
University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

Bachelor of Music Honours (01242013)

Department School of the Arts

Minimum duration of study 1 year

Total credits 120

NQF level 08

Admission requirements

Closed - departmental selection

- Three-year degree in music or similar qualification with 65% average score
- Audition for music proficiency
- Written entrance examination to determine music theory level and academic writing skills.

Additional requirements

Completion of an admissions test.

Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

Elective modules

Select two elective modules.

Core modules

Arts research and methodology 700 (SOA 700)

Module credits	40.00
NQF Level	08
Prerequisites	Admission into the programme.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A research report on an approved topic.

Elective modules

Music communication practice 701 (MCS 701)

Module credits	40.00
NQF Level	08
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	4 lectures per week, 6 practicals per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Music communication practice focuses on practical musical skills for facilitating music groups in varied contexts, African music, working as a community musician and developing skills to advise on the use of music in media and marketing. Students enrolled for MCS 701 must take MCS 702.

Music communication theory 702 (MCS 702)

Module credits	40.00
NQF Level	08
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.



Contact time	4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
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Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Music communication theory covers innate musicality, musicing, music and identity, community music, social institutions and movements, group theory and music in media and marketing. Students enrolled for MCS 702 must take MCS701.

General music studies 702 (MUW 702)

Module credits	40.00
NQF Level	08
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Choose any one module from the BMus fourth year electives.

General music studies 703 (MUW 703)

Module credits	40.00
NQF Level	08
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	School of the Arts
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

Choose any one module from the BMus fourth year electives.

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