



PHD IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION



Blended: online education and partly face-to-face



‘SHE’s PhD programme belongs to the top PhD programmes in health professions education worldwide. Our PhD candidates value the flexibility of the programme and the expertise and support provided by SHE supervisors and researchers throughout their PhD journey’
- Janneke Frambach, PhD Coordinator

During a PhD you will learn independently how to conduct high-quality educational research and perform typically a series of empirical studies in your own work setting, resulting in a PhD thesis. PhD research must be original and contribute to the development of theories in medical education. Essential questions when writing a research proposal are, for instance: what has already been investigated on your topic of interest? What is known so far? And what are the strengths and the weaknesses of the studies conducted so far?

Fast facts:

- Highly ranked degree PhD programme in health professions education, mostly distance- based/ online, approximately 4-5 years
- International PhD degree
- Campus-based meetings during the SHE Academy for SHE PhD’s (bi-annual)
- Focus on two main research themes: Learning and Innovative Learning Environments and Assessment and Evaluation
- Date: flexible by appointment, after your research proposal has been accepted
- Course fee: The annual fee for the PhD programme is €5200

Participant profile

The PhD programme requires expertise in the area of medical education or health professions education. A theoretical basis comparable with a Master in Health Professions Education is required. If not, we advise you to start with the Master of Health Professions Education. If you need support in writing a PhD research proposal, we recommend you to start with our Advanced Course Writing a PhD research proposal.

Faculty

PhD candidates within SHE will be evaluated each year by the supervision team. Acknowledged researchers provide supervision on designing and conducting studies on writing international papers.