

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

PhD (Sociology) (01264593)

Department Sociology

Minimum duration of study 2 years

Total credits 360

NQF level 10

Admission requirements

1. Relevant master's degree
2. In the case of a coursework master's degree, the research component must comprise at least 50% of the degree and there should be a minimum mark of 70% for the mini-dissertation
3. A weighted average of at least 70% for the master's degree
4. An admissions essay may be required

Note: Additional work/modules may be required in order to reach the desired level of competency

Additional requirements

- Prospective students may have to submit an admissions essay or sit for an examination or do additional modules to enable them to reach the desired level of study.
- An acceptable level of proficiency in English or Afrikaans is required.
- An approved research proposal is also required.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Thesis: [Sociology 990](#) (SOC 990) - Credits: 360.00

Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Thesis: [Sociology 990](#) (SOC 990) - Credits: 360.00

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