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Advanced copy-editing: African languages 758 (AFT 758)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	20.00
Programmes	BAHons African Languages BAHons Applied Language Studies BAHons Translation and Professional Writing
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	African Languages
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

Advanced copy-editing with specialisation in an African language – isiNdebele, isiZulu, Sepedi or Setswana. The module develops and refines language-editing skills further, using a variety of literary and other texts. Students are further familiarised with the grammar rules and current spelling rules of the four African languages concerned, namely isiZulu/isiNdebele/Sepedi or Setswana respectively, and are given ample opportunity to hone their editing skills by applying these rules to unedited texts in these languages.

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