

**Study in Holland for value
that lasts a lifetime**

holland
international
study centre



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The **Holland International Study Centre** is where your exciting journey as an international student begins.

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RIJKSMUSEUM



AMSTERDAM CANALS

JOIN AN OPEN-MINDED
COMMUNITYOPPORTUNITY TO TRAVEL
THROUGHOUT MAINLAND EUROPEDISTINCTIVE DUTCH
ARCHITECTUREVONDelpark, GREEN SPACE IN
CENTRAL AMSTERDAM

Why study in Holland?

Top-ranked universities, affordable fees, and a visa that enables you to apply for jobs after you graduate make Holland a perfect study destination. That's why Holland offers value that lasts a lifetime.

Gain an affordable, world-class education

You'll be able to choose from a range of top world-ranking universities where fees and accommodation costs are significantly lower than in the USA and the UK.

Study in English in the heart of Europe

You'll have the advantage of being able to study your degree taught in English in a European country. Most Dutch people can speak English and businesses use it every day, so you'll also be able to easily get around, make new friends and settle in.

Join an open-minded community

With 100,000 students choosing Holland as a study destination every year, you'll be part of a vibrant community of students from all around the world. Dutch people are welcoming and accepting of new ideas, so it's easy to talk to them and share your culture.

Travel throughout Europe

Your visa will cover the full duration of your studies in Holland and also allows travel throughout the rest of Europe. Bustling cities like Paris and Berlin are each just a three-hour train journey or a one-hour flight from Amsterdam, giving you exciting travel opportunities on your doorstep.

Stay in Holland after graduation

Holland is the sixth largest economy in the European Union (Forbes, 2016) and large multinational companies like Philips and Shell are Dutch. With a year's post-study work visa you'll be able to apply for jobs in Holland and start your career here after you graduate.

100,000

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
ARE TAUGHT IN HOLLAND
EVERY YEAR

95%

OF DUTCH PEOPLE SPEAK
ENGLISH

Victoria from Venezuela

Studied International Foundation Year
in Business and Management.
Progressed to **Tilburg University**
to study Economics.



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Holland has an open-minded culture.

Mine is a family culture, meaning that you live with your family your entire life until you get married. Here it's completely different.

When you graduate from high school you move with your friends or you move to your own place and it's more independent. I like that and I think it's good for you to develop as a person. You grow a lot.

Dutch higher education

There are two types of institutions in Holland: **research universities** and **universities of applied sciences**. The university you choose depends on whether you want to prepare for a specific profession or you want a broader theory-based degree.



What are research universities?

Research universities are generally more academic and don't include work experience. They're a great choice if you've got a wide range of interests and are unsure what career path you'd like to follow. Courses will teach the theory behind a specific subject and skills that you can apply across a range of professions. Research activity is a key factor in global university rankings, where you'll find 13 Dutch research universities in the QS World University Rankings 2018.

- ← Research-orientated courses
- ← Three-year degrees
- ← Theoretical
- ← Broad focus on specific subject
- ← More academic
- ← Fewer contact hours
- ← More independent study



What are universities of applied sciences?

Studying at a university of applied sciences is a great choice if you already know what career you'd like to go into. Courses at these universities all include a work placement and focus on practical learning, developing the skills you'll need for your chosen profession. Learning how to use your skills in the workplace makes you highly employable as a graduate.

- ← Career-orientated, professional courses
- ← Three or four-year degrees*
- ← Practical
- ← Relevant to specific profession
- ← Work experience
- ← More contact hours
- ← Smaller classes and group work

*All progression degrees from the Holland International Study Centre are three years.



Start your career in Holland

As a graduate from a Dutch university, you'll have the exciting chance to stay and work in Holland after your degree thanks to advantageous visa options for international students. Fast-growing industries and universities linked to employers are waiting for you, and you can look forward to an exciting career.



LIVE AND WORK IN HOLLAND



CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT



GAIN A WORLD-CLASS EDUCATION



CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT

Stay after you graduate

Knowledge and talent is welcomed in Holland. So if you want to start your career in Holland, you can apply for an orientation year after you graduate.

With the orientation year you can spend up to one year looking for work and stay for as long as you hold that job. You won't need a work permit during your orientation year and there is no minimum income for any job you do have in this time.

Work in fast-growing industries

Holland is widely recognised as a key centre for business with a highly innovative and entrepreneurial population. Dutch multinational companies include Philips, KLM, Shell, ING Bank and Unilever. Key sectors offering great employment opportunities in Holland include:



Agriculture and food



Creative industries



Chemicals industry



Energy



High tech systems and materials



Horticulture



Life sciences and health



Logistics



Water

Connect with employers

Dutch universities have strong links with multinational companies based in Holland, opening up a world of opportunities to advance your career. While you're studying you can find work experience or take advantage of the university career service.

