

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

MDiet Dietetics (10259001)

Duration of study

2 years

Programme information

The master's degree is conferred by virtue of a dissertation (DEK 890) on an approved topic based on research.

Admission requirements

- Subject to the stipulations of General Regulation G.62 students must hold a recognised honours degree in Dietetics/Human Nutrition and be registered as a dietician with the Health Professions Council of South Africa.
- At least one year of full-time practical experience after acquiring the qualification in terms of which admission to master's degree study is sought.
- Students are selected on the grounds of previous academic achievement.

Additional requirements

(TNM 800) Applied research methodology 800 or an equivalent module must be passed.

Examinations and pass requirements

A minimum pass mark of 50% is required for the dissertation.

Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction on a student who obtains at least 75% in the dissertation.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Dissertation: Dietetics 890 (DEK 890)

Module credits 240.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Language of tuition Double Medium

Academic organisation Human Nutrition

Period of presentation Year

Applied research methodology 800 (TNM 800)

Module credits 5.00

Prerequisites BOS 870

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation School of Health Syst & Public

Period of presentation Year

Module content

*Attendance module only



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Dissertation: Dietetics 890 (DEK 890)

Module credits 240.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Language of tuition Double Medium

Academic organisation Human Nutrition

Period of presentation Year

Applied research methodology 800 (TNM 800)

Module credits 5.00

Prerequisites BOS 870

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation School of Health Syst & Public

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