

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

## Public law 410 (PBL 410)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Law</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	10.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">LLB</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	3 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Public Law
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

\*For LLB

Introduction to criminal law:

- (a) Criminal law and the legal system
- (b) Criminal law and law of delict
- (c) The concepts "criminal law" and "crime"
- (d) The history and sources of our criminal law
- (e) Determinism and indeterminism
- (f) The purpose and function of the criminal law and crime
- (g) The classification of criminal law and crimes

General principles of criminal law: elements of criminal liability:

- (a) Legality
- (b) The deed
- (c) Unlawfulness
- (d) Capacity
- (e) Fault
- (f) Multiple defences

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