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# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

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## Foundations of education 401 (FOE 401)

**Qualification** Postgraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Education](#)

**Module credits** 8.00

**NQF Level** 07

**Programmes** [PGCE Foundation Phase Teaching](#)

[PGCE Further Education and Training Teaching](#)

[PGCE Intermediate Phase Teaching](#)

[PGCE Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching](#)

**Prerequisites** As per PGCE entrance requirements.

**Contact time** 24 lectures per year, 4 tutorials per year

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Humanities Education

**Period of presentation** Year

### Module content

FOE 401 introduces the study of education and its foundations. Students are guided in the exploration of philosophers in education such as Rousseau, Pestalozzi, Montessori, Gandhi, Steiner, Dewey, Piaget, Vygotsky, Illich, Freire and Lakoff. A dissecting look at the historic and futuristic trends that impacts change in education.

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