

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

MIT ICT Information Science (12254016)

Minimum duration of study

2 years

Total credits

180

Programme information

This degree programme is presented in English only.

Also consult G Regulations G.30 to G.54

The curriculum is determined in consultation with the programme organiser.

A student will have to apply to the Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology if he/she requires more than three years to complete the degree.

Admission requirements

- i. Subject to the stipulations of Gen. Reg. G.1.3, G.30 and G.62, an appropriate honours or bachelor's degree is a requirement for admission.
- ii. A pass mark in Mathematics at grade 12 level or another qualification in Mathematics, Statistics or Mathematical Statistics, which the Chairperson of the School of Information Technology considers to be sufficient.
- iii. Sufficient appropriate practical experience in the technology field in the opinion of the Chairperson of the School of Information Technology.
- iv. The Chairperson of the School of Information Technology may impose additional requirements for admission. In particular, this will apply to candidates with insufficient academic background in Information Technology.
- v. Selection of candidates will take place.
- vi. The result of the selection is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Other programme-specific information

Discontinuation of studies

The Dean may, on the recommendation of the admissions committee, cancel the studies of a student who fails more than one module. A module may only be repeated once.

Deregistration of modules

Deregistration of modules is only allowed before the early deadline.

Examinations and pass requirements

A minimum semester mark of 40% is required in order to be admitted to the final examinations in all the prescribed modules of the degree. A final mark of 50% is required to pass all coursework modules and the minidissertation.



Pass with distinction

The degree is conferred with distinction on students who have obtained at least 75% for the mini-dissertation and a minimum of 75% weighted average final mark for the coursework modules.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Web trends in the library 865 (MIT 865) - Credits: 8.00

Digital repositories 866 (MIT 866) - Credits: 8.00

The knowledge society and international librarianship 867 (MIT 867) - Credits: 8.00 Facilitating information retrieval and information use 868 (MIT 868) - Credits: 8.00

IT systems in libraries 869 (MIT 869) - Credits: 8.00 Knowledge management 872 (MIT 872) - Credits: 8.00 Network technologies 873 (MIT 873) - Credits: 6.00

Organisational behaviour and leadership 875 (MIT 875) - Credits: 6.00

Strategic ICT management 876 (MIT 876) - Credits: 5.00

IT Research 879 (MIT 879) - Credits: 8.00



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Computer science in perspective 874 (MIT 874) - Credits: 6.00

ICT project management 877 (MIT 877) - Credits: 5.00 IT financial management 878 (MIT 878) - Credits: 6.00

Mini-dissertation 880 (MIT 880) - Credits: 90.00

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