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Principles of quantitative research 803 (GIG 803)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Gordon Institute of Business Science
Module credits	16.00
NQF Level	09
Programmes	MPhil with specialisation in Evidence-based Management
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	16 contact hours
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Gordon Institute of Business Science
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

This module aims to expose students to a number of key topics related to quantitative research methodology with the purpose of equipping students with the ability and skills to successfully execute a quantitative research project. More specifically the module intends to provide students with an understanding of the philosophies underlying quantitative research, a selection of research methods used to collect primary data for a quantitative research study and to ensure that they are able to draw a sample to collect quantitative data from respondents. The module also attempts to equip students with the ability to develop a conceptual model in order to illustrate the proposed relationships between variables and equip students with skills to analyse quantitative data.

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