

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2024

Professional orientation 120 (JPO 120)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 8.00

NQF Level 05

Programmes BEng (Chemical Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Civil Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Computer Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Electrical Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Electronic Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Industrial Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Mechanical Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Metallurgical Engineering) 5-year programme

BEng (Mining Engineering) 5-year programme

Prerequisites A mark of between 45% and 49% for JPO 110 and admission into relevant programme.

Contact time 3 lectures per week, 3 tutorials per week, Foundation Course

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department EBIT Deans Office

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

A project-based approach is followed to equip students with academic and IT skills to succeed within the School of Engineering at UP.

General Academic Regulations and Student Rules

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. The G Regulations are updated annually and may be amended after the publication of this information.

Regulations, degree requirements and information

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

University of Pretoria Programme Qualification Mix (PQM) verification project

The higher education sector has undergone an extensive alignment to the Higher Education Qualification Sub-Framework (HEQSF) across all institutions in South Africa. In order to comply with the HEQSF, all institutions are legally required to participate in a national initiative led by regulatory bodies such as the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET), the Council on Higher Education (CHE), and the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). The University of Pretoria is presently engaged in an ongoing effort to align its qualifications and programmes with the HEQSF criteria. Current and prospective students should take note that changes to UP qualification and programme names, may occur as a result of the HEQSF initiative. Students are advised to contact their faculties if they have any questions.