

# Universiteit van Pretoria Jaarboek 2017

## PhD Ekonomie (07267052)

**Duur van studie** 2 jaar

**Totale krediete** 360

### Programinligting

Sommige van hierdie inligting is slegs in Engels beskikbaar.

The PhD (Economics) programme is a research degree, requiring the completion of supervised as well as independent research resulting in peer-reviewed publication. Students interested in pursuing the PhD (Economics)-degree programme are expected to have completed the equivalent of the MPhil (Economics) programme, including advanced topics courses. Students who have not completed the required courses, can still be considered for the degree, but will be required to either complete the necessary courses, as part of a bridging arrangement, or register for the MPhil in Economics.

Alle nagraadse programme word nie elke jaar aangebied nie. Kontak asseblief die betrokke fakulteit oor die aanbieding van hierdie program.

### Addisionele vereistes

#### Capacity limitations

- The supervision of postgraduate students is a time-consuming process, and, therefore, the Department reserves the right to limit the amount of students accepted into the programmes.
- All reasonable measures will be undertaken to ensure that students who meet the minimum requirements are accepted.
- In the event that department capacity cannot accommodate the number of students who meet the minimum requirements, the Department will rank students according to the above averages, and the top performing students will be admitted to the programme, up to the limit of department teaching and supervision capacity.

#### Additional information

- All students accepted into the programme will be required to attend an intensive Mathematics and Statistics session. At the end of this session, students will be required to write an exam. Those students who fail the exam and those who did not attend the abovementioned session will be deregistered from the programme. The Department will also reserve the right to request that those students who have failed or did not attend the Mathematics and Statistics session enrol for appropriate modules before they will be allowed to continue with the doctoral programme.
- Students who have not completed a full year of Microeconomics, Macroeconomics and Econometrics as part of their master's studies, may be considered for the programme, but they will be required to complete additional modules, as recommended by the Department of Economics.
- All students will be expected to work in a research area that is relevant to current staff capabilities. The Department of Economics reserves the right to not admit suitable candidates, should their research interests can not be accommodated by staff supervision capacity.
- The Department of Economics is serious about the need to develop students from previously disadvantaged

backgrounds, and, therefore, the Department will allocate additional marks, allowing for an increase in the average of up to two percentage points, to South African students from previously disadvantaged backgrounds.

- The Department of Economics also accepts that it has a responsibility to provide its own students with a seamless educational experience, and, therefore, the Department will allocate additional marks, allowing for an increase in the average of up to one percentage point, to students who previously studied at the University of Pretoria.

The Dean has the right of authorisation regarding matters not provided for in the General Regulations or the Faculty regulations.

Due to capacity constraints, there are not an intake of new students every year. It remains the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the degree they wish to apply for, will indeed be offered.

## Ander programspesifieke inligting

EBW 801 is a prerequisite for the thesis (EKN 995) and the module does not carry any credits. The thesis contributes 100% towards the total requirements for the degree.

## Eksamens en slaagvereistes

The thesis should be passed in accordance with the stipulations of Regulations G.52 and G.60.2.2, as well as a compulsory module in Research Methodology.

## Navorsing

At least one chapter from the thesis must (at the very least) be submitted for publication before the degree can be awarded. Furthermore, students are expected to defend both their proposal and their final thesis; they are strongly encouraged to present their findings on a continuous basis within the department's seminar series.



## Kurrikulum: Jaar 1

Minimum krediete: 360

### Kernmodules

#### Proefskrif 995 (EKN 995)

<b>Modulekrediete</b>	360.00
<b>Voorvereistes</b>	Slegs vir PhD Ekonomie studente
<b>Onderrigtaal</b>	Aparte klasse vir Engels en Afrikaans
<b>Akademiese organisasie</b>	Ekonomie
<b>Aanbiedingstydperk</b>	Jaar

#### Navorsingsmetodiek 801 (EBW 801)

<b>Modulekrediete</b>	0.00
<b>Diensmodules</b>	Fakulteit Natuur- en Landbouwetenskappe
<b>Voorvereistes</b>	Geen voorvereistes.
<b>Kontaktyd</b>	1 lesing per week
<b>Onderrigtaal</b>	Aparte klasse vir Engels en Afrikaans
<b>Akademiese organisasie</b>	EWB Dekanskantoor
<b>Aanbiedingstydperk</b>	Jaar

#### Module-inhoud

\*Hierdie inligting is slegs in Engels beskikbaar.

The following broad themes are covered:

- An overview of the research process to be followed and the outcomes required of postgraduate students;
- Foundational skills for postgraduate students;
- What is research?;
- What is a theory and how can I ensure that my study makes a clear theoretical contribution?;
- An overview of the structure of a research proposal;
- Identifying and evaluating possible research topics;
- Delineating the scope of a study;
- Writing a literature review;
- Choosing an appropriate inquiry strategy (research approach) for a study;
- Writing the research design and methods section of a research proposal.



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## Kurrikulum: Finale jaar

**Minimum krediete: 360**

### Kernmodules

#### Proefskrif 995 (EKN 995)

**Modulekrediete** 360.00

**Voorvereistes** Slegs vir PhD Ekonomie studente

**Onderrigtaal** Aparte klasse vir Engels en Afrikaans

**Akademiese organisasie** Ekonomie

**Aanbiedingstydperk** Jaar

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Die inligting wat hier verskyn, is onderhewig aan verandering en kan na die publikasie van hierdie inligting gewysig word.. Die [Algemene Regulasies \(G Regulasies\)](#) is op alle fakulteite van die Universiteit van Pretoria van toepassing. Dit word vereis dat elke student volkome vertrou met hierdie regulasies sowel as met die inligting vervat in die [Algemene Reëls](#) sal wees. Onkunde betreffende hierdie regulasies en reëls sal nie as 'n verskoning by oortreding daarvan aangebied kan word nie.