



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

Climate and weather of Southern Africa 164 (WKD 164)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	8.00
Programmes	BEd Intermediate Phase Teaching BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching BA Extended Programme BA Humanities BA Languages Languages BA Law BA Option: Sport and Leisure in Society BA Option: Sport and Recreation Management BA Option: Sports Coaching Science BA Option: Sports Psychology BHCSoc Heritage and Cultural Tourism BPolSci International Studies BSc Applied Mathematics BSc Chemistry BSc Environmental Sciences BSc Extended programme - Physical Sciences BSc Geography BSc Geoinformatics BSc Geology BSc Mathematical Statistics BSc Mathematics BSc Physics
Service modules	Faculty of Education Faculty of Humanities



Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Geography, Geoinf + Meteor
Period of presentation	Quarter 4

Module content

An introduction to the climate and general seasonal climatic circulation patterns of Southern Africa. Basic weather types and weather processes within the Southern African context. Interpretation of synoptic maps and synoptic station reports. Impacts of climate change and extreme climate events on society.

*BSc (Geography) and BSc (Environmental Sciences) students may register for WKD 155. Students are not allowed to earn credits for both WKD 155 and WKD 164.

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