



BA Philosophy of a Specific Discipline

Are you currently doing your bachelor and would like to deepen and broaden your knowledge and thinking? Do you enjoy critical reasoning, argumentation and clear thinking? Do you like to raise questions, or think about opinions and ideas in a more systematic way? Do you like to know more about the rich history of 2500 years of philosophizing? Then consider combining your own bachelor with a one-year bachelor "Philosophy of a specific discipline"!

The bachelor "Philosophy of a specific discipline" is an English-taught programme. After the first year of your bachelor, you enroll in this programme, while continuing with your own bachelor. "Philosophy of a specific discipline" consists of a Minor of 30 EC, introducing you to the history of philosophy and to some of the major philosophical areas such as ethics, philosophy of science, social-political philosophy, and logic. After the Minor you do three electives (15 EC) and follow one out of four courses which the programme offers on "the philosophy of the various disciplines" (5 EC). Finally, you write your thesis in a wellorganized course (10 EC). The programme can be done in one year but you can also spread it out over two years. At the end of three or four years you have two bachelors!

Course examples

- Philosophy of Cognitive Science
- Philosophy of the Humanities
- Philosophy of the Life Sciences
- Philosophy of the Natural Sciences
- Philosophy of the Social Sciences

Course titles are subject to change. Please consult website for current schedule of courses.

Career prospects

Students in philosophy have many options on the job market. Because they have been trained as critical, analytical thinkers with a broad understanding of culture, society and the sciences, they can find jobs in several different areas. Our alumni have found jobs in:

- education (university, universities of applied sciences, high schools)
- journalism and communication
- business
- policy and research (ministries, municipalities, political parties, universities, NGOs, etc.)



Application deadline

1 May



Tuition fees

Depends on your personal situation (nationality, previous degrees).

Please follow the link below for more information.



Duration

3 years



Location

City centre campus



Entry requirements

At least 60ECTS of the first year of your BA programme or a propedeutic exam: in order to be admitted, you need to have a completed a propaedeutic degree/first year of a non-philosophical research university bachelor programme. NB: It is not possible to apply for this program with a degree of a university of applied sciences ('hogeschool')



English language

TOEFL IBT 92; IELTS 6.5