



## PhD Archaeology

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### **Programme code**

01264182

A student for a doctorate degree must complete his or her studies within four years after first registering for the degree and the study comprises of a 60 000-100 000 word thesis based on a research proposal approved by the Research Proposal and Ethics Committee and ethical clearance. The thesis must produce positive research findings and substantively advance the state of archaeological knowledge.

Students are required to defend their written thesis in an oral presentation (AGL 900) – format to be decided by the thesis supervisor and the programme manager.

Students must conduct at least 16 weeks of fieldwork by the end of the PhD programme and demonstrate mastery over advanced field techniques.

For more information, please consult the Faculty webpage.

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## Faculty notes

The Faculty of Humanities provides a holistic education, transferable skills, critical thinking, and communication and problem-solving that will help you develop to your full potential. You will be entering a stimulating environment that will broaden your intellectual horizons and help you achieve personal and professional success through the best possible learning experience.

As the most diverse Faculty of the University of Pretoria, we offer an exciting and comprehensive range of programmes and discipline-based majors, including studies in languages, social sciences and visual and performing arts.



## Minimum duration

2 years, full-time

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## Admission requirements

Master's degree in Archaeology or relevant master's degree A weighted average of at least 65% for the research component of the master's degree Students with a weighted average of 70% or more for the research component of the master's degree will receive preference An admissions essay/examination may be required

Note: Additional work/modules may be required in order to reach the desired level of competency