



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

Practical training 415 (MPY 415)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
Module credits	16.00
Programmes	BEng Mechanical Engineering BEng Mechanical Engineering Engage
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 other contact session per week
Language of tuition	Both Afr and Eng
Academic organisation	Mechanical and Aeronautical En
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

During or at the end of the third year of study, students in Mechanical Engineering undergo prescribed practical training in the industry. The purpose is the execution of small projects on engineering assistant level with exposure to the various relevant functions in the organisation. The duration is at least six weeks. A case study on occupational health and safety must be done in this period and submitted to the department together with a satisfactory report on the practical training within one week of registration. Students must also attend two (2) industry visits in the first semester and two (2) industry visits in the second semester as well as attend at least six (6) guest lectures through the year.

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