
University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

BHCSHons History (01243104)

Duration of study 1 year

Total credits 120

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Admission requirements

- A bachelor's or BA degree.
- An average of at least 60% in the final-year subjects (or as approved by the head of department).

Other programme-specific information

Some modules are being alternated; consult with the programme manager on which will be presented this year.

Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

Fundamental modules

Theory and methodology 713 (GES 713)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

A study of theoretical and methodological aspects.

Research report: History 770 (GES 770)

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A research report which gives the learner the opportunity to undertake primary historical research.

Core modules

Historiography 701 (GES 701)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

A study of trends and schools of thought in the South African and Western writing of history.

South African history 704 (GES 704)



Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

A theme from the history of South Africa.

African history 705 (GES 705)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Aspects of the history of modern Africa.

Socio-cultural history of South Africa 714 (GES 714)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

Aspects of the socio-cultural history of South Africa.

World history 715 (GES 715)

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Historical and Heritage Stud



Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

Aspects of the history of the modern world.

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