

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NUTRITION (Thesis - 8784)

J.266 ADMISSION

Unless Senate decides otherwise, candidates will be required to meet the following criteria to be enrolled for the degree: **Master of Science in Nutrition – MSc (Nutrition)**

J.266.1 A four year intergrated BSc Degree in Dietetics or Nutrition or

J.266.2 BSc (Hons) Degree in Dietetics or Nutrition

J.266.3 any other equivalent qualification approved by UWC Senate and the Department of Dietetics and Nutrition.

All the afore-mentioned degrees must have been passed with a minimum aggregate of 60%.

J.267 SELECTION

As only a limited number of students can be admitted to the programme, applicants will be subject to a selection procedure. **A minimum of ten students is required for the programme to run.**

J.268 DURATION

Unless Senate decides otherwise the duration of the programme shall extend over two years full time or three years part time.

J.269 CURRICULUM

Module Name (select one mode)	Alpha Code	Cred
Mode 1 - MSc Nutrition (Thesis only)		
1st Enrolment Code		
Nutrition Thesis 801	NUT801	
2nd Enrolment Code		180
Nutrition Thesis 802	NUT802	
	TOTAL	180

J.270 ASSESSMENT

The research will be written up as a full thesis. Students will also have to prepare a manuscript of an article for a named peer reviewed journal approved for subsidy purposes. The manuscript must meet all the requirements set out in the Instructions for Authors of that journal, including word count and referencing style (The journal must allow at least 3000 words). The instructions to Authors must be appended. Supervisors will assist candidates to identify an appropriate journal. In a multi-author project, the candidate would be expected to be the first author.

J.271 PROGRESS RULES

J.271.1 To complete the qualification, the student must complete the full thesis (180 credit) by the end of their second year (full time) or their third year (part-time).

J.271.2 Students who do not comply with the requirements for completion of MSc Nutrition in the maximum time must obtain permission from Senate for re-admission to the programme.

J.271.3 Students must submit and register a thesis title during their first year of registration.

J.272 RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION

The renewal of registration will be governed by the Rule A.4, as stipulated in the University Calendar: General Information Part 1.

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J.273 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PROGRAMME

There are no special requirements for this programme.