

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

PhD Public Administration and Management (07267113)

Department	School of Public Management and Administration
Minimum duration of study	2 years
Total credits	360
NQF level	10

Programme information

All postgraduate programmes are not offered every year. Please consult the relevant faculty concerning the presentation of this programme.

(See General Regulations G.42 to G.54)

Admission requirements

1. Relevant master's degree
2. A cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the master's degree

Additional requirements

Candidates will only be considered for admission to the PhD (Public Administration and Management) if the Postgraduate Committee of the School of Public Management and Administration is convinced that the applicant has the necessary expertise to complete the required seminars successfully and has gained sufficient research knowledge on the master's level to conduct research for and complete a doctoral thesis.

The Dean has the right of authorisation regarding matters not provided for in the General Regulations or the Faculty regulations. Due to capacity constraints, there is not an intake of new students every year and if offered, only limited numbers can be accommodated. It remains the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the degree they wish to apply for, will indeed be offered.

Other programme-specific information

PAD 990: Thesis Public Administration and Management in accordance with the General Regulations of the University of Pretoria applying at the time of registration.

Research information

Proof of submission of an article to an accredited journal on the thesis topic is required as part of the graduating process.



A thesis is submitted to the Head: Student Administration, before the closing date for the various graduation ceremonies as announced annually.

Curriculum: Year 1

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Core modules

Thesis: Public administration and management 990 (PAD 990)

Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of Public Management and Administration
Period of presentation	Year



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Thesis: Public administration and management 990 (PAD 990)

Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of Public Management and Administration
Period of presentation	Year

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