

Teaching and Examination Regulations

**Bachelor's programme Communication and Information
Sciences**

Faculty of Humanities

Academic year 2022-2023

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Section A: Faculty section

1. General provisions

Article 1.1 Applicability of the Regulations

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| 1. These Regulations apply to anyone enrolled in the programme, irrespective of the academic year in which the student was first enrolled in the programme. | Advice OLC, approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |
| 2. These Regulations enter into force on 1 September 2022. | Advice OLC, approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |
| 3. An amendment to the Teaching and Examination Regulations is only permitted to concern an academic year already in progress if this does not demonstrably damage the interests of students. | Advice OLC, approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |

Article 1.2 Definitions

The following definitions are used in these Regulations (*in alphabetical order*) :

- a. academic year: the period beginning on 1 September and ending on 31 August of the following calendar year;
- b. CvB: the Executive Board of Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.
- c. EC (European Credit): a course credit with a workload of 28 hours of study;
- d. examination: the final examination of the Bachelor's programme;
- e. FGV: faculty joint assembly – assembly of the faculty student council and faculty staff council;
- f. interim examination: an assessment of the student's knowledge, understanding and skills relating to a unit of education. The assessment is expressed in terms of a final mark. An interim examination may consist of one or more partial examinations. A resit always covers the same material as the original interim examination;
- g. joint degree: a degree awarded by an institution together with one or more institutions in the Netherlands or abroad, after the student has completed a study programme (a degree programme, a specialization or a specific curriculum within a degree programme) for which the collaborating institutions are jointly responsible;
- h. OLC: programme committee;
- i. period: a part of a semester;
- j. practical exercise: the participation in a practical training activity or other educational learning activity, aimed at acquiring certain (academic) skills. Examples of practical exercises are:
- researching and writing a thesis or dissertation
 - carrying out a research assignment
 - taking part in fieldwork or an excursion
 - taking part in another educational learning activity aimed at acquiring specific skills, or
 - participating in and completing a work placement;
- k. programme: the totality and cohesion of the units of education, teaching activities/methods, contact hours, testing and examination methods and recommended literature;
- l. SAP/SLM: the student information system (*Student Lifecycle Management*);

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| m. semester: | the first (September - January) or second half (February - August) of an academic year; |
| n. specialization | optional route of study within a degree programme indicating a deepening of the disciplinary, interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary context of the programme; |
| o. student statute: | sets out the rights and responsibilities of students on the one hand, and of Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam on the other hand, including those derived from the law and those derived from university regulations. The Executive Board (CvB) officially confirms the student statute once its completeness has been approved by the University Student Council (USC); |
| p. study guide: | the guide for the study programme that provides further details of the courses, provisions and other information specific to that programme. The Study Guide is available online at: https://studiegids.vu.nl/en |
| q. study monitor (<i>studie monitor</i>): | dashboard for students and academic advisers with data of the student and that provides insight into the student's study progress; |
| r. subject | see 'unit of education'; |
| s. track | a study pathway within a broader Bachelor's or Master's degree programme, such as a fully English-language study pathway within a Dutch-language Bachelor's or Master's programme; |
| t. thesis: | a unit comprising research into the literature and/or contributing to scientific research, always resulting in a written report; |
| u. unit of education: | a unit of study of the programme within the meaning of the WHW; |
| v. university: | Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam; |
| w. WHW: | the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (<i>Wet op het Hoger Onderwijs en Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek</i>); |
| x. workload: | the workload of the unit of study to which an interim examination applies, expressed in terms of credits = EC credits (ECTS = European Credit and Transfer Accumulation System). The workload for 1 year (1,680 hours) is 60 EC credits. |

The other terms have the meanings ascribed to them by the WHW.

2. Study programme structure

Article 2.1 Structure of academic year and units of study

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| 1. The study programme will be offered in a year divided into two semesters. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. Every semester consists of three consecutive periods. The first two periods each consist of eight weeks, and the final period consists of four weeks. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. A unit of education comprises 6 EC or a multiple thereof. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 4. By way of exception to paragraph 3, the Executive Board may in special cases and on request of the Faculty Board, stipulate that a unit of study comprises 3 EC or a multiple thereof. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 2.2 Frame study programme

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| 1. The Bachelor's programme consists in any case of the following components: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Academic development of at least 24 EC b. Major/compulsory components of at least 90 EC c. Elective components of study of at least 30 EC | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. In the first year of the programme, the programme will offer at least fourteen contact hours a week. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. In the second and third years of the programme, the programme will offer at least twelve contact hours a week. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 4. Internationalization is included as part of the Bachelor's programme and reflected in one or more units of education. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

3. Assessment and examination**Article 3.1 Signing up for education and interim examinations**

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| 1. Every student must sign up to participate in the units of education of the programme, the interim examinations and resits. The procedure for signing up is described in an annex to the student statute. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. Signing up may only take place in the designated periods. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 3.2 Type of examination

