

# ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN POLICING

## Qualification code: ADPO20 - NQF Level 7 (120 credits)

SAQA ID: 111446, CHE NUMBER: H/H16/E183CAN

Campus where offered: Soshanguve South Campus

### REMARKS

- a. *Admission requirement(s):*  
A National Diploma or a Diploma in Policing, **or** a relevant bachelor's degree, **or** an equivalent qualification at NQF Level 6 with minimum of 360 credits.
- Holders of any other equivalent South African or international qualification may also be considered, see Chapter 1 of Students' Rules and Regulations.
- b. *Selection criteria:*  
Admission is subject to selection. Acceptance is subject to available capacity according to the Student Enrolment Plan (SEP). Applicants will be informed of their status per official letter from the Office of the Registrar, alternatively, they can check their application status on the TUT website, [www.tut.ac.za](http://www.tut.ac.za).
- c. *Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL), equivalence and status:*  
See Chapter 30 of Students' Rules and Regulations.
- d. *Intake for the qualification:*  
January only.
- e. *Presentation:*  
Block-mode classes.
- f. *Minimum duration:*  
One year.
- g. *Exclusion and readmission:*  
See Chapter 2 of Students' Rules and Regulations.

### CURRICULUM

#### YEAR MODULES

| CODE                                 | MODULE                        | NQF-L | CREDIT     |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|------------|
| CIV107V                              | Crime Investigation           | (7)   | (24)       |
| CRL107V                              | Criminal Law                  | (7)   | (12)       |
| PAD107V                              | Policing Administration       | (7)   | (24)       |
| POL107V                              | Policing                      | (7)   | (24)       |
| RPO107V                              | Research in Policing          | (7)   | (12)       |
| SPO107V                              | Strategic Policing Management | (7)   | (24)       |
| TOTAL CREDITS FOR THE QUALIFICATION: |                               |       | <b>120</b> |



## MODULE INFORMATION (OVERVIEW OF SYLLABUS)

The syllabus content is subject to change to accommodate industry changes. Please note that a more detailed syllabus is available at the department or in the study guide that is applicable to a particular module. At time of publication, the syllabus content was defined as follows:

### C

#### **CRIME INVESTIGATION (CIV107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

*(Module custodian: Department of Safety and Security Management)*

This module addresses aspects of the understanding of transnational crime, the challenges and opportunities presented by processes of globalisation. It enables the students to understand key concepts relating to transnational crime, forms of organised crime - from traditional organised crime groups to emerging trends of organised crime. A specific focus will be on current events in South Africa and moreover, how globalisation impact on local crime groups as well as the criminal justice system response. Students will develop a comprehensive understanding of the topic through in-depth study of relevant literature, research, and the evaluation of recent developments in the area. This module will also enable students to conduct successful investigation relating to organised crime that requires proactive approaches, which are generally based on criminal intelligence analysis. The students will also be able to determine whether the results from the intelligence gathering and analysis can be connected to the criminal conduct of groups or networks. (Total tuition time: not available)

#### **CRIMINAL LAW (CRL107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

*(Module custodian: Department of Law)*

This module enables the students to understand the basic concepts of common law principles, which encompass the rules applicable to advanced criminal law, the constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996 and other relevant legislation in the criminal justice environment. The student will be able to demonstrate knowledge of the principle of legality and section 35(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, theories of punishment and sentencing, unlawfulness and private defence as a ground of justification, consent as a ground of justification, intent and negligence as elements of a crime and common purpose. (Total tuition time: not available)

### P

#### **POLICING (POL107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

*(Module custodian: Department of Safety and Security Management)*

This module enables students to revisit the basic criminological concepts of the causes of crime as well as policing postmodern society. The students will have the ability to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the basic themes under Intelligence-led Policing. This module will also enable the students to understand the meaning of fourth industrial revolution in terms of Intelligence-led Policing. The students will have the insight regarding factors that necessitated Intelligence-led Policing as a policing model and interpreting the criminal environment. (Total tuition time: not available)

#### **POLICING ADMINISTRATION (PAD107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

*(Module custodian: Department of Safety and Security Management)*

This module enables students to demonstrate knowledge and conceptualising of Police Administration within the criminal justice environment. This module enables the students to demonstrate skills and competencies to understand the causes of crime and crime prevention strategies; combat crime effectively; understand the basic needs of communities and participate in community police forums; participate in the trial and prosecution processes. The module will also enable the students to demonstrate the ability to review information gathering such as different sources of information, select information appropriate to the task and apply well-developed processes of analysis, and evaluate the information relating to the criminal justice environment. The students will have the ability to demonstrate an integrated knowledge and understand policies relating to the industry and implementation processes as well as what delivery functions entail within the criminal justice environment. Through this module, the students will also be able to exhibit the ability to apply and evaluate the key concepts of policing administrative procedures related to the criminal justice environment. (Total tuition time: not available)



## R

### **RESEARCH IN POLICING (RPO107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

***(Module custodian: Department of Safety and Security Management)***

This module focuses on the fundamental models or frame of reference (paradigms) which underpins a qualitative study, the elements (characteristics) of qualitative research and the steps in qualitative research; the identification of research topics suitable for qualitative research, formulation of research problems, research questions, research objectives, and the role of literature in qualitative research; different research designs; information collection techniques for qualitative research; different sampling methods as well as the development of an interview schedule; the general guidelines, different methods and techniques to analyse and interpret qualitative data; the importance of ethics when conducting research and classification of ethical issues; research proposal within the context of a qualitative research and different elements of a research proposal, as well as the elements and distinctiveness of a qualitative research report. (Total tuition time: not available)

## S

### **STRATEGIC POLICING MANAGEMENT (SPO107V)**

**1 X 3-HOUR PAPER**

***(Module custodian: Department of Safety and Security Management)***

This module enables the students to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the role of planning in an organisation and the understanding of the generic strategic planning process. The students will have the ability to exhibit knowledge in the interpretation and application of the legislation and policies, which govern the criminal justice environment. The students will be able to demonstrate knowledge of the processes in reporting documents related to the planning and budgeting. This module will also enable the students to exhibit and understand the compilation of industry strategic and annual performance plans. (Total tuition time: not available)

