

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

BSocSciHons Philosophy, Politics and Economics (01243027)

Department Humanities

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 120

NQF level 08

Admission requirements

1. BSocSci degree in Philosophy, Politics and Economics **or** relevant bachelor's degree with specialisation in Philosophy, Politics and Economics
2. A weighted average of at least 70% in each of Philosophy, Political Science and Economics, at final-year level **or** a weighted average of at least 65% in each of Philosophy, Political Science and Economics, at final-year level. In this case, conditional admission will be allowed until Ethics and Social Philosophy module (FIL 711) is passed with at least 65%
If 65% is not achieved for FIL 711: The student may be offered the option of transferring to the BAHons (Philosophy) degree

Other programme-specific information

Apart from the core modules, one module each should be selected from the current honours curriculum of the departments of Philosophy and Political Sciences and two modules should be selected from the current honours curriculum in the Department of Economics.

Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

Electives

Choose ONE module from the discipline: **Philosophy**

FIL 710, FIL 712, FIL 713

Choose ONE module from the discipline: **Political Science**

PTO 751, IPL 751, IPL 753

STL 752, STL 753, STL 754

Choose TWO modules from the discipline: **Economics**

EKT 713, 723, MEK 780, MEK 781, MIE 780, MIE 781

Core modules

[Ethics and social philosophy 711](#) (FIL 711) - Credits: 20.00

[Research report: Philosophy, Politics and Economics 714](#) (FIL 714) - Credits: 30.00

Elective modules

[Econometrics 713](#) (EKT 713) - Credits: 15.00

[Econometrics 723](#) (EKT 723) - Credits: 15.00

[History of philosophy 710](#) (FIL 710) - Credits: 20.00

[Contemporary philosophy 712](#) (FIL 712) - Credits: 20.00

[Current theme/debate 713](#) (FIL 713) - Credits: 20.00

[International political economy 751](#) (IPL 751) - Credits: 20.00

[Foreign policy 753](#) (IPL 753) - Credits: 20.00

[Macroeconomics 780](#) (MEK 780) - Credits: 15.00

[Macroeconomics 781](#) (MEK 781) - Credits: 15.00

[Microeconomics 780](#) (MIE 780) - Credits: 15.00

[Microeconomics 781](#) (MIE 781) - Credits: 15.00

[African and regional politics 751](#) (PTO 751) - Credits: 20.00

[Political policy studies 752](#) (STL 752) - Credits: 20.00

[South African politics 753](#) (STL 753) - Credits: 20.00

[Comparative politics 754](#) (STL 754) - Credits: 20.00

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