

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

Trademark law and protection of intellectual property rights 803 (IGZ 803)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Law
Module credits	30.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Double Medium
Academic organisation	Private Law
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

The following aspects will be dealt with:

- (a) Trade Marks Act 194 of 1993
- (b) Merchandise Marks Act 17 of 1941
- (c) Counterfeit Goods Act 37 of 1997
- (d) History of trade mark law
- (e) Relationship between registered trade marks and unregistered trade marks
- (f) Trademark-related international instruments
- (g) Compliance with international instruments.
- (h) Capita selecta including: registrability and validity; infringement; amendment or correction
- (i) Civil remedies for the infringement of intellectual property rights.
- (j) Criminal remedies for the infringement of intellectual property rights.

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