

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

## PhD (Politics) (01264629)

**Department** Political Sciences

**Minimum duration of study** 2 years

**Total credits** 360

**NQF level** 10

### Admission requirements

1. Master's degree in Political Sciences **or** relevant master's degree
2. A weighted average of at least 70% for the research component of the master's degree

### Additional requirements

- An acceptable level of proficiency in English or Afrikaans is required.
- An approved research proposal is also required.



## Curriculum: Year 1

**Minimum credits: 360**

### Core modules

#### Thesis: Politics 990 (PTO 990)

**Module credits** 360.00

**NQF Level** 10

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Political Sciences

**Period of presentation** Year

#### Module content

A research thesis, based on independent research done by the student on an approved topic in the broad field of politics, is written under the guidance of a supervisor. The essence of the thesis is to provide proof of independent research and to make a contribution to the field of politics.

## Curriculum: Final year

**Minimum credits: 360**

### Core modules

#### Thesis: Politics 990 (PTO 990)

**Module credits** 360.00

**NQF Level** 10

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Political Sciences

**Period of presentation** Year

#### Module content

A research thesis, based on independent research done by the student on an approved topic in the broad field of politics, is written under the guidance of a supervisor. The essence of the thesis is to provide proof of independent research and to make a contribution to the field of politics.

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