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FACULTY OF HUMANITIES, SOCIAL SCIENCES AND EDUCATION

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Humanities and Social Sciences Stream

Postgraduate Diploma in Gender Studies

Admission Requirements:

An undergraduate degree or 5 years of working experience on gender issues.

Honours Degree Qualifications

Admission requirements:

The candidate must have a bachelor's degree in any related field.

- Bachelor of Arts Honours in international Relations
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Political Studies
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Theology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Xitsonga
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Sociology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Gender Studies
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Media Studies
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Linguistics
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Anthropology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Archaeology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in African Studies
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Applied Anthropology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in History
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in IsiNdebele
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Siswati
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Psychology
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Tshivenda
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Northern Sotho
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in English Language Teaching
- Bachelor of Arts Honours in English Literature

Masters Degree Qualifications

Admission Requirements

An honours degree with a 65% pass on research, a mini-research proposal, and the student will also be interviewed.

- Master's in Northern Sotho
- Master's in Sociology
- Master's in Tshivenda
- Master's in Xitsonga
- Master's in isiNdebele
- Master's in Siswati
- Master's in Psychology
- Master's in Social Work
- Master's in English Language Studies
- Master's in Linguistics
- Master's in English Literature
- Master's in Anthropology
- Master's Masters in African Studies
- Master's in History
- Master's in International Relations
- Master's in Political Studies
- Master's in Theology
- Master's in Gender Studies
- Master's of Arts (Youth in Development)
- Master's in English Literature (By Research)

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission Requirements:

A master's degree with a 65% pass on research, a mini-research proposal, and the student will also be interviewed:

- Doctor of Anthropology
- Doctor of Archaeology
- Doctor of African Studies
- Doctor of Sociology
- Doctor of History
- Doctor of Northern Sotho
- Doctor of IsiNdebele
- Doctor of Siswati
- Doctor of Theology
- Doctor of Tshivenda
- Doctor of Xitsonga
- Doctor of English Literature
- Doctor of Linguistics
- Doctor of Gender Studies

Education Stream

Honours Degree Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Four-year Bachelor of Education degree

Post Graduate Diploma in Education:

Candidate must have an appropriate diploma or 3 year degree in disciplinary learning in or/and subjects as specified for the Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching.

- Bachelor of Education Honours in Educational Management
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Guidance and Counselling
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Curriculum Studies
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Early Childhood Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Comparative Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Philosophy of Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Inclusive Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Psychology of Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Sociology of Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Life Sciences Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Mathematics Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Chemistry Education
- Bachelor of Education Honours in Physics Education

Master's degree Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Bachelor of Education Honours in Educational Management with 60% of overall Honours marks and research proposals.

- Master of Education in Educational Management
- Master of Education in Curriculum Studies
- Master of Education in Early Childhood Education
- Master of Education in Comparative Education
- Master of Education in Philosophy of Education
- Master of Education in Inclusive Education
- Master of Education in Psychology of Education
- Master of Education in Sociology of Education
- Master of Education in Life Sciences Education
- Master of Education in Mathematics Education
- Master of Education in Chemistry Education
- Master of Education in Physics Education

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Bachelor of Education Honours in Educational Management with 60% of overall Honours marks and research proposal

- Doctor of Education in Educational Management
- Doctor of Education in Guidance and Counselling
- Doctor of Education in Curriculum Studies
- Doctor of Education in Early Childhood Education
- Doctor of Education in Comparative Education
- Doctor of Education in Philosophy of Education
- Doctor of Education in Inclusive Education
- Doctor of Education in Psychology of Education
- Doctor of Education in Sociology of Education
- Doctor of Education in Life Sciences Education
- Doctor of Education in Mathematics Education
- Doctor of Education in Chemistry Education
- Doctor of Education in Physics Education

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

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Postgraduate programmes

Honours Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Candidate should have three (3) years of professional nursing degree with 65% in the major subjects.
• Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Community Nursing Science
• Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Education
• Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Administration
• Bachelor of Nursing Honours in Administration

Master of Public Health

Five streams:

Admission requirements for Master of Public Health Five streams: Candidates must have a four-year professional degree, an honours degree or postgraduate diploma (all in a health-related field) evaluated at NQF level 8. Candidates should have obtained 65% in all modules taken in the final year of the relevant.

• Health Measurement
• Communicable & Noncommunicable Diseases
• Health Education & Health Promotion
• Health Policy and Management
• Occupational & Environmental

Below are the master's qualification admission requirements: Candidate shall have passed with 65% overall from the previous degree:

• Master of Nursing
• Master of Science in
• Master in Public Nutrition (Course Work)
• Master of Science in Public Nutrition (Research)

Advanced Diploma in Management:

Candidates should have a BSc/BA degree/ honours degree in a Health-related field and at least 5 years of working experience with sports bodies.

Post Graduate Diploma in Public Health

Admission requirements:

Candidates must have any health-related NQF level 7 qualification with an overall average percentage of 60% in the final year.

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Candidate must have an average of 65% in Master of Psychology.

