

# BAgricHons (Agri-business Management)

## Programme Code

2771001

## Specific Admission Requirements

- The three year BAgric (Agri-business Management) degree, an applicable three year degree, as well as other qualifications that Senate has approved for this purpose.
- An average final mark of 60% for the major subject.

## Duration of Programme

This programme extends over one year.

## Programme Content

The programme is designed to equip prospective expert agricultural managers and agricultural economists with high level skills in the use of agricultural economics and agricultural management techniques, including the analysis of the limitations and potential of the agricultural sector. After the successful completion of the programme you will be able to analyse more complex problem situations and to create more sophisticated farming or agribusiness systems and/or make sophisticated agricultural policy recommendations. This expertise is necessary in order to ensure the international competitiveness of South African agriculture and related industries, and also to enable South Africa to play its rightful role in the agricultural sector in Africa.

Agricultural Economics forms the central component of the programme. The programme focuses on the management of agriculture-related enterprises.

## Compulsory Module

15504: Agricultural Economics	781(30): Research assignment: Agricultural Economics
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## Elective Modules

Choose modules to the value of at least 90 credits from the table below. You can choose from the honours modules following the 300-level of your other major subject(s) up to a maximum of 32 credits, subject to the approval of the relevant department, to contribute to a minimum of 120 credits.

15504: Agricultural Economics	771(20): Farm management
15504: Agricultural Economics	772(20): Topical issues in agricultural policy
15504: Agricultural Economics	773(20): Wine marketing
15504: Agricultural Economics	774(20): General equilibrium models for policy analysis
15504: Agricultural Economics	775(20): Agricultural production and resource management
15504: Agricultural Economics	776(20): International trade and marketing

15504: Agricultural Economics	780(20): Rural development
15504: Agricultural Economics	782(16): National and international market analysis
15504: Agricultural Economics	783(16): Foundations of Agricultural Economics: an institutional approach
15504: Agricultural Economics	784(16): Environmental policy
15504: Agricultural Economics	785(16): Agricultural policy in the South African context

### ***Assessment and Examination***

Modules are assessed by means of practical and written assignments, tests and written examinations in June and November.

### ***Enquiries***

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### **Master's programme in Agricultural Economics and Management**

The master's programme in Agricultural Economics and Management leads to one of the following qualifications: MScAgric (Agricultural Economics and Management) or MAgricAdmin (Agricultural Economics).