

Methodology Courses NSM Master Programs

Master's Programme: Bestuurskunde			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MBK020 (6EC)	Bestuurskundige Onderzoeksbenaderingen	?	1
Cursusdoelen			
<p>Aan het einde van de cursus Bestuurskundige Onderzoeksbenaderingen is de student in staat om:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrale wetenschapsfilosofische posities omtrent zekere kennis, wetenschappelijke vooruitgang en normativiteit in wetenschap en vaardigheid te benoemen en in eigen woorden te omschrijven, en daar zelf beredeneerd een positie over in te nemen; • Verschillende opvattingen over de taak van de bestuurskunde te herkennen, te benoemen, uit te leggen en te beoordelen; • Vanuit verschillende onderzoeksbenaderingen binnen de bestuurskunde zelf onderzoeksontwerpen te ontwikkelen of bestaande onderzoeken kritisch te beoordelen. 			

Master's Programme: Business Administration			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MBAM005 (6EC)	Research Methodology	Qualitative and Quantitative methods (+ systems dynamics modelling)	1-2
MAN-MOD012 (6EC)	Advanced Research Methods	Qualitative and Quantitative methods (use of SPSS)	1-2
MAN-MMA032A (6EC)	Methodology in Marketing and Strategic Management Research	Quantitative methods (use of SPSS; univariate and multivariate modelling)	1-2

Master's Programme: Economics			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MEC027 (6EC)	Methods of Empirical Analysis	Mainly Quantitative (use of STATA; advanced econometrics models); some Qualitative methods	1

Master's Programme: Environment and Society Studies			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MPL034 (6EC)	Advanced Research Methods	Students participate in several research methodology modules: (1) Quantitative Methods; (2) Qualitative Methods; (3) Varieties of Case Study Research; (4) Reflection on current implementation practice of spatial and environmental planning instruments; (5) Reflections on Practice Theory; (6) Discourse Analysis in Spatial and Environmental Planning	1-2

Master's Programme: Human Geography			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MSG050 (6EC)	Preparing the Master's Thesis	Focused on writing a research proposal.	1-2
<p>Aims After completing the course Preparing the Master's Thesis the student is able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formulate a well-founded and theoretically significant research problem for his/her Master's thesis research on the basis of relevant literature; • Recognise and describe components of research design including problem definition, theory, literature review, methodology, analysis and presentation of results; • Review current theory and literature to solve a relevant self-defined problem statement and report that in accordance with academic standards; • Write a full proposal for his/her Master's thesis, in accordance with academic standards. 			

Master's Programme: Political Science			
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MAN-MPL034 (6EC)	Advanced Research Methods	Students participate in several research methodology modules: (1) Quantitative Methods; (2) Qualitative Methods; (3) Varieties of Case Study Research; (4) Reflection on current implementation practice of spatial and environmental planning instruments; (5) Reflections on Practice Theory; (6) Discourse Analysis in Spatial and Environmental Planning	1-2
MAN-MPOL013A (6EC)	Advanced Research Methods		2
MAN-MEC027 (6EC)	Methods of Empirical Analysis	Mainly Quantitative (use of STATA; advanced econometrics models); some Qualitative methods	1
MAN-MPOL038 (6EC)	Sociology, Philosophy and Ethics of Research		1

Master's Programme: Spatial Planning			
Course Code	Course Name	Type of Method	Block
MAN-MPL034 (6EC)	Advanced Research Methods	Students participate in several research methodology modules: (1) Quantitative Methods; (2) Qualitative Methods; (3) Varieties of Case Study Research; (4) Reflection on current implementation practice of spatial and environmental planning instruments; (5) Reflections on Practice Theory; (6) Discourse Analysis in Spatial and Environmental Planning	1-2