

How to apply to a programme

Application forms for individual programmes can be found on the websites. Applicants must submit a letter of recommendation, copies of transcripts/diplomas from previous academic work and a statement of motivation.

Application fees are waived if applications are received before February 1, 2014.

Tuition

Tuition **includes** all excursions, online readers, lunches on class days, access to the university's libraries and computer facilities.

The tuition does not include travel to and from Amsterdam nor housing.

Scholarships

Please visit each programme's individual website for more information on scholarships. Students from U21/LERU member universities may be eligible for a €500 scholarship.

Certificate & Credits

All students who attend a Summer Programme and successfully complete the coursework will receive a certificate of attendance.

For credits see websites of individual programmes

Testimonials

Interested in hearing what former students thought of the programmes? Check out the programme websites to see video testimonials from students.

The Graduate School of Social Sciences

The Graduate School offers Masters and Summer programmes in the social sciences.

www.gsss.uva.nl

Amsterdam and the University

All classes will be held in one of the city centre buildings of the University of Amsterdam. The University is inextricably linked with the city of Amsterdam. As the capital of the Netherlands, Amsterdam is an exuberant small-scale metropolis where you quickly feel safe and welcome. Studying in Amsterdam gives you one of the world's most beautiful and stimulating cities as your campus.

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SUMMER PROGRAMMES OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SUMMER 2014

- **Global Poverty & Inclusive Development**
- **Alcohol, Drugs & Addiction**
- **Urban Studies**
- **Sexuality, Culture & Society**
- **Social Policies & Pragmatic Tolerance**



Summer Institute on Alcohol, Drugs and Addiction
2013

www.gsss.uva.nl/summer

Summer Institute on Global Poverty & Inclusive Development

June 20-June 28, 2014

www.uva.nl/summer-poverty

This is a one-week programme which contributes to the growing worldwide interest among academics and professionals in the causes of poverty and its alleviation.

Candidates enrolled in a graduate or postgraduate degree and/or candidates with professional research experience in the development sector. Students who have completed a bachelor's degree are welcome to apply for the programme.

Academic Director:

Dr. Nicky Pouw

Summer Institute on Alcohol, Drugs & Addiction

June 27– July 13, 2014

www.uva.nl/summer-addiction

This two-week Summer Institute programme seeks to provide a multidisciplinary approach to the study of addiction. The focus will be on research and bridging the gap between research and treatment practice. Exclusive excursions to service providers are part of the Institute.

The Institute welcomes individuals with a focused interest in addiction research and treatment, Master and PhD students, NGO staff working on addiction-related

issues, professionals in human services, practitioners and advocates.

Academic Director:

Dr. Dennis McCarty

Urban Studies

July 4- July 26, 2014

www.uva.nl/summer-urban-studies

In this three-week programme students will explore the fundamental issues that are shaping the development and evolution of cities in the 21st century. The course will examine subjects such as architecture and neighborhood design, housing finance and policy, city planning and sustainability.

The course is suitable for both advanced undergraduate students and introductory level graduate students.

Academic Director:

Dr. Zef Hemel

Summer Institute on Sexuality, Culture & Society

July 11 – August 10, 2014

www.uva.nl/summer-sexuality

The Summer Institute on Sexuality, Culture and Society is an intensive four-week summer programme, which focuses on the study of sexuality across cultures. The SIS is taught by a faculty team of international experts.

The Institute is open to students with a focused interest in sexuality research or advocacy, including MA and PhD students and professionals from NGOs engaged in sexuality, HIV or sexual health programmes and interventions.

Academic Director:

Dr. Diane di Mauro

Social Policies & Pragmatic Tolerance in Amsterdam

July 11- August 3, 2014

www.uva.nl/summer-social-policies

This three-week programme gives students an in-depth look at some of the social policies of the Netherlands. Subjects such as immigration, drugs and sex work will be addressed by lecturers and educational site visits. Some day-long excursions are part of this programme.

Applicants must be at least undergraduate (Bachelor) students entering their 3rd or 4th year. Students from any major are welcome to apply. A general interest in the social sciences and an open mind are necessary.

Academic Directors:

Dr. Léon Deben & Tessa Dikker, MA



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