

## **POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN MUSEUM AND HERITAGE STUDIES**

**(2604)** (Not Offered in 2019)

This Diploma is offered jointly by UWC and UCT in association with the Training Programme of the Robben Island Museum (RITP). It provides a broad programme in heritage training for those already in the sector as well as those who wish to enter this field. The principle of the Diploma is to ensure that students have the opportunity to explore a range of issues and approaches to heritage and museum studies, while enabling them to combine electives in areas of particular interest to them.

### **C.55 ADMISSION**

Admission to the Diploma is by application and selection on the basis of evidence of ability to succeed in the courses offered and a commitment to the field. It is open to graduates of all disciplines or to non-graduates with tertiary qualifications and/or candidates who have at least five years work experience, of which a significant proportion is in the heritage sector. The ability of all applicants to succeed in the diploma is evaluated by formal assessment by the Convening Committee of the Diploma before admission.

### **C.56 DURATION**

Please refer to Rule A.4.1.1 as well as Rule A.4.1.2.

### **C.57 CURRICULUM**

<b>Module Name</b>	<b>Alpha Code</b>	<b>Cred</b>
<b>Compulsory</b>		
Issues in Museum & Heritage Studies	MHS711	30
Heritage Institution Research Internship	MHS724	30
<b>Electives (select two modules)</b>		
Curatorship	MHS715	30
Public History and Tourism	MHS717	30
Visual History	MHS719	30
Heritage Management: Sites, Collections and Institutions	MHS721	30
Oral History and Heritage	MHS725	30
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>120</b>

### **C.58 ASSESSMENT**

Assessment is governed by Rule A.5 as stipulated in the University Calendar: General Information Part 1.

### **C.59 PROGRESS RULES**

Unless Senate decides otherwise and subject to rule A.3.2.3:

#### **C.59.1 Full-time**

Unless Senate decides otherwise, a full-time student shall complete the programme in one year. A student who passed at least 60 credits may proceed with his/her studies to complete the programme the following year.

### **C.59.2 Part-time**

Unless Senate decides otherwise, a part time student shall complete the programme in two consecutive years and accumulate at least 60 credits per annum to proceed with his or her studies. A student who accumulated 90 credits within two years may be allowed to proceed to the following year to complete the programme.

### **C.60 RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION**

The renewal of registration will be governed by the Rule A.4.1.2, as stipulated in the University Calendar: General Information Part 1.