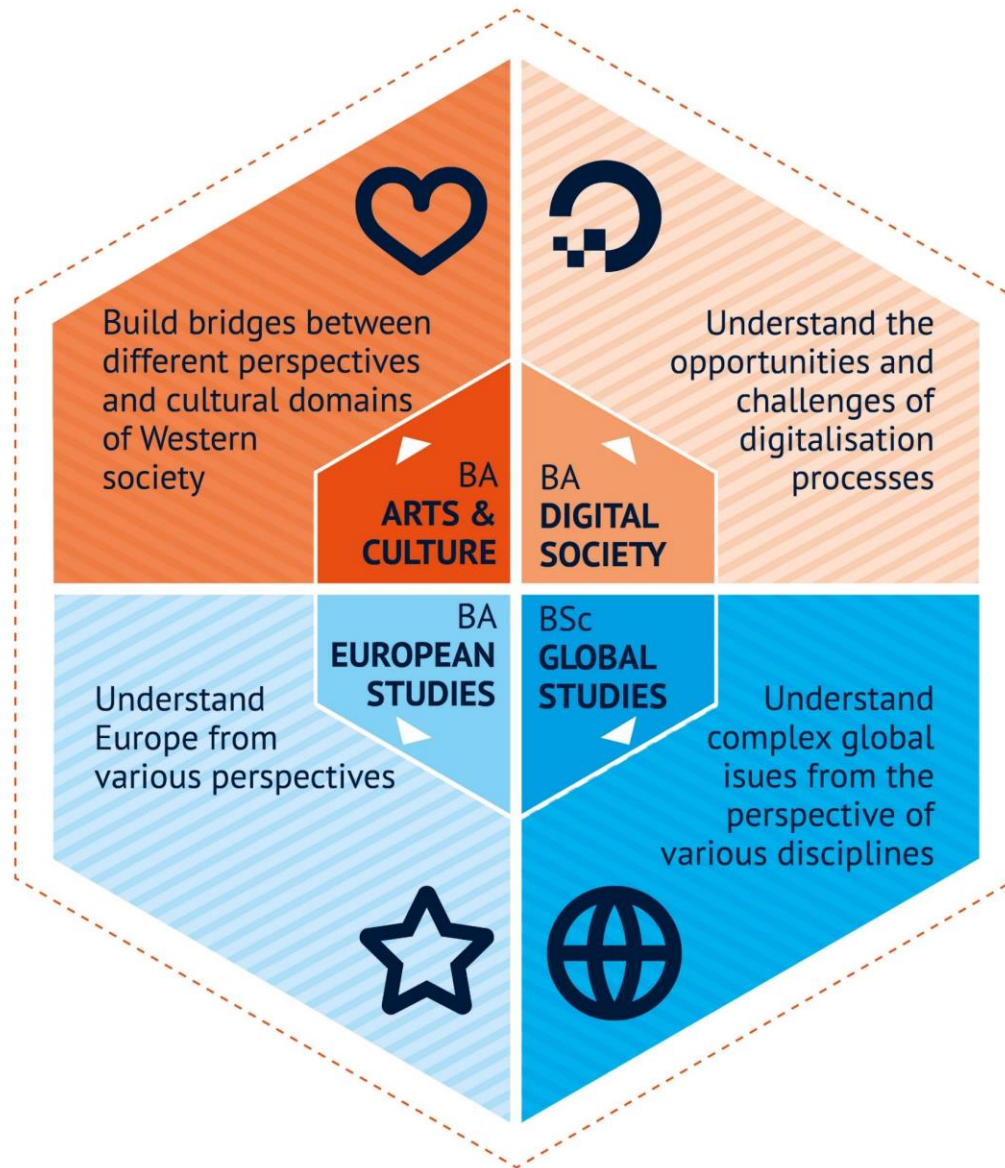


BA Arts and Culture

Programme Director: Darryl Cressman





Why did you choose Arts and Culture?



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What is Arts and Culture?

- A wide range of themes from contemporary, western society
- Focused on four cultural domains: media, science & technology, politics, and art & literature
- An interdisciplinary approach



Example Case

Understanding the discussion about **Artificial Intelligence** at the intersection of **Philosophy, Politics, Media** and **Technology**

What is Arts and Culture?

- 40 hour, full-time programme
- Taught in English, with possibility to write in Dutch



Problem-Based Learning

- Small group tutorials
- Lectures
- Skills trainings
- Writing trajectory - in English or Dutch



International Classroom

- 75 % of the first-year students come from abroad
- 26 nationalities in the first year
- 42 % of the teachers are international



The Arts and Culture Curriculum

- Structured elementary phase
- Possibility to make your own trajectory in graduation phase
- Mentor programme



Elementary Phase (first 1,5 years)

- Key moments and core issues in the development of contemporary, western society
- Chronological and thematic set-up