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| At the examiner's request, the Examination Board may permit a different form of interim examination than is stipulated in the study guide. | Advice OLC, Approval FGV (7.13 l) |
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Article 3.3 Oral interim examinations

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| An oral assessment is public unless the Examination Board determines otherwise. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 l and n) |
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Article 3.4 Determining and announcing results

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| 1. The examiner determines the result of a written interim examination within ten working days. By way of departure from that stipulated in the first clause, the marking deadline for theses and final assignments (NB: this does not include tests, such as written assignments or papers, at the end of regular educational components) is no longer than twenty working days. The examiner will then immediately ensure that the marks are registered and also ensures that the student is immediately notified of the mark, taking due account of the applicable confidentiality standards. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. The examiner determines the result (i.e. mark) of an oral examination as soon as possible, but at the latest within two working days after the examination has finished and informs the student accordingly. The third clause of the first paragraph applies. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 o) |
| 3. In the case of assessments other than oral or written examinations, the Examination Board determines in advance how and by what deadline the student will be informed of the results. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 o) |

Article 3.5 Examination opportunities

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| 1. | a. Per academic year, two opportunities to take examinations will be offered for each unit of education. b. By way of exception to a., the options for retaking practical exercises, work placements and theses are detailed in the relevant work placement manual, teaching regulations or graduation regulations. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. | The most recent mark will apply in the event of a resit. A resit is allowed for both passed and failed units of study. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. | In case of a resit of a written assignment (such as a paper or essay) the following options exist: a. The resit involves improving the assessed written assignment. In that case the examiner may set a maximum mark to be obtained. b. The resit involves making (a) new assignment(s); Before the start of the unit of education, the examiner will indicate in the course manual which option or which options (under which conditions) apply or applies to the course. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 j) |
| 4. | The resit for a (partial) interim examination must <i>not</i> take place within ten working days of the announcement of the result of the (partial) examination being resat. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 j) |
| 5. | In case of partial interim exams and/or written partial assignments, the examiner will indicate before the start of the unit of education in the course manual how partial exams and/or partial assignments will be resat. The examiner may set a substitute assignment, taking into account the original learning objective to be tested. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 j) |
| 6. | The Examination Board may allow a student an extra opportunity to sit an interim examination if they: a. lack only those credits to qualify for their degree; and b. have failed the interim examination during all the previously offered attempts unless participation in an interim examination was not possible for compelling reasons. The extra opportunity can only be offered if it concerns a written examination, a paper or a take home examination. This provision excludes the practical exercises and the Bachelor's thesis. Requests for an additional examination opportunity must be submitted to the Examination Board no later than 1 July. If necessary, the method of examination may deviate from the provisions in the study guide. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 7. | If a unit of education is no longer offered in the academic year following its termination, at least one opportunity will be provided to sit the interim examination(s) or parts thereof and a transitional arrangement will be included in Section B for the subsequent time. | Advice OLC, approval FGV (7.13 j) |

Article 3.6 Marks

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| 1. | Marks are given on a scale from 1 to 10 with no more than one figure after the decimal point. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. | A final mark between 5 and 6 will be rounded to the nearest whole number: final marks below 5.5, rounded down; final marks of 5.5 or higher, rounded up. All other final marks will be expressed in whole or half marks. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. | To pass a given course or unit, a final mark of 6 or higher is required. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 4. | The Examination Board can allow to use symbols rather than numbers, for example V(voldaan = pass), G(goed=good), NVD(niet voldaan=fail), etc. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 3.7 Exemption

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| 1. At the written request of the student, the Examination Board may exempt a student from taking one or more examination components, if they: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> have either passed a unit of education at a university of applied sciences (HBO) or research university (WO) that is equivalent in terms of content and level; or have demonstrated through their work and/or professional experience that they have sufficient knowledge and skills with regard to the relevant unit of education. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 r) |
| 2. The Bachelor's thesis is excluded from this exemption possibility. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |

Article 3.8 Validity period for results

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| 1. The validity period of interim examinations passed and exemption from interim examinations is unlimited, unless otherwise specified in Section B. | Legal provision |
| 2. The validity period of a partial examination is limited to the academic year in which it was sat or until the end of the unit of study concerned, as stipulated for the relevant unit of study in Section B. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |

Article 3.9 Right of inspection and post-examination discussion

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| 1. Within twenty working days after the announcement of the results of a written interim examination, but at least ten working days before the resit opportunity for that interim examination, the student can submit a request to inspect their assessed work, the questions and assignments set in it, as well as the standards applied for marking. The place and time at which the inspection takes place will be announced on VU.nl Dashboard or Canvas in all cases. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 p and q) |
| 2. If a collective post-examination discussion has been organized, individual post-examination discussions will be held only if the student has attended the collective discussion or if the student was unable to attend the collective discussion through no fault of their own. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 q) |
| 3. Students who meet the requirements stipulated in paragraph 2 can submit a request for an individual post-examination discussion to the relevant examiner. The discussion shall take place at a time and location to be determined by the examiner within the regular timetable, on campus or online. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 p and q) |

