

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

MSc (Sports Medicine) (Coursework) (10253141)

Department	Orthopaedics
Minimum duration of study	2 years
Total credits	180
NQF level	09

Programme information

In accordance with the stipulations of the General Academic Regulations G30-G41, the MSc degree is conferred by virtue of an examination, or an examination and a dissertation, or an examination and an essay, or a dissertation.

Note:

All MSc students must register for, and attend (TNM 802) Applied research methodology 802 satisfactorily. (Exemption may be granted if the module has already been passed for the BScHons degree.)

All the stipulations pertaining to coursework master's degrees and postgraduate studies in accordance with the General Academic Regulations apply. Subject to the stipulations of the General Academic Regulations, the Chairperson of the School in question may, in consultation with the relevant head of department, approve a fixed limited extension of the period on the grounds of extraordinary circumstances.

Admission requirements

- 1. MBChB (or equivalent) degree **or** relevant medical degree with modules equivalent to at least the first year of the MBChB degree
- 2. Registration as a physician with the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA)

Examinations and pass requirements

(aa) Examinations in the basic subjects FSG 880, SAN 880 and DTE 880 will take place at the end of the first semester.

(bb) The examination will comprise a two-hour written paper, with a subminimum of 40% required in the written examination. To pass in a module, a minimum final mark of 50% is required.

(cc) Should a student fail one of the basic subjects, he or she may be allowed to repeat the examination at the end of the second semester.

(dd) Examinations (two papers of 3 hours each, an oral and a practical), as well as the mini-dissertation, may only take place/be submitted after completion of the basic subjects.



Pass with distinction

The MSc (Sports Medicine) will be conferred with distinction on students who obtain a mark of at least 75% in both the mini-dissertation (SGN 896) and SGN 800 Sports medicine.



Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Sports nutrition 880 (DTE 880) - Credits: 12.00 Sports physiology 880 (FSG 880) - Credits: 12.00 Sports anatomy 880 (SAN 880) - Credits: 12.00 Sports medicine 800 (SGN 800) - Credits: 30.00 Sports medicine 802 (SGN 802) - Credits: 24.00 Mini-dissertation: Sports medicine 896 (SGN 896) - Credits: 90.00 Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802) - Credits: 0.00

The regulations and rules for the degrees published here are subject to change and may be amended after the publication of this information.

The General Academic Regulations (G Regulations) and General Student Rules apply to all faculties and registered students of the University, as well as all prospective students who have accepted an offer of a place at the University of Pretoria. On registering for a programme, the student bears the responsibility of ensuring that they familiarise themselves with the General Academic Regulations applicable to their registration, as well as the relevant faculty-specific and programme-specific regulations and information as stipulated in the relevant yearbook. Ignorance concerning these regulations will not be accepted as an excuse for any transgression, or basis for an exception to any of the aforementioned regulations.