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# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

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## Postgraduate Diploma Heritage and Museum Studies (01223532)

**Duration of study** 1 year

**Total credits** 120

### Programme information

Obtaining a Postgraduate Diploma in Heritage and Museum Studies is strongly recommended in order to apply for any position as professional museologist.

### Admission requirements

A first degree as approved by the programme manager, obtained with an average of at least 55%.

### Other programme-specific information

Museum visits: In the second semester, students will bring visits to a wide variety of museums during which they will receive specialised information from the curators. A report regarding each museum must be submitted.



## Curriculum: Final year

Minimum credits: 120

### Fundamental modules

#### Museum skills 703 (MKD 703)

<b>Module credits</b>	60.00
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Double Medium
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Historical and Heritage Stud
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 2

#### Module content

Collection, documentation, exhibition and conservation.

### Core modules

#### Museum theory and practice 702 (MKD 702)

<b>Module credits</b>	30.00
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Double Medium
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Historical and Heritage Stud
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

#### Module content

Museum administration, museum history, aspects relating to museum theory and practice.

#### Heritage management 704 (MKD 704)

<b>Module credits</b>	30.00
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	2 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Double Medium
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Historical and Heritage Stud
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

#### Module content

The entire spectrum of environment management functions: its influence on the existence and development of cultural resources in the environment.



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