University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

MECI (10258241)

Duration of study	2 years
Total credits	180
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Admission requirements

- A candidate must be in possession of an applicable four-year professional bachelor's degree or an equivalent qualification.

Contact department before application.

Additional requirements

Also consult General Regulations.

Other programme-specific information

Refer to the study guide available on request from the Centre for Augmentative and Alternative Communication for information on the subdivisions of specific modules.

Examinations and pass requirements

(i) A minimum of 50% is required to pass in a module, and all modules must be passed before the degree will be conferred.

(ii) The nature and frequency of examinations will be determined by the head of department in conjunction with the programme supervisor.

Second examinations

Second examinations or regrouping of work assignments will take place within two weeks or a month after conclusion of the examination in which the student failed.

Promotion to next study year

A student must pass the first year of study for admission to the second year of study. Participation as described in the study guide is a requirement for promotion to the second year of study.

Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction on a student who has obtained an average of at least 75% in all the modules.

Curriculum: Year 1

Minimum credits: 90

Core modules

Critical theoretical analysis in ECI 801 (ECI 801)

Module credits	90.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Year

Curriculum: Year 2

Minimum credits: 60

Core modules

Core concepts in philosophy and mental health 881 (FEG 881)

Module credits	10.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 other contact sessions per week, 2 lectures per week, 2 seminars per week, 1 web-based period per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and Semester 2

Philosophy of science and mental health 882 (FEG 882)

Module credits	10.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 web-based period per week, 2 lectures per week, 2 seminars per week, 2 other contact sessions per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and Semester 2

Philosophy of mind and mental health 883 (FEG 883)

Module credits	10.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 seminars per week, 2 lectures per week, 2 other contact sessions per week, 1 web-based period per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and Semester 2

Ethics, values and mental health 884 (FEG 884)

Module credits	10.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 seminars per week, 2 other contact sessions per week, 1 web-based period per week, 2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English is used in one class

Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Semester 1 and Semester 2

Dissertation: Philosophy and ethics of mental health 890 (FEG 890)

Module credits	140.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Psychiatry
Period of presentation	Year

Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 30

Fundamental modules

Child health 860 (ECI 860)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 5 other contact sessions per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Communication pathology 861 (ECI 861)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Education psychology 862 (ECI 862)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Nursing science 863 (ECI 863)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 other contact sessions per week, 1 discussion class per week, 5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Occupational therapy 865 (ECI 865)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Physiotherapy 866 (ECI 866)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 web-based periods per week, 1 discussion class per week, 5 other contact sessions per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Severe disability 867 (ECI 867)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Social work 868 (ECI 868)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 5 web-based periods per week, 2 other contact sessions per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Audiology 869 (ECI 869)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.

Contact time	5 web-based periods per week, 2 other contact sessions per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	CAAC
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Nutrition care 864 (VSG 864)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 2 other contact sessions per week, 5 web-based periods per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Human Nutrition
Period of presentation	Semester 1

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