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Geographic information systems introduction 221 (GIS 221)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	12.00
Programmes	BA Humanities BA Languages BA Sport and Leisure Studies Sport and Leisure in Society BPolSci International Studies BSocSci Heritage and Cultural Tourism BSc Engineering and Environmental Geology BSc Geography BSc Geology BSc Plant Science
Prerequisites	Prohibited combination GGY 283
Contact time	2 lectures per week, 1 practical per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Geography, Geoinf + Meteor
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

*GIS 221 does not lead to admission to any module at 300 level.

Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS), theoretical concepts and applications of GIS. The focus will be on the GIS process of data input, data analysis, data output and associated technologies. This module teaches students to use GIS as a tool.

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