4. Honours programme**Article 4.1 Honours programme**

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| 1. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam offers an honours programme for students who meet the admission requirements. The honours programme consists of units of education taken in addition to the standard curriculum. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. The honours programme comprises 30 EC, a minimum of 12 EC of which consist of faculty or programme honours components and a minimum of another 12 EC consist of interfaculty honours components. The choices available to the student will be published on the website (https://www.vu.nl). | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. For admission to the honours programme, the student must have secured all credits from the first year by no later than 31 August of the relevant year and have been awarded a grade point average (GPA) of at least a 7.5. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 4. The student who has met the requirements of the regular Bachelor's programme within the nominal duration of study, who has achieved a grade point average (GPA) of at least | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

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| 7.5 for all components of the Bachelor's programme (excluding the honours components) and who has also met the requirements of the honours programme will receive a Bachelor diploma with a transcript indicating that they have successfully completed the honours programme. | |
| 5. First-year Bachelor's students can participate in honours components during the second semester, on the condition that they have earned 30 EC during the first semester with a weighted average of at least a 7.5. First-year students can only participate in honours components that are open for first-year students. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

5. Academic student counselling, recommendation on continuation of studies and study progress

Article 5.1 Administration of study progress and academic student counselling

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| 1. The faculty board is responsible for the correct registration of the students' study results. After the assessment of a unit of education has been registered, every student has the right to inspect the result for that component and also has a list of the results achieved at their disposal in the VU.nl Dashboard. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 u) |
| 2. Enrolled students are eligible for academic student counselling. Academic student counselling is provided by <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Student General Counselling Service Student psychologists Faculty academic advisers | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 u) |

Article 5.2 Recommendation on continuation of studies

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| 1. The faculty board will issue every student on a full-time Bachelor's programme with a recommendation on continuation of their studies, at the end of the first year of study. The recommendation on continuation of studies is issued on behalf of the faculty board by the faculty BSA committee | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. Prior to 1 February, the student will receive an overview of their results. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. A student who has not completed enough credits, will receive a warning stating that if insufficient improvement in their performance is forthcoming by the end of the academic year, they will be advised not to continue their studies. These students will be advised to plan a meeting with an academic adviser. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |
| 4. If the recommendation at the end of the academic year is negative the provisions of Article 5.3 apply. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |
| 5. A recommendation will not be issued if the student terminates their enrolment before 1 February of their first academic year. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |

Article 5.3 Binding (negative) recommendation on continuation of studies (BSA)

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| 1. The recommendation issued at the end of the academic year will contain a binding rejection if the student has not achieved the standard required for positive recommendation on continuation of studies. A recommendation on continuation of studies will not be issued if the student demonstrates that they have not been able to meet the standard described in Article 2.1 of the Higher Education and Research (Implementation) Act (<i>Uitvoeringsbesluit WHW</i>) due to personal circumstances. The standard is defined in Section B. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. As soon as possible after the last resits of the second semester of the first year, a student who has not met the standard will be informed that the faculty board intends to issue | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

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| them with negative binding recommendation on continuation of studies. The same procedure applies in the next year of enrolment if the student was permitted to continue with their study programme as a result of personal circumstances and has still not successfully met all of the requirements of the first year of study by that time. No recommendation will be issued to students if they demonstrate that they once again did not meet the standard as a consequence of personal circumstances. | |
| 3. Along with the information referred to in the previous paragraph, the student will also be informed of the possibility of being heard by the BSA committee and of how they can apply for such a hearing. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 4. As soon as possible (no more than 10 working days) after the end of the hearing and after the BSA committee has issued its advice, the faculty board will issue the definitive recommendation on continuation of studies. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 5. Students may lodge an appeal against a decision on a binding negative recommendation on continuation of studies with the Examination Appeals Board of Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam within six weeks of the day of the decision's announcement. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 6. Students who receive a binding negative recommendation on continuation of studies may therefore not enrol in the same Bachelor's programme or Bachelor's programme(s) with the same first year as defined in Article 14.1.2 of section B for a period of three years. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 5.4 Personal circumstances

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| 1. The faculty board will not include a rejection in the binding recommendation on the continuation of studies in the case of personal circumstances, as described in Article 2.1 of the Higher Education and Research (Implementation) Act, as a result of which the student concerned cannot have been reasonably expected to have met the BSA standard. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |
| 2. If a circumstance, as described in Article 2.1 of the Higher Education and Research (Implementation) Act, should occur, the student must notify the academic adviser office as soon as possible, providing details of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> the period in which the circumstance occurs or occurred; a description of the circumstance and its seriousness; the extent to which they cannot or could not participate in instruction/classes or an interim examination. It is the student's responsibility to submit documentary evidence to substantiate their report. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |
| 3. If required, the academic adviser may advise the BSA committee on the extent to which personal circumstances have influenced the student's study progress. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |

