

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## Leadership and group dynamics 712 (AGV 712)

<b>Qualification</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	20.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BAgricHons Extension</a> <a href="#">BAgricHons Rural Development</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	1 lecture per week, 1 discussion class per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Agric Econ, Ext + Rural Dev
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Year

### Module content

Nature, philosophy and objectives of Extension. The group as channel and instrument in extension; definitions and characteristics of groups; group formation; theories regarding the functioning of groups; group norms; group goals; small group techniques; rural groups and their engagement; definitions and theories of leadership; behaviour and attitude in group work; the extensionist as professional leader; group analysis in group context and process; training of leaders. Conflict resolution, mediation and negotiation. Ethics in extension and agricultural development. Management in extension; Strategic planning; functions of management.

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