



Information about the study association

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Along with university comes adventure, development, independency, opportunities, and unique friendships. The lessons you will learn do not only come from the courses you pass, as your college days form a launching platform for your personal development. Study association [GLV Idun](#), *Groninger Levenswetenschappen Vereniging Idun* (Groningen Life Sciences Association Idun) is here to help you get the most out of your days as a student, be it on a social, study, or career level.

GLV Idun organizes a wide range of **social** activities, including city trips, a gala, (sports) games, and a theatre play for an audience of around 250 spectators. The study association organizes recurring social activities as well, like the monthly party in 'het Pakhuis' with around 200 attendees, and the weekly Social Drink in our own Suite, located in the Linnaeusborg.

To broaden your academic interests, GLV Idun also organizes **study**-related activities such as an annual Symposium, interesting lectures, and excursions like the Study Tour. It also supports your education by providing a summary database, Exam Support Sessions for difficult courses, and providing study spaces in the Linnaeusborg during exam periods known as Learning Communities.

Furthermore, GLV Idun boosts your **career** orientation and preparation by facilitating in-house days, networking drinks, company excursions and cases. The association even has a Career Committee, aimed specifically at career-related activities.

GLV Idun aims to help its members become the best version of themselves by improving soft skills and personal branding, via interactive workshops including CV checks and academic writing skills. The study association also provides its members with the best deals for books, lab coats, and lab goggles. To sum up, GLV Idun is essential for a complete study experience in this area of expertise at the University of Groningen!

GLV Idun accomplishes this with the help and effort of 20 committees, all of which contribute to the organization of up to 150 activities per year. Members are free to apply for a committee of their interest. The committees are backed by a board of seven persons that work closely together for a year in order to create opportunities for all members, ranging from bachelor students, to master students, to alumni.

If you want to learn more about the study association, do not hesitate to visit the [GLV Idun website](#) or contact the board by sending an [email](#).

GLV Idun represents the following study programmes:

Bachelor degree programmes:

Biology
Biomedical Engineering
Life Science & Technology

Master degree programmes:

Biology
Biomedical Engineering
Biomedical Sciences
Biomolecular Sciences
Ecology and Evolution
Marine Biology
Molecular Medicine and Innovative Treatment