Article 5.5 Facilities for students with a disability

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| 1. A student with a disability can submit a request via the VU.nl Dashboard to qualify for one or more special facilities with regard to teaching, practical exercises and interim examinations. These facilities will accommodate the student's individual disability as much as possible, but may not alter the quality or degree of difficulty of a unit of study or an examination. In all cases, the student must fulfil the exit qualifications for the study programme. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 2. The request referred to in the first paragraph must be accompanied by a statement from a doctor or psychologist. If possible, an estimate should be given of the potential impact on the student's study progress. In case of a chronic disability a single (one time) request suffices. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |

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| 3. Students who have been diagnosed with dyslexia must provide a statement from a BIG-, NIP- or NVO-registered professional who is qualified to conduct a psychological evaluation. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 4. The faculty board, or the responsible person on behalf of the faculty board, decides on teaching facilities and facilities regarding logistics. The Examination Board will decide on requests for facilities with regard to examinations. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 5. In the event of a positive decision in response to a request as referred to in paragraph 1, the student can make an appointment with the academic adviser to discuss the details of the facilities. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 6. A request for one or more facilities can be refused if it would place a disproportionate burden on the organization or the resources of the faculty or university were it upheld. Any such refusal will be substantiated. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 7. If the disability justifies an extension of the interim examination time, the responsible person on behalf of the Examination Board will register in SAP this entitlement to an extension. If a disability justifies other measures to be taken, the academic adviser can take the necessary measures. The student can consult the study monitor to check which facilities have been granted to them. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |
| 8. The decision as referred to in paragraph 5 may specify a limited validity of the facilities granted. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 m) |

6. Hardship clause

Article 6.1 Hardship clause

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| In instances not regulated by the Teaching and Examination Regulations or in the event of demonstrable extreme unreasonableness or unfairness, the faculty board responsible for the study programme will decide, unless the matter concerned is the responsibility of the Examination Board. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 sub b) |
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Section B1: Programme specific – general provisions**7. General programme information and characteristics****Article 7.1 Study programme information**

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| The programme Communication and Information Studies CROHO number 56826 is offered on a full-time basis. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 i) |
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Article 7.2 Teaching formats used and modes of assessment

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| 1. The degree programme uses the following teaching formats: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lecture - Seminar - Tutorial - Excursion - (Computer) lab session | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 x) |
| 2. The degree programme uses the following modes of assessment as further explained in the study guide. These modes of assessment may vary depending on the chosen track. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Written examination - Oral examination - Progress assessment - Paper - Written assignment - Review - Thesis - Oral presentation - Poster presentation - Participation - Portfolio - Practical assignment - Fieldwork assignment | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 l) |

Article 7.3 Academic student counselling

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| The programme offers the following counselling in addition to the student counselling mentioned in Section A: a tutorage during the first year, in which teachers are tutors of a group of students. | Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 u) |
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8. Further admission requirements**Article 8.1 Additional previous education requirements**

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| 1. Students who meet the previous education requirements as stipulated in the current 'Regulations on Additional Prior Education Requirements for Higher Education' ('Regeling Aanmelding en Toelating Hoger Onderwijs' (RATHO, OCW)) will gain access to the programme. | Legal provision |
| 2. Students who do not meet the previous education requirements as stipulated in 'Regulations on Additional Prior Education Requirements for Higher Education' currently | Exception in WHW: advice OLC |

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| <p>in force may still be admitted to the programme by successfully completing one or more of the following exams: <i>Not applicable</i>.</p> | |
| <p>3. For tracks with Dutch as the main language of instruction, sufficient command of the Dutch language can be evidenced by successful completion of one of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The official Dutch as a Second Language Programme II (NT2-II) and registration in DUO; Certificate of Dutch as a Second Language (CNaVT), profile 'Educatief Professioneel' (EDUP) C1 or 'Educatief Startbekwaam' (SRTR)B2; Final school examinations accepted by Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, which included the Dutch language. <p>Those who have been admitted to a Dutch-language study programme based on a diploma obtained abroad and who have successfully completed level 4 of VWO or higher with a pass grade in Dutch are exempted from the language requirement.</p> | <p>Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9</p> |
| <p>4. For tracks with English as the main language of instruction, sufficient command of the English language can be evidenced by successful completion of one of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> IELTS (academic) 6.5; TOEFL paper-based test 580; TOEFL internet-based test 92; VU English Language Proficiency Test: TOEFL ITP 580; Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE) or Cambridge Certificate of Advanced English (CAE): grade A, B or C; Official secondary education examination: VWO English language and literature. <p>Those who have completed English-language education in Canada, the USA, the UK, Ireland, New Zealand or Australia and those who already hold an English-language Bachelor's degree are exempted from the language requirement.</p> | <p>Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9</p> |
| <p>5. Anyone who does not meet the previous education requirements but has successfully completed the first year of a higher professional education programme can gain admission to the programme by successfully completing the following tests:</p> <p>For tracks with Dutch as the main language of instruction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dutch 6 VWO - English 6 VWO <p>For tracks with English as the main language of instruction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - English 6 VWO - History 6 VWO or Dutch 6 VWO | <p>Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 sub b)</p> |

