

BAHons (African Languages for Professional Contexts)

Programme Code

56472 – 778(120)

Specific Admission Requirements

A BA degree with an African language as major subject or equivalent qualification.

Closing Date for Applications

Apply by **30 November** of the preceding year.

Programme Structure

The programme focuses on professional discourse practices in African languages in multilingual contexts. It focuses specifically on the study of African languages in the related fields of sociolinguistics, communication study, pragmatics, discourse analysis and genre analysis. The programme structure is modular and consists of blocks of on-campus contact sessions and self- study components.

Duration of Programme

The programme extends over one year of study. Lectures begin in the first week of February.

Programme Content

The compulsory modules are presented below. For the research module you write an assignment of 30 credits.

Compulsory Modules

12790 : Professional Discourse in African Languages	771(60)
10037 : Discourse and Pragmatics	772(30)
12791 : Research Assignment (Language Planning and Policy)	773(30)

Assessment and Examination

A system of flexible assessment is used. The final mark is calculated by means of a series of written and oral assessments.

Enquiries

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