

# Curriculum grid

Feb 2024

## **Bachelor of Arts (Media Studies)**

Delivery mode: Distance (online) Years of full-time study: 3 Total credits: 372

### Study Year 1 of 3 (basic level)

Period: Semester 2 Period: Semester 2

| Discipline    | Module rule | Module<br>code | Module name                         | Credits |
|---------------|-------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Core          | None        | ARWF5120       | Academic Reading and Writing (Sem1) | 12      |
| Core          | None        | ITSO5040       | Information and Technology Skills   | 4       |
| Core          | None        | WOTS5120       | Worldviews of the South             | 12      |
| Media Studies | None        | MESO5120       | Media and Society                   | 12      |
| English       | None        | ELIT5120       | English Literary Studies            | 12      |
| Sociology     | None        | SOIN5120       | Sociology: An Introduction          | 12      |
|               |             |                |                                     | 64      |

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|---------------|-------------|----------------|---|---------|
| Core          | None        | EGCS5120       | Ethics and Global<br>Citizenship (Sem2) | 12      |
| Core          | None        | NCHC5120       | Navigating Change and<br>Conflict       | 12      |
| Media Studies | None        | DIVM5120       | Digital and Visual Media                | 12      |
| English       | None        | CREW5120       | Creative English Writing                | 12      |
| Sociology     | None        | DIVS5120       | Diversity Studies                       | 12      |
|               |             |                |   |         |
|               |             |                |   | 60      |



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### **Study Year 2 of 3 (intermediate level)**

Take maximum 130 credits in this year, enrolling first for basic modules not passed and then for intermediate modules.

Period: Semester 2 Period: Semester 2

| Discipline               | Module rule              | Module<br>code | Module name                         | Credits |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Media Studies            | Take after<br>MESO5120/1 | MPPC6160       | Media, Power and Popular<br>Culture | 16      |
| Community<br>Development | Take after<br>SOIN5120/1 | SODE6160       | Sociology of Development            | 16      |
| English                  | Take after<br>ELIT5120/1 | HIELC6160      | Historical English Literature       | 16      |
| Leadership<br>Studies    | None                     | PEAS6081       | Peace Studies                       | 8       |
| Leadership<br>Studies    | None                     | MDTN6081       | Mediation                           | 8       |
|                          |                          |                |                                     | 64      |

| Discipline    | Module rule              | Module<br>code | Module name            | Credits |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------------|------------------------|---------|
| Media Studies | Take after<br>MESO5120/1 | MESA6160       | Media in South Africa  | 16      |
| Community     | Take after               | CRMO6160       | Community and Resource | 16      |
| Development   | SOIN5120/1               |                | Mobilisation           |         |
| English       | Take after               | CENG6160       | Contemporary English   | 16      |
|               | ELIT5120/1               |                | Literature             |         |
| Leadership    | None                     | LEMP6160       | Leadership and         | 16      |
| Studies       |                          |                | Empowerment            |         |
|               |                          |                |                        | _       |
|               |                          |                |                        | 64      |



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#### **Study Year 3 of 3 (advanced level)**

Take maximum 130 credits in this year, enrolling first for basic and then for intermediate modules not passed, then for advanced modules.

Period: Semester 1 Period: Semester 2

| Discipline    | Module rule              | Module<br>code | Module name                   | Credits |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| Media Studies | Take after<br>MPPC6160/1 | MFAF7240       | Media Studies Fieldwork A     | 12      |
| Media Studies | Take After<br>CREW5120/1 | WRED7120       | Writing and Editing           | 12      |
| Media Studies | Take after<br>MPPC6160/1 | FMTV7120       | Film and Television           | 12      |
| Sociology     | See Note 1               | CORM7120       | Community Research<br>Methods | 12      |
| Sociology     | Take after<br>SODE6160/1 | POPD7120       | Population and<br>Development | 12      |
|               |                          |                |                               | 60      |

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| Media Studies            | Take after<br>MFAF7240/1 | MFBS7240       | Media Studies Fieldwork B        | 12      |
| Media Studies            | Take after<br>MPPC6160/1 | MSTP7240       | Media Studies Project            | 24      |
| Sociology                | Take after<br>SOIN5120/1 | CSTH7120       | Contemporary Sociology<br>Theory | 12      |
| Community<br>Development | Take after<br>SODE6160/1 | ORGD7120       | Organisational Development       | 12      |
|                          |                          |                |                                  |         |
|                          |                          |                |                                  | 60      |

#### Note:

1. Take after CRMO6160/1 Community and Resource Mobilisation or SODE6160/1 Sociology of Development.