Philosophy, Politics and Economics MSc

KEY FACTS
- Start: 1 September
- Duration: 12 months
- Degree: MSc in PPE
- Tuition fees EU / non-EU: €2,006 / €11,400

COURSE EXAMPLES
- Two Capitals: From Marx to Piketty
- Global Political Economy
- Collective Decision Making: Experts and Wise Crowds
- Science Meets Policy: Three Case Studies

GENERAL INFORMATION

How do we regulate migration flows? Does globalisation threaten social solidarity? How do we encourage corporate social responsibility? How can we rise to the global challenges of climate change?

Our master's programme in PPE is more than the addition of P, P and E. In an integrative way we combine tools and methods from philosophy, economics and political theory to analyse the challenges that the world faces. In this programme you build on your bachelor's in a relevant field to analyse and better understand these issues.

In three core modules we discuss the power and limitations of several PPE theories, concepts and methods. You see what is at stake in e.g. theories on democracy, political power, collective decision-making, and economic growth. In two policy seminars you apply theories and methods to real-life issues. You will broaden and deepen your knowledge by choosing from a range of electives, especially designed for the programme. PPE thus enables you to develop your knowledge, analytical skills, critical thinking and writing to make a contribution to the world of today.

Career prospects
Graduates will be able to work together in multi-disciplinary settings and have been prepared for careers in:
- (non-)governmental organisations, politics, diplomacy
- (international) business firms
- public policy making
- journalism

More information

Programme website
http://www.rug.nl/masters/philosophy-politics-and-economics/

Admissions
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Why choose us?
- a unique, truly integrated curriculum
- theories and methods applied to real-life issues
- a small scale selective Master's programme
- taught by leading and highly dedicated researchers
- personal approach and individual mentoring

Application
You can apply online, please go to: www.rug.nl/howtoapply

Application deadline EU: 1 June
Application deadline non-EU: 1 April

Admission
- Bachelor's degree in Philosophy, Politics and Economics
- Bachelor's degree in Philosophy
- Bachelor's degree in Economics or Political Science
- Other Ba degrees may be taken into consideration by the admission board
- Language requirements: IELTS 7 (min. 6.5 on all items), TOEFL 100 (min. scores: r 22, l 22, sp 26, wr 24)