Quick facts on visas and permits

- The application procedure for your entry visa is arranged by your university
- There's no need to renew your visa after your International Study Centre programme as it is valid for the full duration of your studies in Holland
- You're allowed to work up to 10 hours a week or, instead, hold a full-time job during summer holidays
- Graduates are eligible to stay for one year applying for jobs with the Orientation Year for Graduates Seeking Employment

For more information visit
hollandisc.com

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What I like about studying in Holland is the fact that I can work here after graduation.

It would be great to find a good job and gain international work experience so I can show back home how efficient the Dutch are.



Pangeran from Indonesia
Studied International Foundation Year in Business and Management.



FRIENDLY ATMOSPHERE



PANORAMIC CITY VIEWS



STUDY IN A MODERN HIGH RISE BUILDING



DEVELOPING SKILLS



The Holland International Study Centre

This is where your educational journey in Holland begins. Prepare for your degree with programmes taught in English, leading to a wide choice of world-class universities in Holland.

Study in the heart of Amsterdam

Just a short walk from Amsterdam Central Station alongside the river IJ, you will find the Holland International Study Centre. You will study in a modern high-rise building with panoramic city views and a rooftop restaurant shared with local businesses.

Kick-start your degree

At the International Study Centre you will learn about the Dutch style of teaching and boost your academic skills with the help of specialist support staff. You'll also develop your English language skills and understanding of Dutch culture, so you'll be confident and adjust easily when you start your English-taught degree at university.

Skills for career success

As a student at the International Study Centre you can take advantage of our **CareerAhead** service. It is designed to give you a head start in today's competitive graduate employment market by helping you develop employability skills, build a CV and understand the best career direction for you.

Study plan

| Course options | Sep 18 | Oct 18 | Nov 18 | Dec 18 | Jan 19 | Feb 19 | Mar 19 | Apr 19 | May 19 | Jun 19 | Jul 19 | Aug 19 | Sep 19 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--|
| University of Applied Sciences International Foundation Year | | | | Vacation | TERM 1 | | | Vacation | TERM 2 | | | Vacation | University degree at Hanze University of Applied Sciences only |
| International Foundation Year | TERM 1 | | | Vacation | TERM 2 | | | Vacation | TERM 3 | | | Vacation | University degree at a range of partner universities |

International Foundation Year

English Language Preparation

University of Applied Sciences Foundation Year

Programme options

The Holland International Study Centre offers a range of programmes to help you prepare for your undergraduate degree at one of our partner universities.

International Foundation Year

Business and Management pathway

This three-term programme will prepare you for a range of undergraduate business degrees. You will study modules including **Mathematics, Microeconomics, Accounting and Marketing.**

Science and Engineering pathway

This three-term programme will prepare you for a range of undergraduate science degrees. You will study modules including **Applied Mathematics, Pure Mathematics, Chemistry, Computing and Physics.**

Key facts

Entry dates: September 2018

Course length: Three terms

English entry requirements: IELTS 5.0 (minimum 5.0 in writing, no other sub scores below 4.5). IELTS 5.0 required across all bands for pathways to Erasmus University Rotterdam.

Academic entry requirements: Good high school graduation grades or equivalent academic study

Centre: Amsterdam

University of Applied Sciences International Foundation Year

This two-term programme will prepare you for the BBA International Business and Management Studies degree at Hanze University of Applied Sciences.

You will study modules including **Mathematics, Economics and Marketing.**

Key facts

Entry dates: January (or September if English Language Preparation required)

Course length: Two terms

English entry requirements: IELTS 5.5 (minimum 5.5 in writing, no other sub scores below 5.0)

Academic entry requirements: Good high school graduation grades or equivalent academic study

Centre: Amsterdam

Progression university: Hanze University of Applied Sciences

English Language Preparation

If you do not have the required level of English language to start the University of Applied Sciences International Foundation Year, you can take our English Language Preparation course first. Starting in September, this one-term course is designed to help you make good progress in each of the core English skills and achieve the level of language proficiency you need.

Entry requirements: IELTS 5.0 (5.0 in writing, no other sub scores below 4.5)

For the latest information, including country-specific entry requirements, visit hollandisc.com

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I needed to solve my problems with English and other skills.

