# 3.1.14 BComHons (Transport Economics)

## **Admission requirements**

- A BCom or another bachelor's degree that has been approved by Senate for the purpose; and
- Transport Economics at third-year level with an average final mark of at least 60%.

### Selection

The number of students selected can be influenced by, for example, staff capacity and the availability of resources within the Department, as well as academic merit and University transformation objectives. As staff capacity and resources can fluctuate from year to year, the number of students selected can also differ from year to year.

Selection is done primarily on the student's performance in terms of the average percentage achieved for Transport Economics 314 and 348, as well as their overall performance. The Department also considers

research potential as displayed in Transport Economics 348, as well as the applicant's motivation in wanting to pursue postgraduate studies in Transport Economics.

Honours applicants from other universities must, upon request from the Department of Logistics, submit a one-page biography (brief curriculum vitae), proposed research topic and motivational cover letter.

#### Application procedure and closing date

Apply at www.sun.ac.za/pgstudies. For South African applicants, the closing date is **31 October** of the year before your intended studies, and for international applicants, it is **30 September**.

#### Duration, offering type and starting date of programme

**Duration:** One year, full-time. **Starting date:** One week before the other classes at the University begin.

#### **Programme's mode of delivery**

Fully contact (face-to-face).

#### **Enquiries and programme leader**

#### Enquiries

#### Please direct your queries to:

Mr Jacquin Flandorp Programme administrator Department of Logistics Tel: 021 808 3911 E-mail: jacquin@sun.ac.za

Website: www.sun.ac.za/logistics

#### Programme leader

Dr Johann van Rensburg Department of Logistics

#### **Programme content**

You must earn a total of at least 120 credits for this programme.

#### Compulsory modules (75 credits)

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
10911	723	15	Introductory Forecasting	1
11047	775	30	Research Assignment: Transport Economics	Both
13473	711	15	Transport and Economic Development	1
59153	742	15	Urban and Regional Transport Economics	2

#### Elective modules (at least 45 credits)

*Please note:* It may happen that some of the modules listed below will not be offered in a particular year. Please contact the programme leader to find out which modules will be available.

Code	Module	Credits	Module Name	Semester
11275	742	15	Air Transport Economics	2
64017	771	15	Capita Selecta (Transport Economics)	Both
59102	715	15	Competition and Regulation	2
10933	753	15	Forecasting	2
13076	744	15	International Trade Transport Infrastructure and Logistics	2
14024	773	15	Maritime Economics	1
13470	711	15	Rail Economics	2
59145	744	15	Road Transport Management	1

Apart from the modules listed above, any elective module(s) from another department within the Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences may also be selected in consultation with the Chair of the Department of Logistics.

# Postgraduate Programmes

# **1**. General information for all postgraduate programmes

The information in this section applies to most of the postgraduate programmes and is not repeated for each programme, so please read it through carefully. Exceptions and deviations are, however, indicated at the individual programmes.

# 1.1 Postgraduate programmes in the Faculty

The table below lists the postgraduate programmes up to master's level by the department, school or centre where they are offered. The campus or facility is indicated in italics where necessary. All departments, schools and centres also offer a PhD programme. For more on the PhD, see the doctoral section at the end of this chapter.

Africa Centre for Inclusive Health Management					
PGDip (HIV/Aids Management)					
MPhil (HIV/Aids Management)					
Centre for Sustainability Transitions (CST)					
PGDip (Sustainable Development)					
MPhil (Sustainable Development)					
Department of Business Management					
PGDip (Marketing)					
BComHons (Business Management)					
MCom (Business Management)					
Department of Economics					
BComHons (Economics)					
BComHons (Economics and Mathematical Statistics) [with the Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science]					
MCom (Economics)					
Department of Industrial Psychology					
PGDip (Strategic Human Resource Management)					
BComHons (Human Resource Management)					
BComHons (Industrial Psychology)					
MCom (Human Resource Management)					
MCom (Industrial Psychology)					
Department of Logistics					
PGDip (Transport and Logistics)					
BComHons (Logistics Management)					
BComHons (Operations Research)					
BComHons (Transport Economics)					
MCom (Logistics Management)					
MCom (Operations Research)					
MCom (Transport Economics)					
Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science					
PGDip (Actuarial Science)					
BComHons (Actuarial Science)					
BComHons (Economics and Mathematical Statistics) [with the Department of Economics]					
BComHons (Financial Risk Management)					
BComHons (Mathematical Statistics)					
BComHons (Statistics)					
MCom (Actuarial Science)					
MCom (Financial Risk Management)					
MCom (Mathematical Statistics)					
MCom (Statistics)					

