



University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

Postgraduate Diploma Theology and Ministry (06220002)

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 120

Programme information

The Postgraduate Diploma (Theology and Ministry) aims to offer advanced theological knowledge and practical skills that meet the needs of the ministry. Church-specific training and formation are offered in co-operation with the church partners involved.

Admission requirements

Subject to General Regulations, the three year BTh or four year BDiv degree, or a qualification on at least SAQF Level 7, is required for admission.

Additional requirements

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Examinations and pass requirements

- i. Examinations are scheduled according to the examination timetable set by the Dean.
- ii. The supplementary examinations will take place according to a timetable set by the Dean.
- iii. A student will be allowed to a supplementary examination in a maximum of three modules. The examination will take place according to a timetable set by the Dean.

Pass with distinction

The diploma is conferred with distinction on a student who obtains a weighted average of 75% (GPA) in all the prescribed modules provided that not one module had been failed previously and that the programme was completed within the minimum prescribed period.



Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

All modules must be taken

Core modules

Dogmatics and Christian ethics 760 (DCE 760)

Module content:

The doctrinal and ethical dimensions of church history.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 1 seminar per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Department	Systematic and Historical Theology
Period of presentation	Year

Science of religion and missiology 760 (GSW 760)

Module content:

Church ministry from the perspective of science of religion and missiology.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 seminar per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Department	Systematic and Historical Theology
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Church history and church polity 760 (KGS 760)

Module content:

Church historical and church polity dimensions of the church ministry.

Module credits	20.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 seminar per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Department	Systematic and Historical Theology



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New Testament studies 760 (NTW 760)

Module content:

The position and meaning of the New Testament in church ministry.

Module credits	20.00
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Prerequisites	GRK 210 and GRK 220
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Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 1 seminar per week
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Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
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Department	New Testament and Related Literature
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Period of presentation	Year
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Old Testament studies 760 (OTW 760)

Module content:

The position and meaning of the Old Testament in church ministry.

Module credits	20.00
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Prerequisites	HEB 210 and HEB 220
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Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 1 seminar per week
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Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
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Department	Old Testament and Hebrew Scriptures
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Period of presentation	Year
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Practical theology 760 (PRT 760)

Module content:

The practical theological perspective of church ministry.

Module credits	20.00
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Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
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Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 1 seminar per week
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Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
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Department	Practical Theology
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Period of presentation	Year
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