Dr Makibelo's Building), Hammanskraal
Office hours	Mondays to Fridays: 08:00–16:00 (office closed between 13:00 and 14:00)
	Saturdays: Closed







The Department of Library Services proudly hosts a cuttingedge academic research library network that spans across the University of Pretoria's six campuses. Our services are meticulously tailored to align with the diverse faculties of the University and cater to undergraduates, postgraduates, faculty, alumni, and visiting academics. With a keen focus on providing access to global knowledge resources and guided by our dedicated professional staff, our facilities play an integral role in fostering learning, teaching, and research, ensuring inclusivity for students with special needs.

Here are some of the key services offered by the library:

- Access to a vast array of print and electronic collections;
   Specialised information services delivered by our
- Specialised information services derivered by o knowledgeable information specialists;
   Comprehensive support with assignments for
- undergraduate students, both in-person and online;
- An easily accessible online reference service;
- Tailored assistance with research-related matters for postgraduate students;
- Weekly training sessions conducted both online and inperson;
- Convenient wireless hotspots for connectivity;
- User-friendly search engines for electronic journals, books, and databases;
- Subject-specific guides to aid your research journey;
- Access to our institutional repository, UPSpace;
- A dedicated research data repository, Figshare;
- A diverse collection of audio-visual materials to enrich your studies;
- Have 24/7 access to our study centers, conveniently located at the Merensky 2 Library, Education Library, and the Medical Library.

For your convenience, we offer self-service options, including self-checkout for library materials, user-friendly information kiosks, a straightforward booking system, and self-paced library training courses on plagiarism and research available through clickUP. Additionally, you can access online resources, manage your library account, renew materials, or make inquiries via the 'Library' option in the UP mobile application.

The <u>Research Commons</u>, located on the Hatfield, Groenkloof, and Onderstepoort Campuses, offers dedicated spaces where fully registered Master's and PhD students, research fellows, and UP staff can conduct research and seek assistance with research-related challenges.

The <u>MakerSpace</u>, situated in the Merensky 2 Library, serves as an open innovation hub for all registered staff and students. Equipped with resources such as 3D printing, 3D scanning, electronic microcontroller kits, and access to various software packages, the MakerSpace encourages collaboration and innovation, with technical experts on hand to help bring your creative ideas to life.

The XR Toybox in the Medical Library allows students to overlay virtual objects into the real-world environment, seamlessly blending the physical and digital realms, providing an immersive and innovative learning experience.

Our <u>Scholarly Communications Services</u> encompass various areas such as research data management, journal publishing services, research visibility and impact assessment, copyright clearance services, research output metadata management, and support for Open Access publishing.

Furthermore, our library offers an array of supplementary services, including document <u>binding</u> (e.g., theses and journals), digitisation on demand, and interlending, allowing access to documents unavailable within our library from other institutions.

At the Department of Library Services, we are committed to providing you with the tools, resources, and support you need to excel in your academic journey.



