

SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT STUDIES



A degree in Government Studies provides you with an understanding of the theory and practice of government, the nature of politics, policy making and public administration, as well as foreign policy and government security. Students studying this degree are those who want to make a positive impact on a rapidly changing society. They are eager to develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes to help them make that contribution.

Qualification options and campuses:

- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Public Administration (PC, VC)*
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Public Administration and Labour Relations Management (PC, VC)*
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Public Administration and Social Studies (PC, VC)*
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Public Administration and Politics (PC, VC)*
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Public Administration and Geography (PC, VC)*
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Municipal Management and Leadership (PC)*
- Bachelor of Social Sciences with Political Sciences (MC)**
- Bachelor of Social Sciences with International Relations (MC)**
- Bachelor of Arts in Public Governance with Policing Practice ***

* All degrees are three-year courses and are presented full-time at our Vaal Triangle Campus (VC) and our Potchefstroom Campus (PC).

** All degrees are three-year courses and are presented full-time at our Mafikeng Campus (MC).

*** This degree is offered only via distance education.



Website: humanities.nwu.ac.za

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/mynwuhumanities/>

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PUBLIC GOVERNANCE

with Policing Practice
(Distance Learning only)

REQUIREMENTS

Please scan the code



distance.nwu.ac.za/Policing

CAMPUS

Offered at 12 study centres
(excluding exam centres)
and via Bridget.

Website: humanities.nwu.ac.za
Facebook: @mynwuhumanities/

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

with different majoring options

REQUIREMENTS

APS of 25
English Level 5 (60%-70%)

CAMPUS

Potchefstroom
Vanderbijlpark

CAREERS

Public administrator
Public service official
Political analyst
Public administration consultant
Service delivery specialist
Project administrator

Website: humanities.nwu.ac.za
Facebook: @mynwuhumanities/



BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PUBLIC GOVERNANCE

with Municipal Management and Leadership

Limited contact & No full-time students allowed

REQUIREMENTS

APS of 25

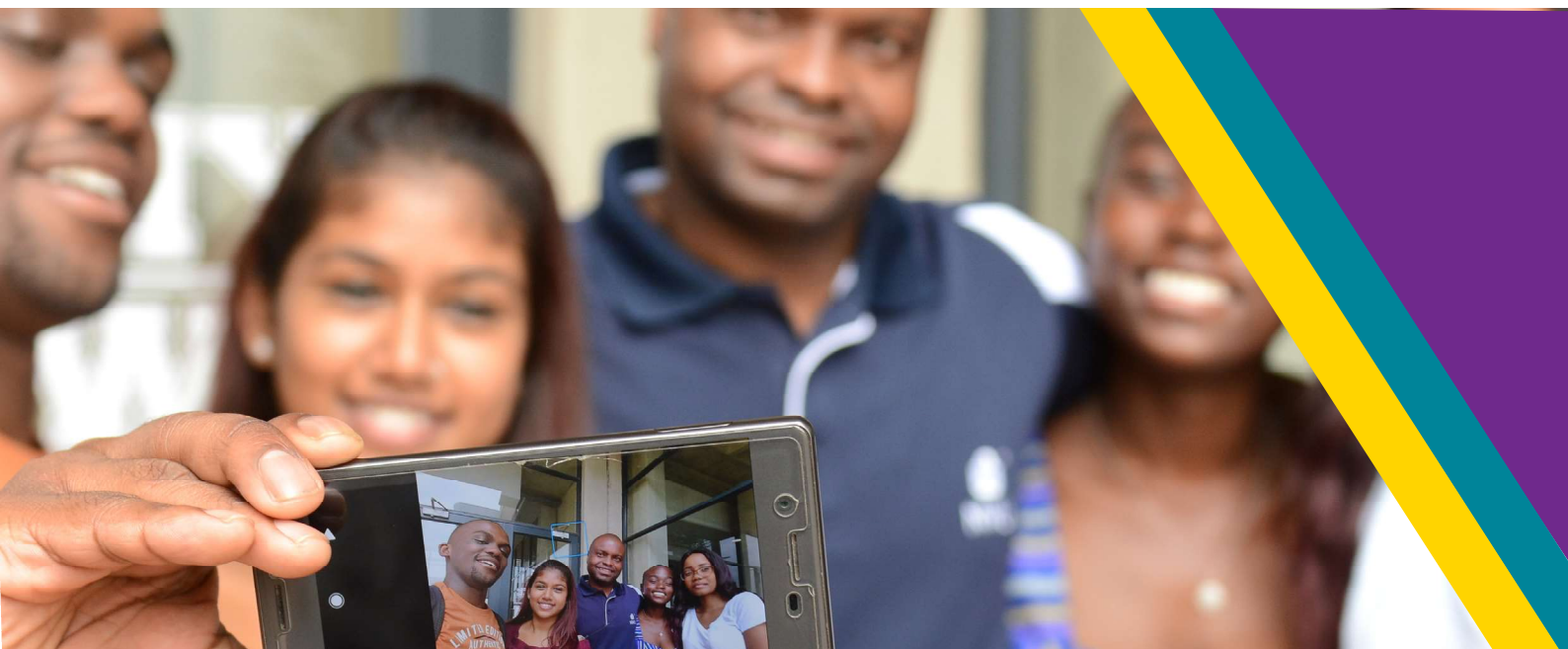
A minimum of two years' working experience in the public sector, preferably in the local sphere of government

CAMPUS

Potchefstroom

CAREERS

Public administrator (junior, middle & senior management), Budget analyst, Public administration consultant, Service delivery specialist, Project/regulatory/procurement administrator. A wide range of career opportunities exist on the local government level and hereto also in the executive, legislative and legal branches of government.



Website: humanities.nwu.ac.za

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/mynwuhumanities/>

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL SCIENCES

with different majoring options

REQUIREMENTS

APS of 22

CAREERS

Market research, policy or data analyst, development specialist (global), civil servant, state and civil society research organisations, political scientist, economist, industrial organisational psychologist, transformation specialist, sociologist, geographer, psychologist, anthropologist historian, academic, researcher, social justice advocat, writer.

CAMPUS

Potchefstroom
Mahikeng
Vanderbijlpark



Website: humanities.nwu.ac.za

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/mynwuhumanities/>