The International Study Centre is a very good place to prepare you for university. Teachers are friendly and the subjects here are at a higher level so it will help me at university. The teachers here also teach us about Dutch culture and behaviour.



Aditara from Indonesia

Studied International Foundation Year in Science and Engineering.

Degree preparation in Amsterdam



Amsterdam is an open-minded city with one of the largest student populations in Holland. Home to 180 nationalities, the capital is a welcoming location for our International Study Centre.

Welcome to Amsterdam

Studying at the International Study Centre in Amsterdam, you'll be in the city's business district in a new and modern building that has views across the city. The waterfront location sees ships and boats coming and going, which is an inspiring view from your lessons. You can also hang out in the cafeteria on the top floor and a coffee lounge shared with local businesses.

Live and learn in English

Around 95% of Dutch people speak English, and Amsterdam is one of the most international cities in Holland. You'll find restaurant menus and TV shows in English, and friendly locals all speak English too, so you'll have plenty of opportunities to practise the language while you're studying here.

Travel Europe and beyond

Amsterdam is a well connected city. Brussels, Antwerp and Paris can be reached in just a few hours by train. Amsterdam Airport Schiphol is a major European hub, giving you easy access to direct flights not only across Europe, but also to regions including Asia, the Middle East, Africa, and North, Central and South America. So whether you've got a weekend off or you want to travel home to see family, your journeys to new and exciting places couldn't be easier.

Explore a city of culture and history

For a relatively small city centre, just over 219km², Amsterdam is packed with things to see and do. Picturesque canals, historic buildings dating back to the fourteenth century, world-class museums and art exhibitions are all perfect to explore on foot or by bicycle. The city also holds many music festivals and sporting events throughout the year so there's always something to do.

Enjoy global cuisine

Restaurants and cafés are great to explore with your new friends. Delicious food from around the world is served across the city, everywhere from a relaxed café to a high-end Michelin-starred restaurant. You may also like to try bitterballen and stroopwafels, two popular Dutch snacks.



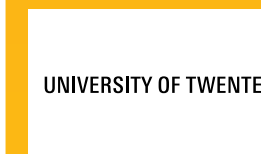
Average living costs in Amsterdam

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| Meal, inexpensive restaurant | €15.00 |
| Cappuccino | €2.77 |
| Bottle of water (0.33 litre) | €1.95 |
| Monthly travel pass (regular price) | €85.00 |
| Petrol (1 litre) | €1.51 |
| Monthly internet (10 Mbps, unlimited data, cable/ADSL) | €31.72 |
| Fitness club monthly fee | €31.73 |
| Cinema ticket | €11.00 |
| Monthly rent for a city centre apartment with one bedroom | €1,341.82 |

Please note: All prices are approximations of averages sources from numbeo.com/cost-of-living and are subject to change.

University options

From the **Holland International Study Centre** you can progress to one of the following universities:



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Erasmus University Rotterdam

Erasmus University Rotterdam is a world-class research university located in one of Europe's most dynamic and cosmopolitan cities. Study at a university consistently ranked in the global top 100 by the Times Higher Education World Rankings, while living in an inspiring maritime city.



Top for business and economics

Erasmus University Rotterdam is globally recognised for high-quality education and research. Business and economics have a particularly strong reputation globally and are ranked 17th in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2016-2017 by subject.

Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University is a triple-accredited business school (AACSB, EQUIS and AMBA) and Erasmus School of Economics has been producing excellent research for over a century.

Excellent career prospects

A degree from Erasmus University Rotterdam holds excellent career prospects. You'll connect with multinational companies and you may have the opportunity to gain wider industry experience by studying abroad. Rotterdam is one of Europe's most dynamic cities, home to multinational companies including Unilever, Shell, ING and PwC.

Modern campus university

The University campus is green and modern. It has everything you need for studying and socialising. Amenities include food and book shops, a hairdresser, cafés, restaurants, a supermarket, Starbucks and a sports centre. There is also an on-campus library, student accommodation and a theatre.

You will be surrounded by motivated students who are looking forward to **successful careers in international business or economics.**

BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS RANKED

17

TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD
UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2016-2017
BY SUBJECT

RANKED
72

TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD
UNIVERSITY RANKING 2018

Experience dynamic Rotterdam

Study in one of Europe's most dynamic cities. With a population of 631,000, Rotterdam is the Netherlands second largest city and home to the biggest port in Europe. Explore laid back cafés, inspiring art galleries, international sport events and innovative architecture along the waterfront with your new friends. Make sure you check out the Kijk-Kubus (Cube Houses), an abstract and space-saving design constructed in the 1970s.

