

MPhil (Applied Ethics)

Programme Code

50075 – 889(180)

Specific Admission Requirements

- One of the following qualifications at NQF level 8:
 - A Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Ethics;
 - An appropriate Honours degree;
 - An appropriate Postgraduate Diploma;
 - A qualification approved by Senate as equivalent;
 - An MB,ChB degree, or another health sciences qualification, also gives access to the MPhil programme (specialisation in Biomedical Ethics), provided that such a qualification incorporates, in the judgement of the Department of Philosophy, adequate ethics or ethics-related modules.
- An average final mark of at least 60%.

Closing Date for Applications

This programme is only offered every two years. The next intake will be for the 2021 academic year. Consult the Department for more information.

Programme Structure

The programme comprises specialised teaching and training in research one of four areas in specialisation of applied ethics:

- Biomedical ethics;
- Business ethics;
- Environmental ethics; or
- Social and political ethics.

Programme Content

Compulsory Module

12824 : Thesis (Applied Ethics)	874(90)
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Elective Modules

Choose **one** of the following modules.

10772 : Biomedical Ethics (Advanced Study)	874(90)
59277 : Business Ethics	874(90)
10769 : Environmental Ethics	874(90)
14258 : Social and Political Ethics	874(90)

Assessment and Examination

The taught modules are assessed by means of examinations and/or assignments. The thesis (50%) is submitted for external examination according to the regulations of Stellenbosch University for the examination of postgraduate qualifications.

Enquiries

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