

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

PhD (Criminology) (01264262)

Department	Social Work and Criminology
Minimum duration of study	2 years
Total credits	360
NQF level	10

Admission requirements

- 1. Master's degree in Criminology or relevant master's degree
- 2. A cumulative average of at least 70% for the master's degree



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Thesis: Criminology 990 (KRM 990)

Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Social Work and Criminology
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

A subject chosen by the learner is researched independently. The nature of the study should be such that a significant contribution can be made to existing scientific knowledge in the field of criminology. A comprehensive and advanced report on an approved project must be compiled. Other requirements: Expert, highly specialised and advanced research, both across the major discipline and interdisciplinary. Planning, resourcing, managing, and optimising all aspects of processes engaged in, within complex and unpredictable contexts. The utilisation of computer programmes for analysis and/or report writing is assumed as well as scientific leadership.



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

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Module credits	360.00
NQF Level	10
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Social Work and Criminology
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