For a panoramic view of this port city, travel to the neighbourhood known as 'The Hook of Holland' where the river opens into the North Sea. It has a sandy shore home to seals and you can enjoy cycling and watersports such as kitesurfing and kayaking. Fly to Spain and London from Rotterdam airport, or for destinations around the world Schiphol international airport is just 25 minutes away by train.



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During my high school years,
I remember I had a great desire
to study abroad.

Economics and Business Economics at Erasmus School of Economics was always my top preference. I liked the idea to study both economics and business while having an international perspective both academically and culturally.



Catalina from Romania

Studying International Bachelor Economics and Business Economics (IBEB), Erasmus University Rotterdam.

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NATIONALITIES
ON CAMPUS



UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE.

University of Twente

Renowned as one of Europe's best research universities, the University of Twente (UT) offers degree programmes focused on the development of technology and its impact on society. Combining world-class education with industry links and an entrepreneurial spirit, UT will give you the skills you need to start your career with confidence.



Impact on people and society

High tech with a human touch, UT's innovative education focuses on technology and its impact on people and society. Creating tomorrow's global citizens, the University wants to see its graduates go on to contribute solutions to issues around health, ageing, water, green energy, security and smart cities. Part of this is encouraging you to work with other disciplines during your degree.

Learn through themed projects

Twente has an innovative approach to education. Through modules, projects and learning together with other students you will understand new perspectives beyond your own field of study.

Expand your career opportunities

At the University of Twente, you'll benefit from the University's close industry contacts and have access to work placement opportunities with global companies including Google, Philips, Boeing and Siemens. You'll also be studying on a campus where about 50 start-up companies launch every year. Many students choose to continue their studies with a choice of more than 30 MSc programmes. The networks and work experience you'll build during your time at the University will give you a confident head start in your career after graduation.

You'll benefit from the University's industry contacts and have access to work placement opportunities with global companies including **Google, Philips, Boeing and Siemens.**

RANKED

179

TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD
UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2018

1,000

START-UP COMPANIES
LAUNCHED

ONE OF THE

largest
campuses
IN EUROPE

Live and study on campus

The University has a vibrant, green campus – one of the largest in Europe – and offers state-of-the-art laboratories and cultural and sporting facilities. It's the only Dutch research university to offer on-campus accommodation, which creates an American college vibe and a welcoming atmosphere for your studies.

Enjoy student life

You can find out all you need to know about living in Holland by visiting the Global Lounge on campus. It's also the perfect space to relax with your friends, where you'll find books, magazines, an Xbox and a TV. Plus there are plenty of Lonely Planet books here if you want some inspiration for a holiday in Europe or further afield. Elsewhere on campus you'll find over 100 student-run sports, cultural study and international student associations and various events across the year.

Explore Enschede

Enschede is a city in the Twente region of Holland, just a few kilometres from the border with Germany. Home to three universities and almost 40,000 students, the city has a strong student community.



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It feels great to be an international student here in Holland because it feels just like home.

I have my own company. There are companies who give you advice in terms of finance, how to raise your capital and how to make your own strategy.



Limei from China

BSc International Business Administration,
University of Twente.



Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

Study in English in one of the most multicultural cities in the world at Vrije Universiteit (VU) Amsterdam. Alongside 3,000 international students, you'll benefit from a world-class education and learn how to apply your knowledge to real-life challenges in the workplace.



Express your ideas

Founded in 1880, VU Amsterdam takes a sustainable approach to education and the environment. The 'VU' stands for Vrije Universiteit, which translates as 'Free University', and through research-led education students broaden their cultural and societal views. Consistently listed among the world's top universities, VU's interactive classes encourage you to develop your opinions and independent thought.

Study near big business

VU Amsterdam is a modern campus university in one of the fastest-growing business districts in Holland. Its location means it has excellent links with major companies and offers a fast-paced place to learn.

Get the support you need

VU Amsterdam welcomes all cultures, nationalities and religions. Its staff and students represent 84 nationalities and the International Office can provide all the support you need. They can assist you with housing, residence and visa permits, and even organise social and career activities to help you make friends and build your network.

Apply skills to the workplace

Thanks to its partnerships with major companies, VU Amsterdam teaches you how to apply your skills and knowledge to the real world. Bachelors degree programmes here provide you with real-life challenges and take your learning outside the classroom.

Live in Amsterdam

You'll quickly feel at home in Amsterdam and have the opportunity to live in student housing on VU's campus. English is widely spoken and it is one of the world's most multicultural cities, home to more than 180 different nationalities. On your days off, visit an art exhibition, enjoy dinner at one of the many international restaurants, or simply wander around the beautiful canals and historic buildings Amsterdam is famous for.



