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Labour relations 320 (ABV 320)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	20.00
NQF Level	07
Programmes	BCom
	BCom (Human Resource Management)
	BEng (Industrial Engineering)
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	BSocSci (Industrial Sociology and Labour Studies)
	BConSci (Food Retail Management)
	BConSci (Hospitality Management)
	BScAgric (Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Management)
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
	Faculty of Humanities
	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Human Resource Management
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

The theoretical basis of Labour Relations

In this section the basic concepts, historical context and theoretical approaches to the field of labour relations will be discussed. The institutional framework in which labour relations operates, will be addressed with particular emphasis on the structural mechanisms and institutional processes. The service relationship that forms the basis of labour relations practices, will also be analysed.

Labour Relations practice

In this section students are taught the conceptual and practical skills related to practice aspects such as handling of grievances, disciplining, retrenchments, collective bargaining, industrial action and dispute resolution.

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