



Centre for Human Rights Advanced Human Rights Course Effective and Accountable Policing in Africa

The Centre for Human Rights, University of Pretoria, in partnership with the African Policing Civilian Oversight Forum (APCOF), will host a 5-day intensive short course on Effective and Accountable Policing in Africa from 1 to 5 June 2020.

The course examines the international human rights standards, comparative good practice and emerging continental trends surrounding policing in Africa.

Linked with a new research agenda on Freedom from Violence (with which the University of Pretoria is pioneering an international research collaboration), this course will draw upon longstanding expertise around human rights and policing (particularly use of force), and look to combine with the imperative of Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 16 to build up effective, accountable and inclusive institutions to reduce levels of violence. One key institution, in this regard, is the police.

Course Outline

The programme will cover the following topics:

- Theories, challenges and opportunities for accountable policing
- International standards for policing
- Internal & external oversight mechanisms
- Use of force in law enforcement
- Management of assemblies ('public order policing')
- Forensic investigation
- Police corruption
- Torture/custody visits
- Discrimination & vulnerability
- Evidence-based policing

Visit www.chr.up.ac.za/ahrc for more information.

- 📅 Course length:
5 days
- 🕒 Estimated effort:
7+ hours/day
- 💰 Price:
R3 000
- 📄 Course type:
Short course
- 🌟 Certificate:
On successful completion
- 🗨️ Language:
English

Course dates
**1 June -
5 June 2020**

Apply until
22 May 2020

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