



# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2018

## Social work theory 120 (MWT 120)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Humanities](#)

**Module content** Part 1: Social work intervention: Individual and group  
Characteristic features of the helping relationship; the communication process; basic interpersonal skills and exploring skills in social work intervention with individuals.  
Different types of groups; group dynamics; leadership and basic skills for group leaders in social work intervention with groups.  
Part 2: Family development and assistance  
Families: The life cycle of the family, tasks and behaviour of the members of the family. The focus is on the social, economic, religious and cultural diversity of families and causes of family disorganisation.

**Module credits** 12.00

**Programmes** [BA](#)

[BA Extended programme](#)

[BA Languages](#)

[BSW](#)

**Prerequisites** No prerequisites.

**Contact time** 1 discussion class per week, 2 lectures per week

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Social Work and Criminology

**Period of presentation** Semester 2

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