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Archaeology of Southern Africa 210 (AGL 210)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Humanities](#)

Module credits 20.00

Programmes [BA Humanities](#)

[BA Languages](#)

[BSocSci Heritage and Cultural Tourism](#)

Prerequisites AGL 110, 120(GS)

Contact time 2 lectures per week, 2 tutorials per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Academic organisation Anthropology and Archaeology

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Southern African Stone Age, Iron Age, Pastoralism, and Historical Archaeology are the main topics discussed. What types of people were making ESA, MSA, and LSA, when did hominids first leave Africa, southern African rock art, the origins of livestock herding, the development and decline of complex societies in southern Africa, and postcolonial approaches in archaeology are some of the focus areas.

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