Article 8.2 Colloquium doctum (entrance examination)

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| <p>1. Persons aged 21 years and older who do not meet the requirements for previous education can submit a request to the Executive Board to take an entrance examination (colloquium doctum), as stipulated in Article 7.29 of the WHW. The entrance examination concerns the following subjects at final pre-university examination level:</p> <p>For tracks with Dutch as the main language of instruction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dutch 6 VWO - English 6 VWO - One of the following: History 6 VWO, German 6 VWO, French 6 VWO, Mathematics 6 VWO | <p>Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 ub b)</p> |
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| <p>For tracks with English as the main language of instruction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - English 6 VWO - Two of the following: History 6 VWO, German 6 VWO, French 6 VWO, Mathematics 6 VWO, Dutch 6 VWO | |
| <p>2. The proof that the entrance examination has been passed, only provides entitlement to admission to the intended programme or programmes for the academic year after the examination was taken.</p> | <p>Advice OLC; approval FGV (9.38 sub b)</p> |

[Article 8.3 Additional English language requirements for Bachelor's programmes based on special educational concept or with a special quality mark](#)

Not applicable.

9. Interim examinations and results

[Article 9.1 Sequence of interim examinations](#)

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| <p>See appendix 6.</p> | <p>Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 h, 7.13 s/t)</p> |
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[Article 9.2 Validity period for results](#)

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| <p>If the student's skills, understanding or knowledge evaluated in the exam are demonstrably outdated, the Examination Board may impose a supplementary or replacement examination for a unit of education for which an examination was passed more than 6 years ago.</p> | <p>Advice OLC; approval FGV (7.13 k)</p> |
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Section B2: Programme specific – content of programme

10. Programme objectives, specializations, exit qualifications and language

[Article 10.1 Programme objective](#)

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| <p>See appendix 5.</p> | <p>Advice OLC; (7.13 a)</p> |
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[Article 10.2 Tracks and/or specializations](#)

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| <p>The programme has the following tracks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Media en Journalistiek - Language Learning and Language Teaching - Language and Media - English Language and Communication Studies <p>The following tracks are closed for admission:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Journalistiek - Taal, media en samenleving | <p>Approval OLC; (7.13 b)</p> |
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Article 10.3 Exit qualifications

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| 1. See appendix 5. | Approval OLC (7.13 c) |
| 2. Language proficiency may be taken into account in the assessment of (interim) examinations | Approval OLC (7.13 c) |

Article 10.4 Language of instruction and language test

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| 1. The language of instruction of the track Media en Journalistiek is Dutch. Part of the courses are offered in English. The language of instruction of the tracks Language Learning and Language Teaching, Language and Media and English Language and Communication Studies is English. | Approval OLC (9.18) |
| 2. The 'Gedragscode vreemde taal' (Code of conduct for foreign languages) applies. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. At the start of the first year of study every student must complete a diagnostic language test. Students of the track Media en Journalistiek are required to take a Dutch test. Students of the tracks Language Learning and Language Teaching, Language and Media and English Language and Communication Studies are required to take an English test. | Advice OLC; (7.13 a) |
| 4. Any student who does not achieve a pass on the language test must take the 'Refresher Course' organized by the Language Desk (Taalloket). | Approval OLC (7.13 c) |
| 5. The language test is part of the following unit of education: Academic Skills CIS 1. A mark can only be determined if the student has successfully completed the requirements of the unit of education, including a pass in the language test or completing the Refresher Course. | Approval OLC (7.13 c) |

11. Curriculum structure**Article 11.1 Academic development**

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| 1. Academic development is part of the study programme. This includes: (1) Academic skills/critical reasoning (2) Methods & techniques (3) Philosophical training | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. (4) Academic English | Advice OLC; (7.13 a) |

Article 11.2 Major

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| 1. The major comprises a package of compulsory and possibly optional units of study. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. In addition, units of study are categorized as introductory (100), in-depth (200) and advanced (300) level. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 11.3 Compulsory units of education of the major

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| See appendix 1. A detailed description per educational component can be found in the Study Guide. | Advice OLC; (7.13 a) |
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Article 11.4 Elective units of education components of the major

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| See appendix 1. A detailed description per educational component can be found in the Study Guide. | Advice OLC; (7.13 a) |
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Article 11.5 Practical exercise

| Name of unit of education | course code | nr of EC | level | Approval OLC (7.13 d) |
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| Ba-scriptie CIW | L_AABACIWSCR | 9 | 300 | |
| Bachelorstage CIW | L_NCBACIWSTA | 12 | 300 | |
| Ba-scriptie colloquium CIW | L_AABACIWCOL | 3 | 300 | |

Article 11.6 Participation in practical exercises and seminars or tutorials

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| 1. In the case of a practical exercise, students must attend at least 80% of the practical sessions. Should they attend less than 80%, they must repeat the practical exercise, or the examiner may issue one or more supplementary assignments. | Approval OLC (7.13 d) |
| 2. In the case of a seminar or tutorial, students must attend at least 80% of the sessions. Should they attend less than 80%, they must repeat the sessions, or the examiner may issue one or more supplementary assignments. | Approval OLC (7.13 d) |

