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# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

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## MSocSci Sociology (Coursework) (01253031)

**Minimum duration of study** 1 year

**Total credits** 180

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### Admission requirements

- An honours degree in Sociology, Industrial Sociology or a directly related social science is required.
- A minimum average of at least 70% for this degree is required.

### Additional requirements

- SOC 751 and SOC 756 or equivalent modules in research methodology and social theory are required.
- Prospective students may have to submit an admissions essay or sit for an examination or do additional modules to enable them to reach the desired level of study.
- An acceptable level of proficiency in English or Afrikaans is required.
- Students with an average between 68% and 70% could be considered for admission under special conditions. Apply to the programme manager.

### Other programme-specific information

- Choose one of the following core modules: SOC 857, SOC 859 or SOC 860.
- Choose one elective module.
- SOC 857, SOC 859 and SOC 860 may be chosen as elective when not already selected as a core module.
- Not all modules are offered in any given year. Please contact the programme manager in this regard.



## Curriculum: Final year

### Core modules

- SOC 895 Mini-dissertation: Sociology  
SOC 812 Advanced research methodology

*Select One of the following:*

- SOC 857 Globalisation and development  
SOC 859 Identity, culture and society  
SOC 860 Civil society and state

### Elective modules

*One of the following:*

- GNR 852 Gender studies  
SOC 830 Managing Conflict  
SOC 857 Globalisation and development\*\*  
SOC 858 The sociology of South Africa  
SOC 859 Identity, culture and society\*\*  
SOC 860 Civil society and state\*\*  
SOC 861 Gender, family and households  
SOC 862 Sociology of work and organisations

### **Note:**

\*\*When not already selected as a core module

## Core modules

- Advanced research methodology 812 (SOC 812) - Credits: 30.00  
Globalisation and development 857 (SOC 857) - Credits: 30.00  
Identity, culture and society 859 (SOC 859) - Credits: 30.00  
Civil society and the state 860 (SOC 860) - Credits: 30.00  
Mini-dissertation: Sociology 895 (SOC 895) - Credits: 90.00

## Elective modules

- Gender studies 852 (GNR 852) - Credits: 30.00  
Managing conflict in the workplace 830 (SOC 830) - Credits: 30.00  
Globalisation and development 857 (SOC 857) - Credits: 30.00  
The sociology of South Africa 858 (SOC 858) - Credits: 30.00  
Identity, culture and society 859 (SOC 859) - Credits: 30.00  
Civil society and the state 860 (SOC 860) - Credits: 30.00  
Gender, family and households 861 (SOC 861) - Credits: 30.00  
Sociology of work and organisations 862 (SOC 862) - Credits: 30.00

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