



# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

## Information science 210 (INL 210)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	20.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BIS Information Science</a> <a href="#">BIT Information Technology</a> <a href="#">BSc Computer Science</a> <a href="#">BPolSci Political Studies</a>
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Humanities
<b>Prerequisites</b>	AIM 101 or AIM 102 or AIM 111 and 121
<b>Contact time</b>	3 practicals per week, 3 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Information Science
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

Information seeking and retrieval. This module explores the theory and practice of effective information seeking and retrieval. It builds on supporting research paradigms such as the systems, user-centred, cognitive and socio-cognitive paradigms. The focus is on the complexities of effective information seeking and retrieval within the context of information behaviour on a personal level, as well as in the context of professional, academic or everyday information needs.

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