Join Radboud Summer School 2017!

Excellence Beyond Borders: Gifted Education in Europe

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For a long time we believed that smart students would make it on their own. That however, is a misconception. Smart students can rapidly adapt to expectations and their peers thus covering up their giftedness. As a result, their talents are lost and a learning or behavioural disability could even arise. So, no, they do not necessarily make it on their own, they need parents, teachers and counsellors who have the necessary knowledge and experience to offer the required support. Giftedness is more than IQ. Physical, musical, social and creative abilities are involved. In this course you will study how personal characteristics such as motivation and performance anxiety, abilities, and surroundings influence each other. We will discuss how to identify the needs of a gifted student. Gut feelings will be compared with research results.

International experts will challenge you to look beyond the accepted views on giftedness. Models and theories of giftedness will be discussed, with special attention for the identification, prevention and intervention, like self regulated learning, different forms of enrichment and special classes for gifted students.

**After this course you are able to:**

- Apply general theories of giftedness in pedagogical and didactic settings;
- Apply the learning to your own work setting;
- Disseminate a scientific based vision on gifted education to colleagues, administration and policy makers;
- Show critical understanding of the theories and principles related to gifted education, drawing on a range of literature and using reflection on practical experience to evaluate them;
- Analyse critically legislation and policy relating to gifted education in light of the theories and research;
- Use the theories and research to analyse the experiences of learners and the quality of gifted education in a familiar context and to identify and justify improvement action critically;
- Present clear opinions and positions on the issues raised, based on personal reflection in ways that demonstrate empathy with people;
- Use practical tools to help you work with gifted students in their work environment.
Numer of EC
2 ECTS credits

Course leader
Dr Lianne Hoogeveen, Program director and teacher ECHA- training and School of Psychology, Radboud University Coordinator and teacher master program Gifted Education, Radboud University, Teacher master, School of Psychology, University of Leiden

Entry level
Advanced Bachelor, Master, PhD, Postdoc and Professional

For whom is this course designed
Students, post docs and professionals (with an interest for) working in the field of gifted education.

Dates
Monday 7 August – Friday 11 August 2017

Course fee
€ 600

Discounts
• 10% discount if you register before April 1, 2017.
• 15% additional partner-discount for students from partners universities on all course fees! See website for complete partner list!
Want to be part of the RSS experience?

More than just a course!
Radboud Summer School is more than an academic event. It is a unique opportunity to meet other international students and researchers and to get to know Radboud University and the city of Nijmegen. Our participants come from all over the world and have different cultural and academic backgrounds. Our programme includes the following activities free of charge: welcome reception, sports activity, guest lecture and farewell drink. We offer also a BBQ, River Cruise, City Tour, Pub quiz and excursion for a small fee.

Have a look at what participants had to say about their experience!

And do not forget to register now!

Deadline application
June 1, 2017

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