NELSON MANDELA

UNIVERSITY

CONSTRUCTION HEALTH AND SAFETY POSTGRADUATE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES AT NELSON MANDELA UNIVERSITY

BSc (Honours) (Construction Health and Safety Management)

The Department of Construction Management commenced the delivery of this one-year programme in 2021, which was accredited by the South African Council for the Project and Construction Management Professions (SACPCMP) in 2022.

The programme includes eight semester modules and a year treatise research project addressing a construction health and safety (H&S) subject area.

The purpose of the programme is to develop the necessary knowledge, understanding, abilities, and skills required to practice as a Construction H&S Manager and / or a Construction H&S Agent. Graduates will be able to practice as Construction H&S Officers by default.

MSc (Built Environment) Construction Health and Safety Management specialisation

The Department of Construction Management commenced the delivery of this programme in 2007, which was subsequently accredited by the SACPCMP. The programme was unique in that it facilitated articulation from the then Technikon / now University of Technology programmes to a university programme.

The 18-month programme includes ten modules delivered on a block basis, and a year treatise research project addressing a construction H&S subject area.

The purpose of the programme is to develop the necessary knowledge, understanding, abilities, and skills required to practice as a Construction H&S Agent, or a construction H&S consultant.

MSc (Construction Management) and PhD (Construction Management)

Students can register for these research degrees on a full-time or part-time basis. Although potential students are welcome to address any of a range of construction management subject areas, due to the Department of Construction Management's expertise and notable track record in terms of graduates, construction H&S oriented studies are encouraged.

The purpose of the MSc by research programme is to develop research skills and address an area of interest, either as a practitioner and / or a potential academic and contribute to the related body of knowledge.

The purpose of the PhD programme is to conduct an in-depth study relative to an area of interest, either as a practitioner, or an academic, or a potential academic, and make a significant contribution to the related body of knowledge through the development of a validated model.

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