

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

PhD (Agronomy) (02260803)

Department	Plant Science
Minimum duration of study	2 years
Total credits	360
NQF level	10

Programme information

This programme is coordinated in the Department of Plant and Soil Science.

In addition to further theoretical studies as prescribed by the head(s) of the relevant department(s), the study will involve a doctoral research thesis under guidance of a supervisor selected by the head of department. The supervisor will be a member of the Faculty staff.

Admission requirements

- 1. MScAgric (Agronomy) degree or relevant research master's degree
- 2. At least 60% for the research component at master's level

Note: Additional modules may be required in order to reach the desired level of competency

Additional requirements

In addition to meeting the admission requirements, a research proposal should accompany the application form. Selection of students will be based on academic performance, the written research proposal, available supervisory capacity and research project funding.

Other programme-specific information

Depending on the academic background of the student and the chosen area of study, it may be required of the student to do additional coursework.



Curriculum: Year 1

Minimum credits: 360

Core modules

Thesis: Agronomy 990 (AGR 990) - Credits: 360.00



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 360

Core modules

Thesis: Agronomy 990 (AGR 990) - Credits: 360.00

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