Consistently listed among the world's top universities, VU's interactive classes encourage you to develop your opinions.

RANKED
165
TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD
UNIVERSITY RANKING 2018

OVER
700
COMPANIES IN NEARBY
ZUIDAS DISTRICT

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It was a really easy decision to choose Amsterdam because it's liberal and it's fun; the people are open-minded and friendly.

There are a lot of students in Amsterdam. It's easy to make friends here. Universities here are much cheaper too.



Lara from Syria
Studied International Foundation Year in Business and Management.
Progressed to **Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam** to study International Business Administration.



Tilburg University

Tilburg University is a top-class research university in the south of Holland, focused on specialist degrees that will prepare you for your future career. The University is renowned for research driven business, economics, social sciences and law degrees, excellent exchange opportunities and its international community.



Best for business

Tilburg University specialises in business, economics, social sciences and law degree programmes, which are designed to develop your analytical thinking skills. Tilburg is the only Dutch university offering an Economics programme, and it has been ranked a top programme for three years in a row (*Keuzegids* consumer guide). Studying here means you will build connections to the business world through topical projects, case studies, guest lectures and events.

Study abroad

You can spend a semester abroad as an exchange student at one of Tilburg's many partner universities, in countries such as Denmark, Singapore, Canada, France, Turkey, Australia and Colombia. This gives you valuable experience of yet another culture and will impress future employers.

Be part of campus life

Tilburg is a green campus university and home to more than 1,500 international students from 102 nations, making it a welcoming place to study. A modern campus, it has everything you need, from state-of-the-art facilities for your studies to restaurants and a brand new sports centre.

Take a tour of Tilburg

Home to 200,000 residents, Tilburg is the sixth largest city in Holland. On your days off you can shop or visit cultural attractions like the historic textile museum and the "Stadsmuseum Tilburg" where Van Gogh took his first drawing class aged 13.

The city is most famous for the annual ten-day funfair in July, showcasing rides, attractions, stage shows and fireworks. Attracting 1.5 million visitors, this is the largest funfair in Holland and one of the largest in Europe. Travelling beyond Tilburg is easy if you want to explore. You can reach Amsterdam in just 90 minutes by train and the border with Belgium is just a few kilometres away.



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Tilburg University's International Business Administration programme combines many fields.

This helps me broaden my horizons and shape my future career path.



Bingru Li from China

Studying International Business Administration,
Tilburg University.

Tilburg is a green campus university and home to more than 1,500 international students from 102 nations, making it a welcoming place to study.

RANKED

5

FOR BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
SHANGHAI GLOBAL RANKINGS
OF ACADEMIC SUBJECTS 2017

RANKED

11

FOR BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS
TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION WORLD
UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2016-2017

TOP

50

FOR ECONOMICS AND ECONOMETRICS
QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS
BY SUBJECT 2017



Hanze University of Applied Sciences

Hanze University of Applied Sciences (UAS), is the largest university of applied sciences in the northern part of Holland and is located in the student city of Groningen. Here, theoretical, practical and career-focused education prepares you for today's global employment market.



Learn theory in practice

Courses at Hanze UAS support academic learning with practical assignments and work placements to prepare you for your future career. You will learn how to conduct business meetings to develop the teamwork and communication skills, and assignments will reflect real-life business scenarios.

Apply skills in the workplace

A work placement is an essential part of your course at Hanze UAS and helps you find out what area of business you want to work in. Students go all around the world, from Australia to Mexico to South Korea. Or you can stay right here in Holland.

The placement coordinator at the International Business School is here to help you find your placement and set learning goals. Previous students have completed placements at companies such as SEAT, Skoda, Porsche, Adidas, Continental, PricewaterhouseCoopers, L'Oréal Paris, LG electronics, Siemens, Hugo Boss, Volkswagen, Audi and Daimler. Plus, many students get a job offer from their placement company after graduating from Hanze.

Feel inspired in Groningen

Because Groningen is the urban centre of the north of Holland and has such a large student population, it has a diverse cultural scene for young people. Art and architecture are at the heart of the city, and the Groninger Museum, designed by Alessandro Mendini, is a beautiful example of modern architecture.

For a day trip, why not visit the Lauwersmeer National Park? You'll find forests, wildlife, beaches and a lake to enjoy. It's great for walking and cycling, as well as canoeing, boating and water sports.