## 12.1 Campus libraries and spaces

Basic Medical Sciences and Dentistry Library (Prinshof Campus)	Education Library (Groenkloof Campus)	
Tel+27 (0)12 319 2905Emailsagren.naidoo@up.ac.zaAddressFaculty of Health SciencesBasic Medical Sciences Building9 Bophelo Road, Gezina	Tel+27 (0)12 420 5536Emailclara.ngobeni@up.ac.zaAddressMedia Building cnr George Storrar Drive and Leyds Street Groenkloof	
Medical Library (Prinshof Campus)	Jotello F Soga Library (Onderstepoort Campus)	
Tel+27 (0)12 356 3181Emailkabelo.kgarosi@up.ac.zaAddressFaculty of Health SciencesHealth Sciences Building31 Bophelo RoadGezina	Tel+27 (0)12 529 8007/8/9Emailmyleen.oosthuizen@up.ac.zaAddressFaculty of Veterinary ScienceArnold Theiler Building, Onderstepoort CampusOld Soutpan Road (M35)Onderstepoort	
Klinikala Library (Kalafong Academic Hospital)	Mamelodi Library (Mamelodi Campus)	
Tel+27 (0)12 373 1031Emailasia.matlala@up.ac.zaAddressKlinikala Building Klipspringer Road Atteridgeville	Tel+27 (0)12 842 3566Emailjacob.mothutsi@up.ac.zaAddresscnr Hinterland Street and Solomon Mahlangu Drive Mamelodi	
Merensky 2 Library (Hatfield Campus)	Music Library (Hatfield Campus)	
Tel         +27 (0)12 420 2235/6 or +27 (0)12 420 3150           Mobile         +27 (0)66 509 1285 (WhatsApp)           Email         library.enquiries@up.ac.za           Address         Department of Library Services           Lynnwood Road         Hatfield	Tel+27 (0)12 420 2317/2069Emailisobel.rycroft@up.ac.zaAddressDepartment of Library ServicesMusaionLynnwood RoadHatfield	
Oliver R Tambo Library—Law Library (Hatfield Campus)	MakerSpace	
Tel+27 (0)12 420 6737Emailaudrey.lenoge@up.ac.zaAddressLaw BuildingLynnwood RoadHatfield	Tel+27 (0)12 420 3791Emailmakerspace@tuks.co.zaAddressRoom 3-14, Merensky 2 LibraryDepartment of Library ServicesLynnwood RoadHatfield	
Special Collections		
Tel+27 (0)12 420 2808Emailnikki.haw@up.ac.zaAddressLevel 5, Merensky 2 LibraryDepartment of Library ServicesLynnwood RoadHatfield		
<ul> <li>Each library provides access to:</li> <li>More than 588 998 e-books</li> <li>More than 655 371 print books</li> <li>170 332 e-Journals</li> <li>232 print journal subscriptions</li> <li>26 016 research articles and 18 553 theses and dissertations on UPSpace (the University's institutional repository)</li> <li>3 736 items on the Figshare data repository</li> </ul>		



## 12.2 Campus Library hours

All libraries are closed on public holidays, but operating hours are extended during the examination periods. For more information, visit <a href="https://up-za.libcal.com/hours">https://up-za.libcal.com/hours</a>.

### **Contact information**

Website	https://library.up.ac.za
Facebook	UP Library Services
Twitter	@UPLibrary
Instagram	@UPLibrary
YouTube	UPLibrary

## 12.3 Printing and copying services

#### **Student Computing Services Labs**

• Students may make use of the printing facilities in the Student Computing Services Labs.

- Credits are used for printing, photocopying and scanning at the libraries, copy centres and student computing IT facilities.
- Credits can be purchased at any of the copy centre cashiers located on the various campuses.
- Enquiries regarding credits and activations can be made at the copy centres and student computing IT facilities.

#### **Copy Centres**

Purchase credits for printing, photocopying and scanning

#### Address Student Centre, Hatfield Campus

#### Library

- To make photocopies or prints, or scan documents in the library, deposit money into your student printing account at the cash box in the foyer of the Merensky 2 Library or into cash boxes where available (not at the Student service Centre).
- Clients must register their unique PINs associated with their student printing accounts. You will be prompted for this PIN at the
  machine from which you want to print, copy or scan. If you have forgotten your PIN, you can reset it on your Printing Portal or
  ask for assistance at the Copy Centre or the information desk in the library.

#### Contact information

**Tel** +27 (0)12 420 2210

## 3D printing facilities to all students in the Library MakerSpace

 Tel
 +27 12 420 3791

 Email
 makerspace@tuks.co.za





## 13.1 Emergency numbers

24-hour Operational Management Centre+224-hour Operational Manager+2

+27 (0)12 420 2310/2760 +27 (0)83 654 0476

All medical incidents need to be reported to the above numbers for assistance and activation of an ambulance, where necessary.

