



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

BSocSciHons Heritage and Cultural Tourism (01243024)

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 120

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Admission requirements

- A bachelor's degree with an average of at least 65% in the appropriate major.



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

Elective Modules

Select one module.

Core modules

Trends in heritage and cultural tourism 752 (EFK 752)

Module content:

Development of the concept heritage and cultural tourism, fields of research, approaches, different research methods.

Module credits 30.00

Service modules Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Historical and Heritage Studies

Period of presentation Year

Tourism research and methodology 754 (EFK 754)

Module content:

Development of the concept heritage and cultural tourism, fields of research, approaches, different research methods.

Module credits 20.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Historical and Heritage Studies

Period of presentation Semester 1

Research report: Heritage and cultural tourism 757 (EFK 757)

Module content:

A research report on an aspect of heritage and cultural tourism.

Module credits 30.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.



Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Historical and Heritage Studies
Period of presentation	Year

Cultural tourism 758 (EFK 758)

Module content:

Cultural-anthropological interest in tourism. Tourism and identity construction. Tourism as a form of pilgrimage, imperialism and globalisation. Tourism and sustainable development.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Historical and Heritage Studies
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Elective modules

Archaeology 751 (AGL 751)

Module content:

Advanced archaeological theory

In-depth, participative seminar-style examination of the function of archaeological theory and its development globally and in Africa. Covers cutting-edge theoretical developments such as landscape, gender and agency. Students will also be taught core-research skills to enhance critical thinking and evaluation.

Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Anthropology and Archaeology
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Current issues in archaeology 753 (AGL 753)

Module content:

This module will cover a range of contemporary issues in archaeology, ranging from the emergence of social complexity and state systems in southern Africa, to the understanding of material culture in the archaeological record. The module content is intended to be dynamic, reflecting contemporary trends and emerging issues, whilst being anchored in the core research themes and specialities of the Department.



Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	AGL 751
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Anthropology and Archaeology
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Politics of identity 756 (APL 756)

Module content:

Globalisation and localisation. Multiculturalism and its multiple meanings. Politics of identity in the postmodern age of neo-liberal capitalism.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 other contact session per week, 2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Anthropology and Archaeology
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

Contemporary ethnography 761 (APL 761)

Module content:

The production of ethnographic texts, reflexivity in ethnographic writing, postmodernism, contemporary concerns about ethnographic texts and the “crisis of representation”. A critical reading of three recent ethnographies.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week, 1 other contact session per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Anthropology and Archaeology
Period of presentation	Quarter 1 or 2 or 3 or 4

South African history 704 (GES 704)

Module content:

A theme from the history of South Africa.

Module credits	20.00
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Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Historical and Heritage Studies
Period of presentation	Semester 2

African history 705 (GES 705)

Module content:

Aspects of the history of modern Africa.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Historical and Heritage Studies
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Responsible ecotourism management 714 (TBE 714)

Module content:

This module focuses on managing ecotourism (including the natural and cultural resource base) following eco-principles and guidelines in order to provide a framework for sustainable/responsible tourism development in response to community needs within the Southern African context. The concepts of ecotourism, alternative tourism, responsible tourism and geotourism are debated. The management of ecotourism is studied from a theoretical perspective addressing issues such as the planning, design and sustainable development of eco-facilities and spaces; co-creation and the experienced tourist; the greening of the environment; and managing sustainable events; against the backdrop of climate change using local, national and international case studies. The aim is to provide students with a holistic perspective of ecotourism and to hone their entrepreneurial view to issues within this arena in order to apply sustainable eco-principles to various situations, ranging from green architectural structures and spaces to sustainable community and pro-poor tourism projects.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 other contact session per week, 1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Division of Tourism Management
Period of presentation	Semester 1



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