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## Information and communications technology law 420 (KUB 420)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Law</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	10.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BSc Information and Knowledge Systems</a>
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	5 practicals per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Mercantile Law
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 2

### Module content

\*For LLB

- (a) Introduction to the study of information and communications technology law:
  - The place of information and communications technology law in the legal system
  - The nature and scope of information and communications technology law
  - Sources of information and communications technology law
  - Inception and influence of the Internet
- (b) Regulation of the Internet:
  - National/International
  - Jurisdiction
- (c) Aspects of intellectual property law and the Internet
- (d) E-commerce activities and the Internet:
  - Aspects of jurisdiction and signing of contracts
  - Data protection and encryption
  - Liability of Internet service providers
- (e) Advertising and the Internet
- (f) Criminal liability in information and communications technology law
- (g) Constitutional aspects in information and communications technology law:
  - The right to privacy/freedom of expression/information



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