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## BScHons Plant Science

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### Programme code

02240707

The following fields are presented in the BScHons in Plant Science programme: Plant Diversity (D) Plant Biotechnology/Physiology (PB) Plant Ecology (E) Plant Pathology (P) Apart from the compulsory and elective modules, a project, leading to a research report (60 credits), forms an essential part of the training programme. One seminar (15 credits) must also be written and presented. Field excursions are undertaken. In addition to the compulsory modules, electives are selected in consultation with the supervisor.

Suitably qualified candidates may also apply for the interdepartmental BScHons in Biotechnology degree (Code 02240392) with a supervisor in the Department of Genetics.

One academic year for full-time students and two consecutive academic years for part-time students. Lectures and practicals are scheduled to accommodate part-time students.

For more information, please consult the Faculty webpage.

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## Faculty notes

The Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences is home to more than 6 500 undergraduate and postgraduate students. The Faculty presents degrees in fields ranging from the proverbial A to Z – from actuaries to zoologists, and consists of 13 departments.

All degree programmes are designed to develop problem-solving individuals who can easily adapt to changing circumstances and take the lead in their chosen fields of specialisation. The qualifications awarded are of world-class and provide access to a multitude of career opportunities for dynamic and creative people. According to the latest Times Higher Education World University Rankings the University has achieved new world rankings in Physical Sciences, a discipline which features strongly in NAS and also maintains excellent positions on the ISI Web of Science (WOS) field rankings in Plant and Animal Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, and Environment and Ecology Sciences.

In the Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences, we strive to continuously improve our high

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impact research and significantly address the national shortage of PhD graduates that respond to global and local challenges.

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## Minimum duration

1 years, full-time

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## Admission requirements

Relevant BSc degree A weighted average of at least 60% at final-year level An admission examination may be required