6.1.2 MSc in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology

Programme Code

14166 - 879 (180)

Specific Admission Requirements

- A BScHons degree in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, Biochemistry, Genetics, or Molecular Biology or;
- An applicable BScHons degree in a biological field or;
- A BScHons degree in Computer Science, Informatics, Mathematics, Applied Mathematics or Statistics or:
- An applicable BScHons degree in a Mathematics-related field or;
- Any other academic degree qualification and appropriate experience (assessed using the regular RPL procedures) approved by the Senate
- Depending on your previous training and experience, the Postgraduate Committee of the Centre for Bioinformatics and Computational Biology may prescribe additional studies.

Programme Content

Independent research on an approved topic as determined by the supervisor(s) and leading to a thesis is required. The main supervisor must be a member or an associate member of the Centre for Bioinformatics and Computational Biology. This programme consists of a 100% thesis

Compulsory Module

Subject Number	Module Code	Credits	Module Name	Semester
14165	828	180	Thesis Bioinformatics and Computational Biology	Both

Assessment and Examination

After completion of the research you must submit a thesis for examination to the satisfaction of the appointed examiners and do an oral examination. See also section 2.2 in this chapter for general information on the MSc degree at the Faculty of Science.

Enquiries

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