Nijmegen School of Management

Presentation for Partner Universities

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THE NETHERLANDS: ONLY A DOT ON THE WORLD MAP...
THE NETHERLANDS: ... CENTRALLY LOCATED IN WESTERN EUROPE!
WHERE IS NIJMEGEN LOCATED IN THE NETHERLANDS?

The city of Nijmegen

• Safe, medium-size city

• Good connection to other cities and airports
  1.5 hours to Amsterdam airport

• Large student population
  15% of 170,000 inhabitants are students
TYPICALLY DUTCH
This is Nijmegen
STUDENT LIFE

- Study associations
- *Doornroosje* concert venue
- Nijmegen Lux Cinema
- Many bars, clubs and festivals
- Professional soccer team: N.E.C.
- Carnival in February
- Summerfest & Four Day Marches
WELCOME TO
Radboud University
AN IMPRESSION
RADBOUD UNIVERSITY

- Research university
- Founded in 1923
  - 7 faculties
  - More than 20,000 students – around 10% from abroad

Personal approach
- Easy access to lecturers

Worldwide network
- Studying abroad
- Guest lectures

One campus
- Excellent study and sports facilities
- Student housing and city-centre are close by
THE ELINOR OSTROM BUILDING – NIJMEGEN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

- Business Administration
- Economics and Business Economics
- Geography, Planning and Environment
- Political Science
- Public Administration
PRACTICAL INFORMATION

- 15 class hours per week, 25 hours of self-study
- Small-scale education:
  - Lectures: varies 45-150 students
  - Working Group: approximately 25-30 students
SMALL SCALE TEACHING AND PERSONAL ATTENTION
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AT NIJMEGEN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

• Exchange Mobility (2019-2020):
  • 251 incoming exchange students
  • 181 outgoing exchange students

• International students (2019-2020):
  • 79 Bachelor students
  • 75 Pre-Master students
  • 66 Master students
EXCHANGE STUDENTS: INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY OFFICE OF THE NIJMEGEN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

- Exchange application (Learning agreements)
- Change forms
- RU Transcript of records
- General questions and support

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STUDYING AT NIJMEGEN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT AS AN EXCHANGE STUDENT

• Partner agreement - number of available places

• Check the Incoming Students section on the website of the NSM International Mobility Office for procedures, deadlines and documents.

• Academic Calendar: semester & block structure

• Courses: students can choose from all the courses offered to exchange students at NSM and a maximum of 2 courses per semester at another faculty. They have to meet the prerequisites to be admitted to the course.

• Nomination & Application (Osiris)

• Documents for your application
BEFORE ARRIVAL

Things to do and to check before arrival:

• **Requirements**
• **Nomination & Application Deadlines**
• **Nomination Procedure**
• **Application Procedure**
• **Courses**
• **Academic Calendar**
PRE-ARRIVAL SERVICES – CENTRAL INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

- Registration in Osiris
- Accommodation offer
- Visa assistance (non-EEA)
- Orientation days for international students
REQUIREMENTS AND DEADLINES FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

In order to study at the Nijmegen School of Management, students have to meet certain requirements, among others:

**English Proficiency:**
- **B2 CEFR level English for Bachelor courses:** students need to be proficient in English in order to be able to follow courses at Radboud University.
- **C1 CEFR level English for Master courses**

**Educational background:** students need to have the right qualifications for any course you want to follow. NSM Master courses can only be taken if you have a completed Bachelor’s degree in the relevant field of studies.

**Application deadlines:** 23 May for the Autumn (or first) semester, and 23 November for the Spring (or second) semester. Nominations by your university should be done at least 1 month prior to the deadlines.
1 credit = 28 hour workload. All courses at the NSM are worth 6 ECTS credits = a 168 hour workload.

The normal study load for one semester is 5 courses (30 credits).

- The Exchange Students course list for the academic year 2021-2022 is available here (subject to change).
- You can choose a maximum of two courses per semester at another faculty (on-campus)
- Read the course description and its requirements.
- Make sure you select courses from the appropriate level and year: Bachelor, Master, or Elective (KV)
- Check the course period & the semester.
- Check its schedule by clicking on the red ‘Schedule’ tab.
EXAMS AND ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Exams

• You will be registered for the first attempt of your exam when we register you for the course.
• If you need to take a resit exam (2nd attempt) you need be registered by the IMO.
• Notify the IMO at least 2 weeks before the resit exam is scheduled by filling out the Resit Exam Registration Form.
• All exams have to be taken at Radboud University.

Academic Calendar

• The academic year consists of the Autumn semester (first semester) and the Spring semester (second semester).
• Each semester is subdivided into two blocks. The Autumn semester consists of block 1 and block 2, whereas the Spring semester consists of block 3 and block 4.
• Academic Calendar NSM
THINGS TO DO BEFORE YOU LEAVE

Transcript of Records
• In order to receive your Transcript of Records you have to submit an online request form.
• **Transcript of Records Request Form**
• It will be either be sent to you directly or, to your home university (depending on what you indicate).
• Failed courses will not be included in the transcript unless you specifically indicate this on the form.

Certificate of Stay / Departure forms
• Check with your home university whether there are forms they want you to take back with our signature/stamp on it.
ACTIVITIES

• Radboud International Students
• International Student Network (www.isnnijmegen.nl)
• Buddy programme: buddy@fm.ru.nl
• Study Associations
FACILITIES ON CAMPUS
SPORTS CENTRE

Prices for students (approximately):

Per year: €123.00
Per month: €19.00
STUDENT ACCOMMODATION
NSM ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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WOULD YOU LIKE TO TALK TO US INDIVIDUALLY?

We are available on Zoom!

- If you wish to discuss anything with us in person or if you have any (additional) questions, you are welcome to make an appointment with us on Zoom.

- In this case, please send us an email! We are available at imo@fm.ru.nl.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

Any questions?

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