

School of Public Management, Governance and Public Policy



Postgraduate Programmmes at a glance

DOCTORAL DEGREE

The doctoral 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 Director of the School of Public Management, Governance and Public Policy. A doctoral defence (of either the proposal or the thesis) is required in accordance with the regulations of the College of Business and Economics.

Admission Requirements

A final mark of at least 65% on average for the preceding Master's degree programme in Public Management / Public Administration / Public Governance (or equivalent RPL compliance), as well as a minimum of at least 65% for the 50% or more dissertation required for that Master's programme. An application to enroll for this programme must be accompanied by a research proposal of approximately 20 pages, in a prescribed format available on request from the School, together with guidelines on how to draft the proposal. An article ready for publication in an accredited peer reviewed academic journal on the thesis content or related field is required on completion of the thesis.

MASTERS DEGREE

The Research Master's degree programme comprises a dissertation written under supervision in the field of Public Management and Governance on a topic selected in consultation with the Director of the School of Public Management, Governance and Public Policy.

Admission Requirements

A final mark of at least 65 % for the preceding Honours degree programme in Public Management / Public Administration / Public Governance, or an equivalent RPL qualification or compliance is required in order to be admitted to this programme, as well as a final mark of at least 65% for the preceding Honours level Research Methodology Module and Honours Research Project Essay. An application for this programme must be accompanied by a research proposal of approximately 15 pages, in a prescribed format available on request from the School, together with guidelines on how to draft the proposal. An article ready for publication in an accredited peer reviewed academic journal on the dissertation content or related field is required on completion of the dissertation.

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