

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

Social welfare law 110 (WRG 110)

| Qualification | Undergraduate |
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| Faculty | Faculty of Law |
| Module credits | 7.00 |
| NQF Level | 07 |
| Programmes | BSW |
| Contact time | 2 lectures per week |
| Language of tuition | Module is presented in English |
| Department | Private Law |
| Period of presentation | Semester 1 |

Module content

This module is designed to introduce students to some of the legal aspects of particular importance to social workers. The module includes the following components: An introduction to law in general including an overview of the sources of law, the South African court system, the legal profession, legal aid and the procedural law; the law of persons, with specific reference to the commencement and termination of legal subjectivity and the legal status of a person; an introduction to the criminal law and punishment and the role of the social worker in the criminal process.

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