

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## MScAgric Food Science and Technology (03250261)

**Duration of study** 2 years

**Total credits** 180

### Programme information

The degree is conferred based on a dissertation and other requirements as prescribed by the department.

#### Residence

On the recommendation of the head of department, the Dean may set specific residential requirements for the MScAgric degree.

#### Renewal of registration

As long as progress is satisfactory, renewal of the registration of a master's student will be accepted for the second year of the study. Registration for a third and subsequent years will only take place when the Student Administration of the Faculty receives a written motivation which is supported by the head of department and Postgraduate Studies Committee.

#### Curriculum

Subject to programme-specific requirements, the curriculum for the MScAgric degree consists of the following:

- A dissertation; and
- Further study in the major subject/s, augmented by ancillary modules prescribed by the Postgraduate Studies Committee, on the recommendation of the head of department. Such ancillary modules may be taken simultaneously with the major subject/s. Candidates in possession of the BScAgricHons degree may be exempted from additional ancillary modules.

#### General

Candidates are required to familiarise themselves with the General Regulations regarding the maximum period of registration and the requirements on the submission of a draft article for publication.

### Admission requirements

BScAgric or equivalent degree.

### Examinations and pass requirements

- The examinations in the ancillary modules should be successfully completed prior to, or simultaneously with, the examinations in the major subject/s, unless the Faculty Board decides otherwise.
- General Regulation G.12.2 applies to the calculation of marks.
- In order to obtain the MScAgric degree, the candidate must pass all prescribed modules, including the examination in the major subject/s, as well as the dissertation.

## Research information

Candidates must write a dissertation on their research project in Food science and/or Food technology and at least a concept research paper for publication in a peer-reviewed scientific journal.



## Curriculum: Year 1

### Core modules

#### Dissertation: Food science 890 (FST 890)

<b>Module credits</b>	180.00
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Food Science
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Year

#### Module content

Each candidate must write a dissertation on his/her research project in Food science and/or Food technology and at least a concept research paper for publication in a peer-reviewed scientific journal.

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## Curriculum: Final year

### Core modules

#### Dissertation: Food science 890 (FST 890)

<b>Module credits</b>	180.00
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Language of tuition</b>	English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Food Science
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Year

#### Module content

Each candidate must write a dissertation on his/her research project in Food science and/or Food technology and at least a concept research paper for publication in a peer-reviewed scientific journal.

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