Courses at Hanze UAS support academic learning with practical assignments and work placements, so that you'll learn how to apply your skills and knowledge in real-life situations.

GLOBAL TOP
25
FOR APPLIED RESEARCH
AND SPIN-OFFS
U-MULTIRANK 2016

1
SEMESTER FOR INTERNATIONAL
WORK PLACEMENT

Oldest
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL
IN HOLLAND

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I did my placement in Groningen for an online sports retailer.

This was a good opportunity for me to gain practical experience. We have studied in Hanze and learnt a lot of theory, so this was a good chance to apply it in real cases.



Jessica from China
Studying International Business,
Hanze University of Applied Sciences.



THE HAGUE
UNIVERSITY OF
APPLIED SCIENCES

The Hague University of Applied Sciences

Study in the royal capital of Holland, a city home to the Dutch government and parliament: The Hague. A culturally diverse university, The Hague University of Applied Sciences (THUAS) offers world-class degrees on a state-of-the-art campus.



Live in the international city of peace and justice

Also known as the royal capital of Holland, The Hague has a world-renowned reputation for being an international city of peace and justice. The Hague is the seat of the Dutch government and parliament, the Supreme Court and the Council of State, and hosts the United Nations, so you'll be studying and living in one of Holland's most important cities.

Join an international student community

THUAS is the most internationally and culturally diverse university in Holland, with a student community comprising over 150 nationalities. You'll be studying in English alongside many classmates who, like you, are studying and living abroad in Holland. So together you can share your experiences of student life in Holland.

Understand the world

THUAS will encourage you to see the world around you with open eyes. With its focus on high-quality education, internship opportunities and research, you'll be able to establish clear links between classroom lessons, practice and applied research. So you'll not only develop valuable skills and knowledge, but also be able to easily apply these to the outside world.

You'll be studying in English alongside many classmates who, like you, are studying and living abroad in Holland so you can share your experiences of student life.

150

STUDENT NATIONALITIES
ON CAMPUS

40,000

STUDENTS MAKING IT
A TRULY INTERNATIONAL CITY

Experience The Hague

The Hague is Holland's third largest city and you'll find it's bursting with creativity and culture. On your days off you can explore one of the city's museums or art galleries. Or, why not spend a day or two touring this hub of Dutch politics and international justice? Here you'll find 131 international institutes and 80 justice organisations.

If you want to explore further, a half-hour tram ride will take you Scheveningen, Holland's largest beach area. You'll also be close to Holland's other most popular cities – Amsterdam and Rotterdam.



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Being a student at THUAS is a wonderful experience.

THUAS has an international atmosphere since there are lots of international students from all around the world. There are several interesting events provided by the University so I can always meet new people, that's why I've never felt lonely living here. I really enjoy studying here!



Kyanat from Thailand

Studying BSc Process and Food Technology,
The Hague University of Applied Sciences.



Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences

Specialising in entrepreneurship and small business, Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences is the perfect choice if you want to start your own business, join your family business back home or join the corporate world as an entrepreneur. Courses combine theory, practical learning, work placements and research projects – all within the heart of the Dutch capital city, Amsterdam.



Gain hands-on experience

At Wittenborg, you'll get many opportunities to apply what you've learned in class to a real business. You'll get involved in an internship and work on assignments given by real companies. The University has an excellent network with the business world, giving you access to valuable work placements, successful start-ups, coaches, mentors and advisors to help you prepare for a career in the business world.

Build a global network

As a student at Wittenborg you'll have access to academic study trips around the world to countries like Kenya, the Philippines and China. There are also opportunities to study abroad in China at the Shanghai Finance University and the Shanghai Business School. With 60% of the University's students being international, you'll meet like-minded people and feel welcome from day one.

