

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

## Information science 140 (INL 140)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology](#)

**Module credits** 12.00

**NQF Level** 05

**Programmes** [BIS Information Science](#)

[BIS Multimedia](#)

[BIS Publishing](#)

[BIT Information Systems](#)

[BA Visual Studies](#)

[BPolSci Political Studies](#)

**Service modules** Faculty of Humanities

**Prerequisites** No prerequisites.

**Contact time** 1 practical per week, 3 lectures per week

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

**Department** Information Science

**Period of presentation** Semester 2

### Module content

Information and communication technology. This module offers a brief overview of hardware and software, telecommunications technology, LANs, WANs and intranets, the information highway, the internet and the World Wide Web, computer ethics, ICTs, e-commerce, mobile computing technology and the influence that new trends and developments have on the distribution of information.

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