

Faculty	Arts and Humanities			
Home Department	History			
Module Topic	Political Biography and the National Liberation Struggle in South Africa			
Generic Module Name	Political Biography and the National Liberation Struggle in South Africa 732			
Alpha-numeric Code	HIS732			
NQF Level	8			
NQF Credit Value	30			
Duration	Semester			
Proposed semester to be offered.	First Semester			
Programmes in which the module will be offered.	BA Honours full-time (2731) BA Honours part-time (2701)			
Year Level	1			
Main Outcomes	<p>On completion of this module students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the development of biography as a genre. • Engage with theoretical and critical approaches to biographical production. • Identify the conventional, modernist approaches to biographical production. • Identify the social history approach to biographical production. • Engage with new approaches that seek to transcend the modernist paradigm. • Critically engage with biographical production in print, on film, in archives and in museums. 			
Main Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core seminar topics • Biography and history • Social history and biography • Biography and heritage • Liberation archives • Biography of archives • The craft of biography • Transnationalism and biography • The biopic • The biographic museum 			
Pre-requisite modules	None			
Co-requisite modules	None			
Prohibited module Combinations	None			
Breakdown of Learning Time	Hours	Timetable Requirement per week		Other teaching modes that does not require time-table
<i>Contact with lecturer / tutor:</i>	30	<i>Lectures p.w.</i>	0	
<i>Assignments & tasks:</i>	120	<i>Practicals p.w.</i>	0	
<i>Assessments:</i>	0	<i>Tutorials p.w.</i>	0	
<i>Practicals:</i>	0			
<i>Self-study:</i>	150			
<i>Other:</i>	0			
Total Learning Time	300			
Methods of Student Assessment	Continuous Assessment (CA): 50% Final Assessment (FA): 50%			
Assessment Module type	Continuous and Final Assessment (CFA)			