

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

MA Augmentative and Alternative Communication (01252133)

Department Augmentative and Alternative Communication

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 180

NQF level 09

Admission requirements

1. Bachelor's degree in Speech-Language Pathology (NQF level 8) **or** BAHons Augmentative and Alternative Communication degree **or** relevant honours degree provided that sufficient background in severe communication disability and research is evident, in which case an admissions examination may be required
2. A weighted average of at least 65% at final-year level of the previous relevant qualification
3. A weighted average of at least 65% in the research module of the previous qualification

Additional requirements

- An acceptable level of proficiency in English or Afrikaans is required.
- An approved research proposal is also required.

Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Dissertation: AAC 890 (AAK 890)

Module credits	180.00
NQF Level	09
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Centre for Augmentative and Alternative Communicat
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A dissertation based on independent research on a topic related to the field of augmentative and alternative communication, selected in collaboration with a supervisor. The dissertation should be based on an approved research proposal and ethics clearance. Use of computer programs for data analysis and report writing is required.

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