

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## Topology 790 (WTW 790)

<b>Qualification</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	15.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BScHons Mathematics</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Real analysis on third-year level
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Mathematics and Applied Maths
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 2

### Module content

General topology: Concepts such as convergence, compactness, connectedness, separation axioms and continuity are introduced in topological spaces. Their basic properties are treated. Important topologies like the product topology and the quotient topology are discussed.

Algebraic topology: Homotopy, the fundamental group, covering spaces, homotopy type.

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