12. Electives**Article 12.1 Elective period**

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| 1. The first semester of the third year of the curriculum comprises at least 30 EC of elective units of education. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. For this elective period, the student can take: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. a minor (a coherent package of related units of education) b. individual choice of at least five units of education at the faculty or elsewhere, of which at least two (12 EC) must be at level 300 c. an internship of 12 EC and three units of education (or 18 EC) | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 3. Prior consent must be obtained from the Examination Board. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |

Article 12.2 Minors

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| 1. Students who meet the admission requirements can take a 'University minor' without prior consent from the Examination Board. | Ordinance CvB, see appendix 9 |
| 2. Without the prior permission of the Examination Board, students may take one of the minors listed in appendix 3 (overview of faculty minors) | Advice OLC; (7.13a) |
| 3. If a unit of education from a minor is a compulsory component within the Ba CIS curriculum, this educational component of the minor must be replaced by another unit of education with permission of the Examination Board. | |

13. Honours programme**Article 13.1 Honours components**

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| The faculty part of the Honours Programme is composed as mentioned in appendix 4. | Advice OLC; (7.13 a) |
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14. Binding recommendation on continuation of studies (BSA)

Article 14.1 Binding (negative) recommendation

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| 1. In order to obtain a positive recommendation on continuation of studies, the student must have obtained: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. at least 42 EC by the end of the first year of enrolment, b. and have met the following quality requirements: having obtained the courses Academic Skills CIS 1 (including the language test Dutch or English) and Academic Skills CIS 2. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |
| 2. Students who receive a binding negative recommendation on continuation of studies cannot enrol in the following Bachelor's programme(s) offered by the Faculty during the subsequent three academic years: Ba Communication and Information Studies. | Advice OLC (7.13 f) |

15. Evaluation and transitional provisions**Article 15.1 Evaluation of the education**

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| The education provided in this programme is evaluated in accordance with appendix 2. The faculty evaluation plan offers the framework. | Approval OLC (7.13 a1) |
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Article 15.2 Transitional provisions

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| By way of departure from the Teaching and Examination Regulations currently in force, the following transitional provisions apply for students who started the programme under a previous set of Teaching and Examination Regulations: | | Advice OLC (7.13 a) |
| Cancelled course | Replacement course | |
| Gespreksadvies versus gesprekspraktijk L_NCBACIW309 | Onderzoek in opdracht L_AABACIW308 | |

Advice and approval by the Programme Committee on 28 April 2022

Approved by the Faculty Joint Assembly on 27 June 2022

Adopted by the board of the Faculty on 7 July 2022

Appendix 1 Programme overviews

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| WEEK | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
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| YEAR 1 | L_AABACIW102 [6 EC] Introduction to Communication Studies | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV5 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 1 | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV6 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 2 | | | | | L_AABACIW108 [6 EC] Methods | | | | | L_AABACIW109 [6 EC] Psycholinguistics | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW103 [6 EC] Introduction to Linguistics | | | | | | | L_EABAALG103 [3 EC] Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar | | | | | | | L_EABAALG104 [3 EC] Academic English CIS-L&S Writing | | | | | L_AABACIW107 [6 EC] Discourse Analysis | | | | | L_AABACIW112 [6 EC] The Structures of English | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW104 [6 EC] Language, Media and Communication | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW111 [6 EC] First Language Acquisition & Language Impairment | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW105 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW106 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VU_ELT [0 EC] English Language Test | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

