

BACHELOR OF ARTS (Extended Curriculum - 2612)

C.11 ADMISSION

Unless Senate decides otherwise, candidates will be required to meet the following criteria to be enrolled for the degree: **Bachelor of Arts – BA**

C.11.1 Admission requirements for applicants who matriculated from 2008

- (a) The National Senior Certificate for Bachelors Degree study plus a score of no less than 32 points calculated according to the University's approved points system.

OR

- (b) A qualification or level of competence which the Senate of the University has deemed to be equivalent to the requirements stipulated in (a) and (b) above.

C.11.2 Admission requirements for applicants who matriculated before 2008

- (a) A Senior Certificate (Grade 12) aggregate of A, B, C, and D without matriculation exemption, or an E aggregate with matriculation exemption.

OR

- (b) A qualification or level of competence that the Senate of the University has deemed to be equivalent to the requirements stipulated in (a) and (b) above.

C.11.3 Alternate admission

Alternate admission requirements for applicants according to Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

Students who completed the NSC in 2008 or thereafter, but have not obtained endorsements, will be considered for alternative admission after the age of 23. Such candidates will be required to complete a RPL portfolio development course and submit to a process where relevant learning and/or experience will be assessed.

Candidates who are 23 or older and do not have a matriculation certificate or NSC, but who might have obtained other qualifications or experience that may be deemed to be equivalent to admission criteria for particular study programmes, will also be required to complete a RPL portfolio development course or an RPL portfolio process as agreed and to submit to a process where such learning, qualification and/or experience will be assessed.

C.12 SELECTION

As only a limited number of students can be admitted to the programme, applicants will be subject to a selection procedure.

C.13 DURATION

Unless Senate decides otherwise the duration for the degree shall extend over four years full time.

C.14 SUBJECT AREAS

Please refer to Rule C.4

C.15 CURRICULUM

C.15.1 Level 1

Module Name	Alpha Code	Cred
Academic Info Literacy 100	AIL100	18
Cultural Studies 100	CIS100	18
Communication Studies 100	CST100	18
Humanities Foundation 100	HUM100	18
Social Studies 100	SST100	18
	Sub-total	90

C.15.2 Level 2

C.15.2.1 Please see Rule C.5.1.2 for modules offered at the 2nd Level. The selection of modules for a typical 2nd Level BA (4 year) student is illustrated in the following diagram:

Major A 111	Major B 111	Subject C 111	Module 1	8 Modules x 15 Credits
Major A 121	Major B 121	Subject C 121	Module 2	
Sub-total				120 Credits

C.15.3 Level 3

C.15.3.1 Please see Rule C.5.2.2 for modules offered at the 3rd Level. The selection of modules for a typical 3rd Level BA (4 year) student is illustrated in the following diagram:

Major A 211	Major A 212	Major B 211	Major B 212	Module 1	Module 2	12 Modules x 10 Credits
Major A 221	Major A 222	Major B 221	Major B 222	Module 3	Module 4	
Sub-total						120 Credits

C.15.4 Level 4

C.15.4.1 Please see Rule C.5.3.2 for modules offered at the 4th Level. The selection of modules for a typical 4th Level BA (4 year) student is illustrated in the following diagram:

Major A (40)	Major B (40)	Module 1 (10)	Module 2 (10)	12 Modules x 10 Credits
		Module 3 (10)	Module 4 (10)	
Sub-total				120 Credits

C.16 ASSESSMENT

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

C.17 PROMOTION RULES

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

C.17.1 Level 1

A student shall be promoted to Level 2 on passing all the required modules (5) at Level 1 (90 credits).

C.17.2 Level 2

A student shall be promoted to the 3rd Level of study on obtaining at least 180 credits of which at least 60 credits are obtained in potential major subjects.

C.17.3 Level 3

A student shall be promoted to the 4th Level of study on obtaining at least 290 credits of which at least 80 credits are obtained in potential major subjects.

C.17.4 Level 4

A student shall complete the degree if two major subjects of 40 credits each have been completed and 450 credits are obtained.

C.18 ADVANCE REGISTRATION

C 18.1 Level 1

A student who has obtained 54 credits at the 1st Level of study will be allowed to register for a maximum of 30 credits at 2nd Level, provided that the class timetable accommodates the subject choice.

C 18.2 Level 2

Notwithstanding Rule 18.1, a student who has obtained at least 72 credits at the 1st level of study will be allowed to register for a maximum of 60 credits at the second level, provided that the class timetable accommodates the subject choice.

C.18.3 Level 3

A student who has obtained at least 250 credits at the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Level of study will be allowed to register for a maximum of 40 credits at level 4, provided that the pre-requisites and co-requisites for the level 4 modules are met. Students in this category may not register for more than 120 credits in total for the year.

C.19 RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION

The renewal of registration will be governed by the Rule A.3.2.3, as stipulated in the University Calendar: General Information Part 1.

C.20 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROGRAMME

C.20.1 All students are advised to consider taking up to two modules at second year level from outside their potential major subjects to enrich their curriculum.

C.20.2 Please note that timetable clashes may exclude some combinations of modules.

C.20.3 Students need the permission of Senate to take modules offered in subject areas not listed above. Each application should be accompanied by a sound academic rationale.