

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2023

Conservation in practice 875 (ZEN 875)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences

Module credits 30.00

NQF Level 09

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 other contact session per week, 4 discussion classes per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Zoology and Entomology

Period of presentation Year

Module content

Conceptual issues in the management of small populations; captive propagation; control of invasive species; control of problem populations; restoration of species and communities; conservation education, and involvement of local communities in conservation programmes; monitoring techniques and data handling; design and interpretation of laboratory and field experiments to solve ecological and conservation problems.

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