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## Practical plant identification 786 (BOT 786)

<b>Qualification</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	10.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BScHons Biotechnology</a> <a href="#">BScHons Option: Medicinal Plant Science</a> <a href="#">BScHons Plant Science</a> <a href="#">BScHons Wildlife Management</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	BSc with first year Botany/Plant Science
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week, 2 practicals per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Plant and Soil Sciences
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

Principles of identification, classification and nomenclature; identification of plants; family recognition; collection of plant specimens for identification; herbarium as a source of information. Variation in seed plants and breeding systems. Practical work involves an excursion.

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