- Doctor of Nursing
- Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health
- Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health Nutrition
- Doctor of Psychology

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT, COMMERCE AND LAW

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Honours Degree Qualifications

Admission requirements:

To enrol for the degree, a candidate must have an average pass mark of 65% in all 3rd-year modules of the undergraduate.

- Bachelor of Public Administration Honours
- Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Tourism)
- B Com Hons in Accounting
- B Com Hons in Business Information Systems
- B Com Hons in Business management
- B Com Hons in Cost & Management Accounting
- B Com Hons in Economics
- B Com Hons in Human Resource Management

Master's degree Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Candidates will be admitted into the Master's degree if they obtained honours or a four-year professional degree with at least 65% passing.

- Master of Commerce
- Master of Administration
- Master of Public Management
- Master of Commerce in Economics
- MPM in Development Management
- MPM in Municipal Management

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission requirements:

Candidates should have relevant qualifications from undergraduate to maste in the field/discipline. An average 65% pass at Masters is required.

- Doctor of Public Management
- Doctor in Generic
- Doctor of Accounting
- Doctor of Business Information Systems
- Doctor of Business Management
- Doctor of Economics
- Doctor of Public Management
- Doctor of Public Administration
- Doctor of Tourism

Law Stream

Honours Qualifications

Admission requirements:

A graduate with a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice (BA.CRM) of the University of Venda or another recognised University with an academic average of at least 65%.

- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Criminal Justice

Master's Qualifications

Admission requirements: Graduate with an Honours degree from the University of Venda or another recognised University with an academic average of at least 65%.

- Master of Arts in Criminal Justice
- Master of Laws in Human Rights
- Master of Laws

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission Requirements:

A relevant Master's degree or its equivalent is required for admission to study for a Doctoral degree. A student who has obtained a Master's degree from another university or institution must apply for status recognition subject to the prescribed rules.

- Doctor of Philosophy in Law
- Doctor of Philosophy in Criminal Justice & Corrections

FACULTY OF
OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND AGRICULTURE.

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Honours Qualifications

Admission Requirements:

A relevant degree or the equivalent is required for admission to study for an honours degree.

- Bachelor of Arts Honours in Rural Development
- Bachelor of Environmental Sciences Honours
- BSc Hons in Biological Sciences Biochemistry
- BSc Hons in Microbiology
- BSc Hons in Biological Sciences: Zoology
- BSc Hons in Biological Sciences: Botany
- BSc Hons in Chemistry
- BSc Hons in Mathematics
- BSc Hons in Physics
- Bachelor of Environmental Sciences Honours (Ecology and Resource Management specialisation)
- BSc Hons in Mathematics
- BSc Hons in Computer Science
- BSc Hons in Statistics

Master's Qualifications

Admission requirements:

A relevant Honours degree or the equivalent is required for admission to study for the Master's degree.

- Master of Science in Agriculture (Economics)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Animal Science)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Plant Production/Agronomy)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Horticultural Sciences)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Plant Production/Agronomy)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Soil Science)
- Master of Science in Agriculture (Agricultural Mechanisation)
- Master of Arts in Rural Development
- Master of Earth Science
- Masters of Earth Science (Hydrology)
- Master of Environmental Sciences (Geography)
- Master of Environmental Sciences in Ecology and Resource Management

• Master of Urban and Regional Planning
• Master of Chemistry
• Master of Biochemistry
• Master of Microbiology
• Master of Life Sciences: Zoology
• Master of Life Sciences: Botany
• Master of Life Sciences: Statistics
• Master of Life Sciences: Mathematics
• Master of Life Sciences: E-Sciences
• Master of Life Sciences: Physics

Doctoral Qualifications

Admission requirements:

A relevant Master's degree or equivalent is required for admission to study for a Doctoral degree.

• Doctor of Philosophy in Agriculture, Specialization in Agricultural Economics
• Doctor of Philosophy in Agriculture, Specialization in Animal Science
• Doctor of Philosophy in Agriculture, Specialization in Food Science and Technology
• Doctor of Philosophy in Soil Science
• Doctor of Philosophy in Horticultural Science
• Doctor of Philosophy in Plant production/Crop Science Plant production/Crop Science
• Doctor of Philosophy in Rural Development
• Doctor of Philosophy in Geology
• Doctor of Philosophy in Mining
• Doctor of Philosophy in Mining and Environmental Geology
• Doctor of Philosophy in Hydrology and Water Resources
• Doctor of Philosophy in Geography
• Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Sciences
• Doctor of Philosophy in Urban and Regional Planning PhD in Life Sciences: Microbiology
• Doctor of Philosophy in Biochemistry
• Doctor of Philosophy in Life Sciences: Zoology

- Doctor of Philosophy in Life Sciences: Botany
- Doctor of Philosophy in Chemistry
- Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Mathematics
- Doctor of Philosophy in Mathematical Sciences: Statistics
- Doctor of Philosophy in Mathematical Sciences: Mathematics
- Doctor of Philosophy in Physics
- Doctor of Philosophy in Microbiology

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