

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

## BScAgricHons Crop Science (02241004)

**Minimum duration of study** 1 year

**Total credits** 135

### Programme information

The MSc degree is conferred on the grounds of a dissertation and such additional postgraduate coursework as may be prescribed.

#### Renewal of registration

As long as progress is satisfactory, renewal of the registration of a master's student will be accepted for the second year of the study. Registration for a third and subsequent years will only take place when the Student Administration of the Faculty receives a written motivation that is supported by the relevant head of department and Postgraduate Studies Committee.

#### General

Candidates are required to familiarise themselves with the General Regulations regarding the maximum period of registration and the requirements on the submission of a draft article for publication.

### Admission requirements

The admission requirement is a BScAgric (Applied Plant and Soil Sciences) degree or equivalent qualification, or an appropriate BSc degree after consultation with the Head of Department. A South African equivalent aggregate mark of 60% is required for all the modules taken in the final year of undergraduate studies. Students are selected on merit.

### Other programme-specific information

Electives can be chosen out of the modules listed or any other 700-module that is presented in the Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences, chosen in consultation with the Head of Department of Plant and Soil Science.

### Pass with distinction

The BScHons degree is awarded with distinction to a candidate who obtains a weighted average of at least 75% in all the prescribed modules and a minimum of 65% in any one module.



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## Curriculum: Final year

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Core credits: 60

Elective credits: 75

### Core modules

[Research project in crop science 701](#) (PGW 701) - Credits: 30.00

[Scientific communication 702](#) (PGW 702) - Credits: 15.00

[Research methodology 704](#) (PGW 704) - Credits: 15.00

### Elective modules

[Crop production systems \(I\): Field crops 785](#) (AGR 785) - Credits: 15.00

[Crop production systems \(II\): Vegetable crops 786](#) (AGR 786) - Credits: 15.00

[Crop physiology 761](#) (APS 761) - Credits: 15.00

[Plant nutrition, soil biology and soil fertility 773](#) (GDK 773) - Credits: 15.00

[Fruit tree crops 780](#) (HSC 780) - Credits: 30.00

[Environmental biophysics 750](#) (LKM 750) - Credits: 15.00

[Plant production: Herbicides and control 712](#) (PPR 712) - Credits: 15.00

[Agroforestry 713](#) (PPR 713) - Credits: 15.00

[Rangeland management 781](#) (WDE 781) - Credits: 15.00

[Pasture science 782](#) (WDE 782) - Credits: 15.00

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