

Welcome

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Master's Open Day
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Maastricht

Oldest city in the Netherlands, with the youngest university



Faculty of Law & Faculteit der Rechtsgeleerdheid

- Bilingual faculty
- 3000 students
- 51% foreign students
- Dutch and foreign staff
- 260 academic staff
- 50 support staff
- Academic community!



Bachelor programmes

- Dutch Law
- Tax law
- European Law School

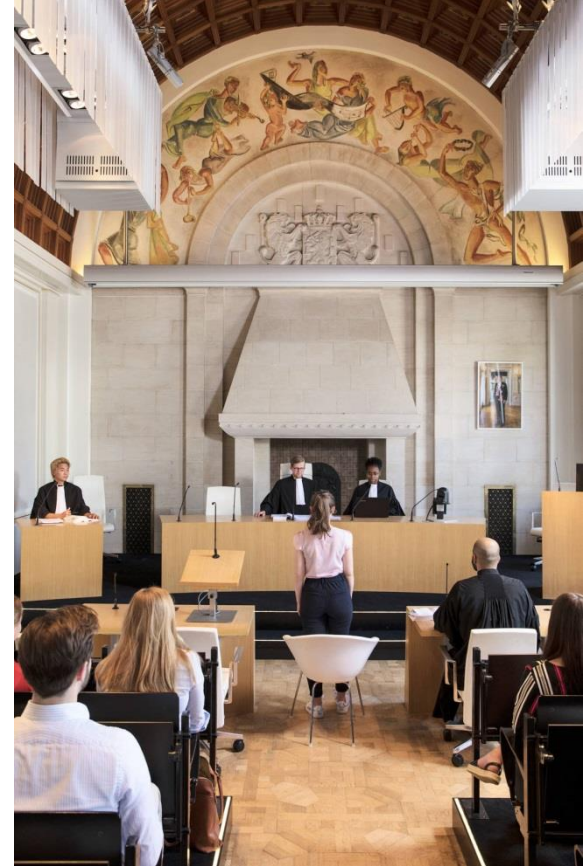


Master programmes

- Taught in English:
- European Law School
- Globalisation and Law
- European and International Tax Law
- Forensics, Criminology and Law
- International Laws (two years – one year abroad)

Master programmes

- Taught in Dutch:
- Dutch Law
- Labour and Health Law
- Tax Law
- Forensics and Criminology



Advanced master

Intellectual Property Law and Knowledge Management



Maastricht Experience

- Small scale teaching and problem based learning
- Legal skills and methodology
- European, transnational and international orientation
- Community and atmosphere



Teaching schedule

- 2 parallel courses per 8 weeks period
(10 courses per year; many electives)
- 1 tutorial group per week/per course + lectures and guest lectures
- *Also:*
 - Electronic learning environment
 - Focus on oral and writing skills
 - Traineeships
 - Moot court participation
 - Master thesis

Start of master programmes

- **Twice a year:**
 - **September (course 1)**
 - **February (course 4)**
- **(with the exception of ILS, IETL and IPKM)**

Honours programmes

- Master Honours Research Track
- PREMIUM
- Moot Courts
- Studium Generale
- Study associations



Link with research: important for choice of Master thesis

- Research profile Faculty of Law
 - Dutch law
 - European law and comparative law
 - International law and Intellectual property law
 - Human Rights
 - Labour and Health Law
 - Law & Tech
- Inter- and multidisciplinary research in e.g.
 - Criminology and Forensics
 - Environment and Sustainability
 - Citizenship, Migration and Development
 - Food and Health Law
 - Constitutional law, Politics and Governance

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