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## Information science: Digital repositories 340 (INL 340)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	30.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BIS Information Science</a> <a href="#">BSc(Computer Science) Computer Science</a> <a href="#">BPolSci Political Studies</a>
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Humanities
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	3 lectures per week, 3 practicals per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Information Science
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 2

### Module content

This module deals with the construction and management of digital repositories. It also addresses the characteristics of the digital repository in a rapidly changing technological world and a challenging information society. Core aspects include: system design, relationships to hybrid libraries, digital collections and rights management, standards, virtual referencing and the development and evaluation of digital repositories.

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