



MIS Information Science

Programme code

12254010

The increasing amount of information available and growing information needs have necessitated the training of information intermediaries to effectively facilitate the bringing together of users and the information they require. This package focuses on the use of information technology and the processing of information products and is designed to train students in the management retrieval and organisation of information as well as to teach them how to add value to package and distribute information. Students will also have the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills in the management of one of the most important resources of enterprises - information and knowledge.

This master's degree is conferred by virtue of a dissertation.

For more information, please consult the Faculty webpage.

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The Faculty is organised in four schools: the School of Engineering, the School for the Built Environment, the School of Information Technology and the Graduate School of Technology Management. The School of Engineering is the largest of its kind in the country in terms of student numbers, graduates and research contributions and offers programmes in all the major engineering disciplines with many specialisations also offered at undergraduate and graduate level.



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Minimum duration

1 years, full-time

Admission requirements

BISHons (Library Science) degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the honours degree or BISHons (Information Science) degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the honours degree or BISHons (Multimedia) degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the honours degree or BISHons (Publishing) degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the honours degree or equivalent honours degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the honours degree or MA (Development Communication) degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the master's degree or equivalent master's degree with a cumulative weighted average of at least 65% for the master's degree