

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

## Research methods in science education 881 (SCE 881)

<b>Qualification</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	15.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">MSc Environmental Education (Coursework)</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Module is presented in English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Centre for Science Development
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

The purpose of this course is to:

- Be exposed to the discipline of Educational Research
- Understand research concepts, principles and methods
- Obtain skills such as: the formulation and definition of a research problem, the use of literature to obtain an in depth understanding of a problem, the design of the research protocol, the interpretation of research results to draw conclusions about a research problem.

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