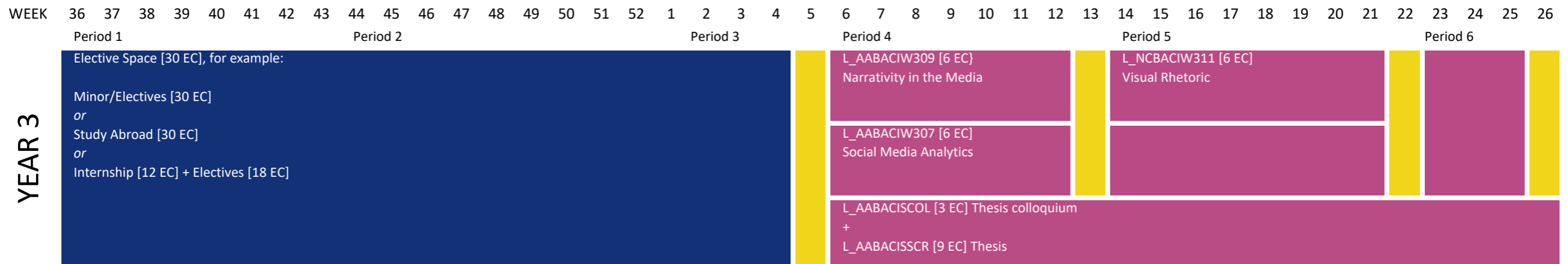
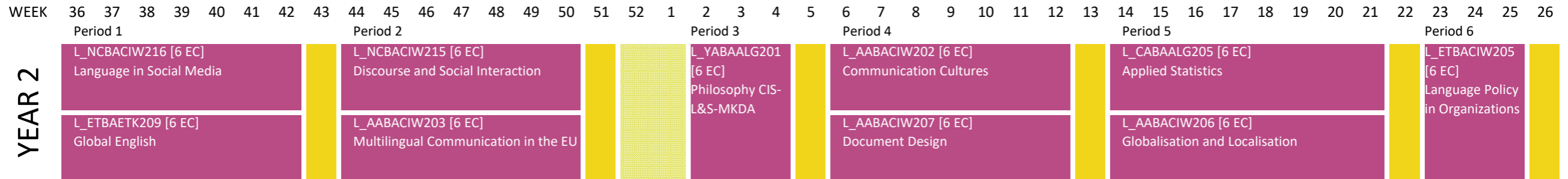
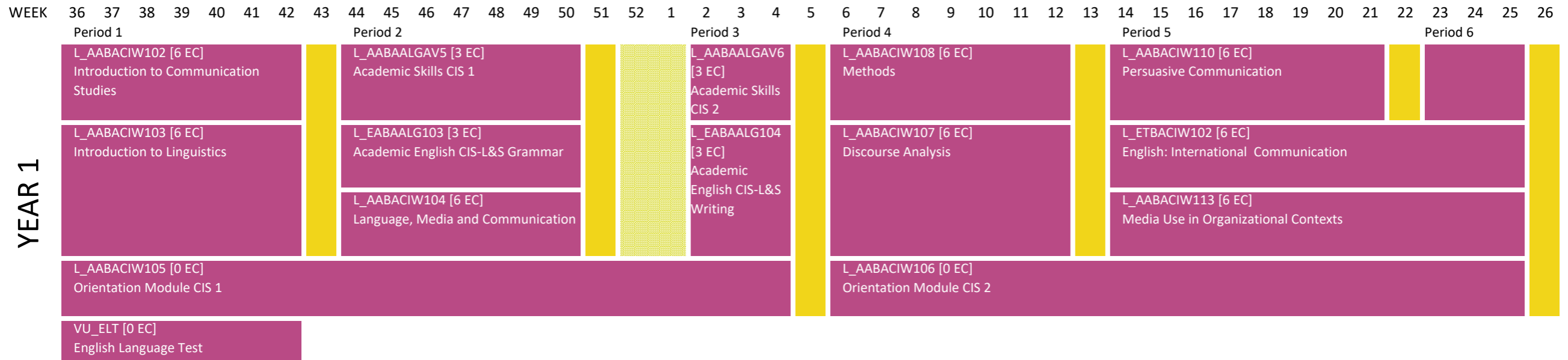
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| YEAR 2 | L_AABACIW204 [6 EC] Literacy Development | | | | | | | L_WABACIW203 [6 EC] Applied Phonetics | | | | | | | L_YABAALG201 [6 EC] Philosophy CIS-L&S-MKDA | | | | | L_AABACIW202 [6 EC] Communication Cultures | | | | | L_CABAALG205 [6 EC] Applied Statistics | | | | | L_AABACIW205 [6 EC] Language, Culture and Variation | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_ETBAETK209 [6 EC] Global English | | | | | | | L_WABACIW204 [6 EC] Second Language Acquisition | | | | | | | | | | | | L_ETBACIW204 [6 EC] Spoken Language and Gesture | | | | | L_PABACIW204 [6 EC] Morphology and Semantics | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| YEAR 3 | Elective Space [30 EC], for example: Minor/Electives [30 EC] or Study Abroad [30 EC] or Internship [12 EC] + Electives [18 EC] | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_WABACIW307 [6 EC] Dyslexia | | | | | L_WABACIW309 [6 EC] Language Testing | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| YEAR 1 | L_AABACIW102 [6 EC] Introduction to Communication Studies | | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV5 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 1 | | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV6 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 2 | | | | L_AABACIW108 [6 EC] Methods | | | | | L_AABACIW110 [6 EC] Persuasive Communication | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW103 [6 EC] Introduction to Linguistics | | | | | | | | L_EABAALG103 [3 EC] Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar | | | | | | | | L_EABAALG104 [3 EC] Academic English CIS-L&S Writing | | | | L_AABACIW107 [6 EC] Discourse Analysis | | | | | L_ETBACIW102 [6 EC] English: International Communication | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW104 [6 EC] Language, Media and Communication | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW112 [6 EC] The Structures of English | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW105 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW106 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VU_ELT [0 EC] English Language Test | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| YEAR 2 | L_NCBACIW216 [6 EC] Language in Social Media | | | | | | | | L_ETBACIW202 [6 EC] Analysing Text & Talk | | | | | | | | L_YABAALG201 [6 EC] Philosophy CIS-L&S-MKDA | | | | L_AABACIW202 [6 EC] Communication Cultures | | | | | L_CABAALG205 [6 EC] Applied Statistics | | | | | | L_AABACIW205 [6 EC] Language, Culture and Variation | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_ETBAETK209 [6 EC] Global English | | | | | | | | L_ETBACIW203 [6 EC] Text Production and Translation | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_ETBACIW204 [6 EC] Spoken Language and Gesture | | | | | L_AABACIW206 [6 EC] Globalisation and Localisation | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| YEAR 3 | Elective Space [30 EC], for example: Minor/Electives [30 EC] or Study Abroad [30 EC] or Internship [12 EC] + Electives [18 EC] | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_ETBACIW302 [6 EC] Metaphor in Professional Settings | | | | | L_ETBACIW301 [6 EC] Advanced English Language Skills | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| JAAR 1 | Periode 1 | | | | | | | | Periode 2 | | | | | | | | Periode 3 | | | | Periode 4 | | | | Periode 5 | | | | Periode 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW102 [6 EC] Introduction to Communication Studies | | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV5 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 1 | | | | | | | | L_AABAALGAV6 [3 EC] Academic Skills CIS 2 | | | | L_AABACIW108 [6 EC] Methods | | | | L_AABACIW110 [6 EC] Persuasive Communication | | | | L_AABACIW118 [6 EC] Journalistiek: van Theorie naar Praktijk | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW115 [6 EC] Inleiding Media en Journalistiek | | | | | | | | L_EABAALG103 [3 EC] Academic English CIW-L&S Grammar | | | | | | | | L_EABAALG104 [3 EC] Academic English CIW-L&S Writing | | | | L_AABACIW117 [6 EC] Formulieren | | | | L_AABACIW116 [6 EC] Media en Democratie | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW104 [6 EC] Language, Media and Communication | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABACIW105 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW106 [0 EC] Orientation Module CIS 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VU_TAALTOETS [0 EC] Taaltoets NL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| JAAR 2 | Periode 1 | | | | | | | | Periode 2 | | | | | | | | Periode 3 | | | | Periode 4 | | | | Periode 5 | | | | Periode 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_NCBACIW210 [6 EC] Communicatie en cognitie | | | | | | | | L_NCBACIW215 [6 EC] Discourse and Social Interaction | | | | | | | | L_YABAALG201 [6 EC] Philosophy CIS-L&S-MKDA | | | | L_NCBACIW215 [6 EC] Interactie in organisaties | | | | L_CABAALG205 [6 EC] Applied Statistics | | | | L_AABAALG205 [6 EC] Media ethiek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | L_AABAALG044 [6 EC] Journalistieke vaardigheden tekst | | | | | | | | L_AABAALG045 [6 EC] Journalistieke vaardigheden beeld | | | | | | | | | | | | L_PABACIW205 [6 EC] Datajournalistiek | | | | L_NCBACIW211 [6 EC] Communicatie en effectonderzoek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| JAAR 3 | Periode 1 | | | | | | | | Periode 2 | | | | | | | | Periode 3 | | | | Periode 4 | | | | Periode 5 | | | | Periode 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Keuzeruimte [30 EC], bijvoorbeeld: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW309 [6 EC] Narrativity in the Media | | | | L_NCBACIW311 [6 EC] Visual Rhetoric | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Minor of Keuzevakken of Studeren in het buitenland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIW308 [6 EC] Onderzoek in opdracht | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | L_AABACIWCOL [3 EC] Scriptie colloquium + L_AABACIWSCR [9 EC] Scriptie CIW | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Appendix 2 Evaluation of education at the Faculty of Humanities