Course overview

Apollo and Dionysus

Knowledge and Criticism

Disenchantment and Ideology

Art and Modernity

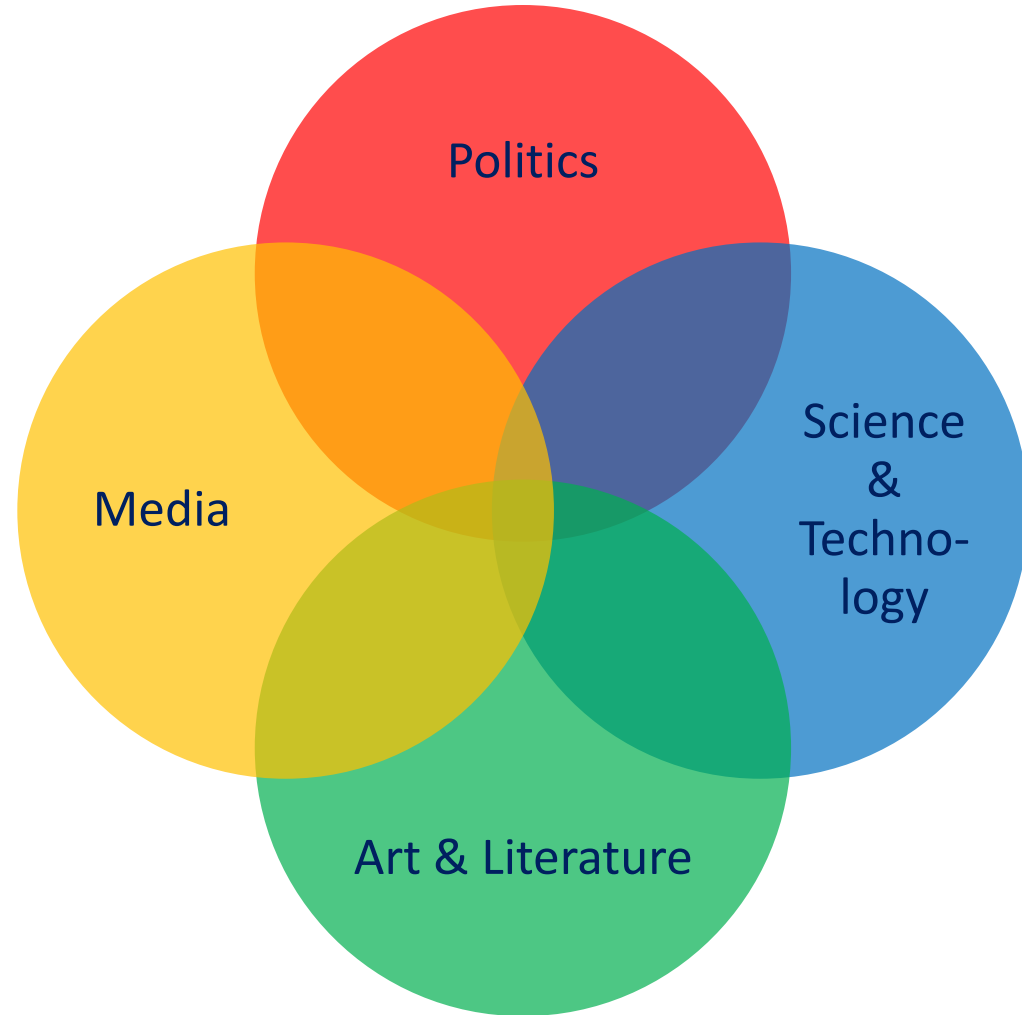
Technological Society

Cultural Pluralism

Graduation Phase (last 1,5 years)

Second-Year Electives:

- Othering Europe (p/a)
- Art, Literature and Technoscience (a/s)
- Living in a Digital Age (m/s)
- Power & Democracy (p/m)
- Vulnerable Bodies (m/a)
- Authority, Expertise and Environmental Change (s/p)



Graduation Phase (last 1,5 years)

Third year:

- Study abroad / Internship / Minor programme
- Preparatory courses & Bachelor's thesis



Skills Trajectory

- Reading texts and interdisciplinarity
- Finding sources - Advanced document analysis
- Conceptual analysis I - II
- Analysing art I - II
- Ethnography - Interviewing
- Discourse analysis I - II
- Research & Writing track - also offered in Dutch



What does an average week look like?



Typical Course Structure

- 8 weeks (7 of classes, final exam week)
- 2 tutorials / week
- 1 or 2 lectures / week
- 1 skills meeting / week
- mentor meetings
- Types of exams: written exam
open essay questions,
research papers, presentations



After Your Bachelor...

Which qualities do our graduates have?

- Understanding of current societal issues, their historical roots and cultural meanings
- Ability to approach a problem from different perspectives
- Ability to understand the intersections of art, science/technology, politics and media in today's culture
- Research and writing skills
- Presentation skills



Continue Your Study

Master's programmes at FASoS:

- MA Art, Literature and Society
- MA Politics and Society
- MA Arts & Heritage
- MA Media Studies: Digital Cultures
- MSc Cultures of Arts, Science and Technology (two years)
- 3 MA's + 1 MSc in European Studies
- MA Globalisation and Development Studies
- A master's elsewhere



Career Perspectives

Our graduates work in a wide variety of fields, such as:

- journalism
- politics/government
- cultural organizations
- media
- education
- NGOs
- research



What are your plans after graduation?



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Application

Application deadline non-EU/EEA citizens: **1 April 2023**

Application deadline EU/EEA citizens: **1 May 2023**

- Studielink: info.studielink.nl/en
- Maastricht University website (My UM)
- Matching questionnaire

Questions about applying?
study@maastrichtuniversity.nl

Other questions?
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Questions?

