

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

PhD Politics (01264629)

Department Political Sciences

Minimum duration of

study

2 years

Total credits 360

NQF level 10

Admission requirements

1. Master's degree in Political Sciences **or** relevant master's degree

2. A weighted average of at least 70% for the research component of the master's degree

Additional requirements

• An acceptable level of proficiency in English or Afrikaans is required.

• An approved research proposal is also required.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Thesis: Politics 990 (PTO 990)

Module credits 360.00

NQF Level 10

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Political Sciences

Period of presentation Year

Module content

A research thesis, based on independent research done by the student on an approved topic in the broad field of politics, is written under the guidance of a supervisor. The essence of the thesis is to provide proof of independent research and to make a contribution to the field of politics.



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Thesis: Politics 990 (PTO 990)

Module credits 360.00

NQF Level 10

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Political Sciences

Period of presentation Year

Module content

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