KEY FACTS
- Start programme: 1 September/1 February
- Duration: 12 Months
- Language: English
- Tuition fees EU/non-EU: approx. €2,083/€14,650

COURSE EXAMPLES
- Child protection and foster care
- Youth transitions
- Inclusiveness in youth care and education

GENERAL INFORMATION
How can we make schools a safe place for sexual minority youth? What kinds of support do children in foster care need? Can children and young people participate in policy development about healthy lifestyles? And how can we improve the interventions that tackle these urgent youth issues?

Do you want to be someone who makes a difference in the lives of young people? In the mastertrack Youth 0-21, Society & Policy you will learn how to promote healthy lifestyles of children, and you will study how youth are impacted by unemployment and discrimination. Also, you will study the context of child protection, and learn more about youth who are refugees. For all of these topics, we consider how youth can participate in the research process. Connecting practice and policy with state-of-the-art research allows you to develop a deep understanding of problems and possible solutions for the well-being of minority youth in vulnerable contexts. The international classroom supports a lively discussion and the exchange of perspectives from around the world.

Career prospects
- project leader in innovation projects for children and youth
- develop and implement policies for youth in vulnerable contexts
- youth researcher in profit/nonprofit organisations

WHY CHOOSE US?
- inspiring internships, in the Netherlands or abroad
- small scale education, personal attention
- qualitative and quantitative methods in youth research

Application
You can apply online. Please go to:
www.rug.nl/howtoapply
- Application deadline September:
  EU: 1 June
  Non-EU: 1 May
- Application deadline February:
  EU: 1 December
  Non-EU: 1 November

Admission
- Bachelor degree in Pedagogical Sciences, Educational Sciences, Social Sciences or a similar relevant BA/BSc degree
- Sufficient English skills:
  TOEFL: 92 or IELTS: 6.5

More information
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