School of Accountancy					
PGDip (Accounting)					
BComHons (Management Accounting)					
BAccHons					
MCom (Computer Auditing)					
MCom (Financial Accounting)					
MCom (Management Accounting)					
MCom (Taxation)					
MAcc (Auditing)					
MAcc (Financial Accounting)					
MAcc (Taxation)					
School of Public Leadership (SPL), <i>Bellville Park</i>					
PGDip (Environmental Management)					
Stellenbosch					
PGDip (Public Finance Management)					
BComHons (Public and Development Management)					
BPubAdminHons					
MCom (Public and Development Management)					
M (Public Administration)					
MPhil (Environmental Management)					
Stellenbosch					
Stellenbosch Business School, <i>Bellville Park</i>					
PGDip (Business Management and Administration)					
PGDip (Development Finance)					
PGDip (Financial Planning)					
PGDip (Futures Studies)					
PGDip (Leadership Development)					
PGDip (Project Management)					
MPhil (Development Finance)					
MPhil (Futures Studies)					
MPhil (Management Coaching)					
MBA					

# 1.2 Undergraduate module requirements for postgraduate programmes

In Appendix D to this Yearbook part, you will find a table showing the minimum module requirements for admission to certain postgraduate programmes. Review this table to determine whether you meet the requirements for the postgraduate programme you wish to follow.

# 1.3 Selection

Every postgraduate programme in the Faculty is potentially a selection programme since the capacity of the relevant department determines the number of students that can be accommodated in each programme. This means that selection happens when more candidates apply than the department can accommodate in a specific programme. There are, however, also programmes where selection always happens, regardless of how many candidates apply. Departments may choose to list specific requirements and criteria at the relevant programme entries below or on their website or in the programme brochure.

# 1.4 Postgraduate assessment and examination

- Assessment is determined at modular level; therefore, consult the relevant module framework for more information.
- For the Faculty postgraduate assessment rules, you can consult the Faculty website at www.sun.ac.za/ems and look under "Current students" and then "General information" to find the link "EMS Postgraduate Assessment Rules".
- For more information and the general rules on assessment, see Part 1 (General Rules) of the Yearbook, under "Assessments and Promotions".

- For the general specifications for assignments, theses, and dissertations, consult the section "Postgraduate Qualifications" in Part 1 (General Rules) of the Yearbook.
- For specific information relating to the assignment, thesis or dissertation for an individual programme, consult the programme administrator or leader or relevant programme documentation.

# 1.5 Pass requirements for postgraduate programmes

The pass mark for postgraduate programmes is 50% and to pass with distinction you need 75%. More detailed information on pass requirements for individual programmes is available from the relevant programme administrator or leader.

# 1.6 Different campuses and facilities

Some postgraduate programmes are presented by the Stellenbosch Business School or the School for Public Leadership, both of which are on the Bellville Park campus of the University. The School of Public Leadership also presents classes at the Sustainability Institute at Lynedoch. The place where a particular diploma programme will be presented, if not Stellenbosch campus, is indicated below for each individual Programme under "Programme structure".

# Disclaimer:

The content above comes from the 2025 Economic and Management Sciences Yearbook. Make sure to consult the full **Economic and Management Sciences Yearbook** to see this extract in context and to check if there have been any changes. Take special note of additional information in the yearbook under section **2.** General provisions for postgraduate programmes.