Explore Amsterdam

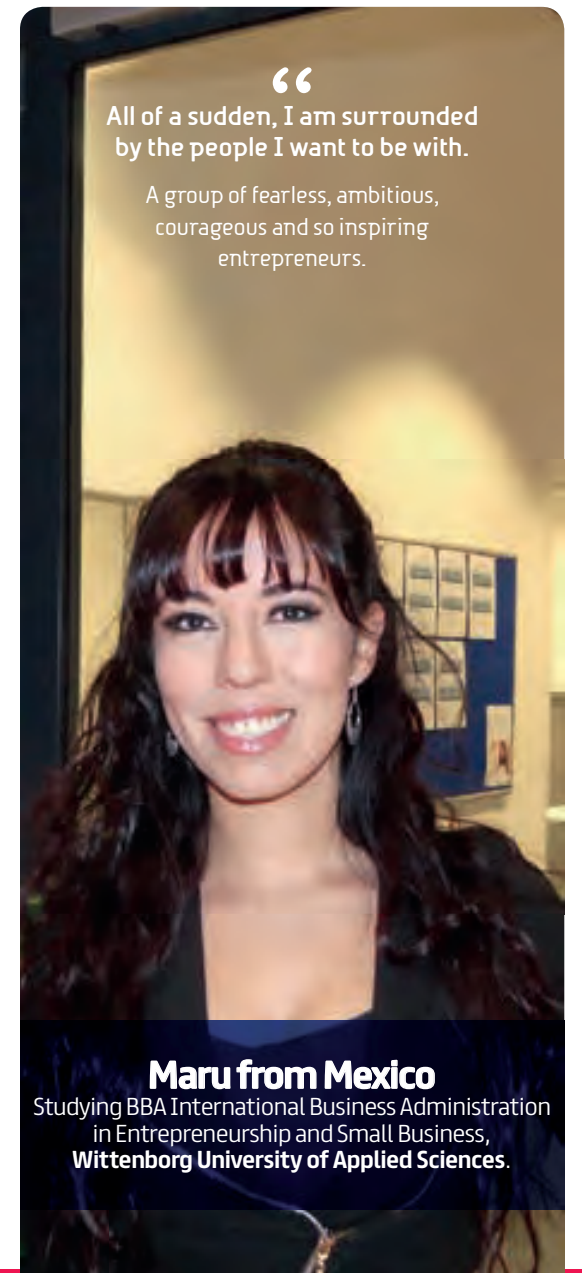
As you'll have already enjoyed studying in Amsterdam as an International Study Centre student, you'll feel right at home progressing to Wittenborg's Amsterdam Campus. You can even continue living at The Student Hotel. The University is ten minutes' walk from the central railway station in a key location for entrepreneurial start-ups in the Dutch capital.

For a cultural day out, Amsterdam has a wonderful Museum Quarter where you'll find Rijksmuseum, the Stedelijk museum of modern art and the Van Gogh Museum.



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All of a sudden, I am surrounded
by the people I want to be with.

A group of fearless, ambitious,
courageous and so inspiring
entrepreneurs.



Maru from Mexico

Studying BBA International Business Administration
in Entrepreneurship and Small Business,
Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences.

The University has an **excellent network of successful start-ups, coaches, mentors and advisors** to help you prepare for the business world.

60%
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

LINKS WITH OVER
50
WORK PLACEMENT COMPANIES

Where to live

Stay in affordable, comfortable accommodation with **The Student Hotel** in Amsterdam. You'll be surrounded by a lively student community and get a free bike to explore your new home and join in with Dutch culture.



The Student Hotel

We have reserved rooms at The Student Hotel for you and your classmates, where you'll discover a modern, fun, stylish place to live. Your room includes everything you need including an en-suite bathroom, large bed, cupboard, desk and flatscreen TV. If you like company at home, kitchen facilities can be shared with up to ten people – a great way to exchange cultural dishes with your friends.

Benefit from:

- A choice of comfortable, fully-furnished rooms and luxury suites
- High-speed internet and wi-fi included
- A free personal bike for exploring the city
- Games, lounge area, pool tables and gym
- Study and co-working spaces
- Energy costs and services included
- Private or shared kitchens
- 24-hour security, on-site staff, launderette
- Bar, café and restaurant with healthy meals and daily deals
- Organised social activities like parties and summer barbecues

Feel safe and well looked after

You won't need to worry about a thing at The Student Hotel – whether it's your safety or how to use the washing machine. There's 24-hour security as well as on-site staff to answer any of your questions or concerns. You'll always feel safe and well looked after at The Student Hotel.

Live in a convenient location

The Student Hotel has two locations in Amsterdam - Amsterdam City and Amsterdam West. Each is within easy reach of the International Study Centre, shops, restaurants and transport links.

How to book your room

We will send you a booking link to book your room when you confirm your place at the International Study Centre. Please don't book any other way as our booking link will ensure you book the right room for the correct dates.

For more information about The Student Hotel, visit hollandisc.com



“ I have met a lot of people at The Student Hotel.

It's a great opportunity to stay there and I met a lot of people from different countries where we can share our culture and our food.

Zhala from Azerbaijan
Studied International Foundation Year
in Science and Engineering.

Progression degrees

Once you complete your programme and achieve the required grades, you can progress to your chosen degree at one of our partner universities.

