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Environmental theory 110 (OML 110)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 6.00

Programmes BSc Architecture

BSc Interior Architecture

BSc Landscape Architecture

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Afrikaans and English is used in one class

Academic organisation Architecture

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Introductory contextualisation of twentieth century artefacts within the framework of history from Antiquity to Modernity. Building types as artefacts of material culture. Approaches and guidelines to the study of history of the environment. Understanding of the process of endemic construction and its monumentalisation, settlement and urbanisation of various ages and environments. An interdisciplinary investigation of living spaces as shapers of social interaction. The history of the environment of the Mediterranean Antique, Bronze Age, Classical and Biblical societies.

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