

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

## Information science: Digital repositories 340 (INL 340)

| Qualification          | Undergraduate  |
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| Faculty                | Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology |
| Module credits         | 30.00  |
| Programmes             | BIS Information Science  |
|                        | BSc Computer Science   |
|                        | BA Visual Studies  |
|                        | BPolSci Political Studies  |
| Service modules        | Faculty of Humanities  |
| Prerequisites          | No prerequisites.  |
| Contact time           | 3 lectures per week, 3 practicals per week                           |
| Language of tuition    | Module is presented in English                                       |
| Department             | Information Science  |
| Period of presentation | Semester 2   |

## Module content

This module deals with the construction and management of digital repositories. It also addresses the characteristics of the digital repository in a rapidly changing technological world and a challenging information society. Core aspects include: system design, relationships to hybrid libraries, digital collections and rights management, standards, virtual referencing and the development and evaluation of digital repositories.

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