

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

International relations 310 (IPL 310)

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| Qualification | Undergraduate |
| Faculty | Faculty of Humanities |
| Module credits | 30.00 |
| Programmes | BAdmin Public Management and International Relations BA BA Law BPolSci International Studies BPolSci Political Studies BSocSci Industrial Sociology and Labour Studies BSocSci Philosophy, Politics and Economics |
| Service modules | Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences |
| Prerequisites | PTO 101, IPL 210(GS), 220(GS) |
| Contact time | 3 lectures per week |
| Language of tuition | Module is presented in English |
| Department | Political Sciences |
| Period of presentation | Semester 1 |

Module content

International political economy

The nature and functioning of the international contemporary political-economic order are analysed against the background of the process of globalisation. The focus is on the interaction of political and economic trends and issues such as the economic importance and political impact of regional trade blocs; the debt burden of states; international aid; the role and influence of multinational corporations; and the transfer of technology to less-developed countries; the rise of new economic powers in the Global South; and global economic governance.

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