## 13.2 Crisis line (24 hours)

The 24-hour crisis line offers professional and confidential support to students experiencing trauma. Students who fall victim to crimes such as robbery, assault, rape, sexual abuse and hijacking, and those experiencing other forms of trauma, receive professional support.

 Crisis line
 +27 (0)80 000 6428 (toll-free)

 UP Counselling Careline
 +27 (0)80 074 7747

## 13.3 Safety tips

- Stranger danger: Do not stop for strangers, especially when walking alone. Do not hand over your cell phone to a stranger to make a call.
- Stay alert: Criminals target individuals who appear distracted. Stay alert and maintain situational awareness of your surroundings and any suspicious persons.
- Safety in numbers: Walk in groups, especially at night and avoid isolated areas when you are alone.
- Walk with a purpose: Be focused when walking. Walk facing oncoming traffic and be aware of cars doing u-turns or circling too close to you.
- Safeguard your portable electronic devices: Do not walk in the street with your cell phone in your hand. Ensure that your cell phone/ laptop/ other devices are in your bag.
- Report incidents: Report all criminal/ suspicious incidents to our department (the number can be found on the back of your student card).

## 13.4 Use of the Green Route

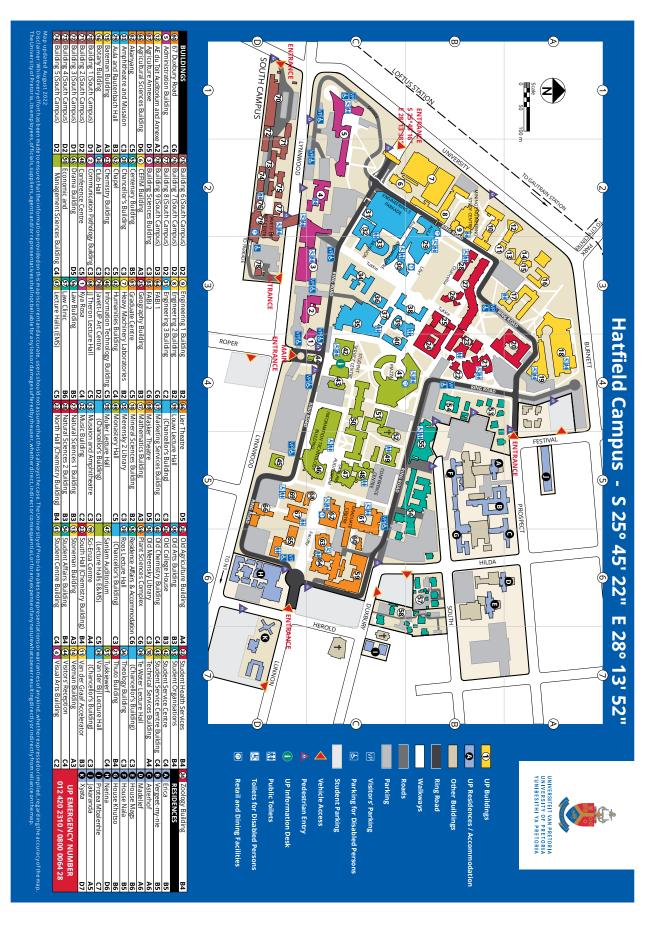
The Green Route Project makes specific provision for students and staff members to be accompanied when walking to and from official residences, UP accredited private residences and vehicles after 18:00. Security officers from the Department of Security Services daily accompany students and staff members on foot between 18:00 and 06:00. Any security officer at an entrance gate can be approached to request this service.

## 13.5 Lost property

Lost property is handed in, and enquiries can be made at the 24-hour Operational Management Centre (eastern entrance) of the Department of Security Services in the Administration Building on the Hatfield Campus.

## 🛐 14. UP CAMPUS MAPS

UP campus maps are available at www.up.ac.za/maps.



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