

PHD (PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND GOVERNANCE) (P1DPMQ)**NQF LEVEL: 10****NUMBER OF CREDITS: 360****PURPOSE**

The purpose of this qualification is to provide students the tools and skills to effectively and independently apply research methodology skills and all the related activities thereto, to prepare a research proposal, conduct a thesis demonstrating an original contribution to the field of study/discipline, to demonstrate the competencies required for evaluation in order to report the results for academic submission.

RULES OF ACCESS

A student who is in possession of a Master's qualification in Public Management and Governance on NQF LEVEL 9 may apply for admission to this qualification. The Dean of the College of Business and Economics may refuse a student admission to the doctoral qualification if of the opinion that the student's academic background is insufficient for the proposed studies.

FULL-TIME CURRICULUM / PART-TIME CURRICULUM

Refer to the Academic Regulations booklet for applicable regulations on doctorate qualifications. The doctoral study programme comprises a thesis written under supervision that makes an original contribution to the field of Public Management and Governance on a topic selected in consultation with the head of the Department of Public Governance. A doctoral defence (of either the proposal or the thesis) is required in accordance with the regulations of the College of Business and Economics. An article ready for publication on the thesis content or related field is required. The student must confer in advance with the head of the Department of Public Governance about the feasibility of the intended study.

SEMESTER MODULES					
FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF CREDITS	MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF CREDITS
Thesis: Public Management and Governance	PMG10X1	360	Thesis: Public Management and Governance	PMG10X2	360
	1 Semester module	360 Credits		1 Semester module	360 Credits