International Foundation Year in Business and Management

| UNIVERSITY | DEGREE |
|---|---|
| Erasmus University Rotterdam | BSc International Bachelor Economics & Business Economics (IBEB) BSc International Business Administration (IBA) |
| University of Twente | BSc International Business Administration |
| Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | BSc International Business Administration |
| Tilburg University | BSc International Business Administration BSc Economics BSc Econometrics and Operations Research |
| The Hague University of Applied Sciences | BA International Business & Management Studies BA International Financial Management & Control BA International Sports Management |
| Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences | BBA International Business Administration in Entrepreneurship & Small Business |

International Foundation Year in Science and Engineering

| UNIVERSITY | DEGREE |
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| University of Twente | BSc Advanced Technology BSc Applied Mathematics BSc Chemical Engineering BSc Creative Technology BSc Electrical Engineering BSc Technical Computer Science BSc Industrial Design BSc Business & IT BSc Civil Engineering BSc Mechanical Engineering |
| Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam | BSc Business Analytics BSc Computer Science |
| The Hague University of Applied Sciences | BSc Process and Food Technology BEng Industrial Design Engineering |

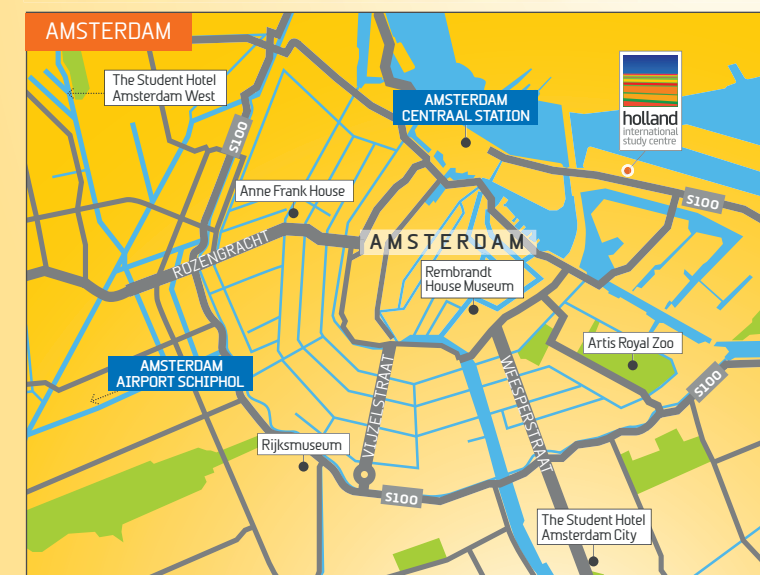
University of Applied Sciences International Foundation Year

| UNIVERSITY | DEGREE |
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| Hanze University of Applied Sciences | BBA International Business and Management Studies |

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Find us

Holland International Study Centre is located in the heart of Amsterdam, where you will begin your studies in Holland. Our partner universities are located in different cities across the country.



AMSTERDAM CENTRAAL TO:

HOLLAND INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTRE 15 MIN WALK / 1 TRAM STOP
AMSTERDAM AIRPORT SCHIPHOL 17 MIN BY CAR / 15 MIN BY TRAIN
THE STUDENT HOTEL AMSTERDAM WEST 18 MIN BY CAR / 10 MIN BY METRO
THE STUDENT HOTEL AMSTERDAM CITY 15 MIN BY CAR / 10 MIN BY METRO

Student insurance

It is essential that international students have the protection of appropriate accident and medical insurance whilst in the Netherlands. This is to cover you for loss of personal possessions, travel delay and medical insurance. You must arrange insurance before you arrive in the Netherlands. Study Group has an arrangement with Aon, but other insurers are available. You will be sent information as part of your application process. For more information, visit hollandisc.com

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In such circumstances we may have to alter the timetable, change the teaching location of the programme or, in extreme cases, cancel or substantially amend the content of the programme. Should any of these changes become necessary, we will give you as much notice as possible before they come into effect and ensure that any disruption to your studies is minimised.

If your programme is cancelled, we will work in consultation with you to offer a suitable alternative, subject to meeting the admission requirements for that programme or the opportunity to obtain a refund of any advance payments you have made for the programme. The alternative programme may not be at the same International Study Centre as the original offer.

Study Group reserves the right, where applicable, to amend the regulations governing programmes at Holland International Study Centre. We therefore strongly recommend that immediately prior to making any application to - or accepting any offer from - us, you refer to the most up-to-date version of the programme descriptions and specifications and the regulations on the Holland International Study Centre website.

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How to apply

You can apply to the Holland International Study Centre through your local education agent or directly via our website.

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