Study Theology in the Netherlands

MA Scholarships for international students available

Radboud University offers MA Scholarships for international students, wishing to start the Master’s programme in Theology on 1 September 2017.

The scholarships cover full tuition and accommodation expenses. Deadline is 1 June 2017.

Why Radboud University?
• Radboud University is ranked #43 in the world for Theology and Religious Studies according to QS World Rankings.
• Flexible specialisation routes in Biblical Exegesis, Practical Theology, History of Church and Theology and Systematic Theology.
• The university features excellent facilities, including libraries, laboratories and a modern sports centre.

More information?
See our website or contact our International Office:
www.ru.nl/masters/theology
theology@ru.nl

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Programme outline
Radboud University is a Catholic University that was born out of the emancipation of Roman Catholics in The Netherlands. Studying Theology in the broad Catholic tradition allows students the opportunity to flourish as a scholar amid a variety of perspectives. With this approach, our faculty trains theologians to think critically and constructively about the rich heritage of the Christian tradition (in the fields of Biblical Exegesis, the History of the Church and Theology) and the faith experience of the worldwide Christian community (in the fields of Systematic and Practical Theology). The programme has a course load of 180 EC (three years: two residential years for coursework and one non-residential year for research).

Graduate placements
Graduates of the Master’s programme in Theology are employed in various leadership positions in dioceses, religious congregations, universities and colleges. In a globalising world more and more institutions require skills in theological communication and hermeneutics.

Scholarships
The Faculty of Philosophy, Theology, and Religious Studies offers scholarships to excellent students from abroad to start the Master’s programme in Theology on 1 September 2017. The scholarship includes full tuition (€2,006) and a €8,500 stipend (enough to cover basic living expenses [housing, transport, food, books and health insurance]). The scholarship is renewable for two more years, for three years in total, provided the student remains in good academic standing.

Apply today
Application for the scholarship must include a letter of motivation, an academic essay and two recommendation letters. The subject of the essay should be related to the academic discipline of theology broadly conceived (including biblical, historical, empirical, and systematic perspectives) and ought to demonstrate your analytical skills. The essay should be a minimum of 2000 and a maximum of 2500 words (not including the bibliography). A Skype interview is part of the application process. Applications must be submitted before the 1st of June to theology@ru.nl

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Current Theology student Edward Ijengo:

‘In Tanzania theology is taught from one viewpoint. Most students were looking to deepen their own faith. At Radboud University it is more open; we learn different theories and ideas. In our seminars we have many people from different Christian denominations and some people who aren’t religious. We discuss with each other and we learn from those who believe different things than ourselves.’

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