

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

## Botany 220 (JPK 220)

Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	10.00

Undergraduate

**Prerequisites** No prerequisites.

**Contact time** 2 lectures per week, 2 practicals per week

**Language of tuition** Separate classes for Afrikaans and English

**Department** Science Mathematics and Technology Education

**Period of presentation** Semester 2

## **Module content**

**Oualification** 

## Ecology

Biodiversity. Principles of plant geography, biomes, floristic kingdoms of the world. Southern African flora: composition, relationship with other floras, endemism, Southern African biomes, garden plants, invaders. Ecology: ecosystem, energy flow, production, trophic levels, foodstuff cycles, dynamics, vegetation, human and ecology, pollution, relationships between organisms. Environmental factors: Abiotic component. – Soil, light, water, temperature, fire, wind. Biotic component. Nature conservation. Techniques.

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