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Aspects of the law of trusts 802 (AVT 802)

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| Qualification | Postgraduate |
| Faculty | Faculty of Law |
| Module credits | 30.00 |
| Prerequisites | No prerequisites. |
| Contact time | 2 lectures per week |
| Language of tuition | Afrikaans and English is used in one class |
| Academic organisation | Private Law |
| Period of presentation | Semester 1 or Semester 2 |

Module content

- (a) The basic trust-idea and the importance thereof in the formation and administration of trusts
- (b) The trust and other legal institutions; anomalies in the law of trusts
- (c) Essentialia of the trust with the emphasis on problems identified in case law
- (d) The juridical construction of the inter vivos trust – a critical evaluation
- (e) The protection of trust beneficiaries with specific reference to the so-called “core elements” of the trust
- (f) Parties to the trust
- (g) The trust and taxation
- (h) The trust as instrument in estate planning

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