

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## Information and knowledge management 825 (GIE 825)

<b>Qualification</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Gordon Institute of Business Science</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	4.50
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	12 contact hours per semester
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Gordon Institute of Business S
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1 or Semester 2

### Module content

The objective of this course is to introduce the value and role information have as a critical management resource, and the implications for business strategy and operations. In addition, participants will examine key issues in the fields of information and knowledge management strategy development and implementation, governance and service delivery. You will improve your understanding of the challenges and opportunities of leveraging investments in information technology and systems and gain a greater appreciation of the strategic nature of information, systems and how to use them for competitive advantage in your organisation. Finally, you will learn how strategic technology and systems choices will affect your organisation's capacity to compete.

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