Course and curriculum evaluations aim to improve the quality of education. The VU draws up questionnaires for this purpose with a number of key questions, which are always asked. In addition, the faculty has the option of adding its own questions to the lists.

Within the Faculty of Humanities, questionnaires are distributed digitally. In this way, the anonymity of students is guaranteed and the PDCA cycle - which serves educational improvement - can be run properly.

When the results of the evaluation are ready, the course coordinator is notified. The course coordinator formulates a response to the results of the evaluation and can also report to the students what they are going to change about the course for the next academic year based on the results. Students will have access to a selection of the evaluation results (provided there were at least five respondents) and the course coordinator's response.

The evaluation results are available to the examiner, the instructor members of the program committee, the program director, and the evaluation coordinator. The Annual Evaluation Plan states when the evaluation results will be available. The program committees can adjust their meeting schedule accordingly, if desired. The program committees present an analysis of the evaluations in their annual report.

Courses to be evaluated

The following criteria are used to designate a module as requiring evaluation:

- Each course is evaluated (at least) once every three years, this means that one third of all courses are covered anyway. This is spread over periods and years so that not all students of one year level are asked to fill in questionnaires each time;
- all newly developed courses / new curriculum;
- courses taught by new teachers;
- all less well evaluated courses from the previous year based on criteria as defined in the Annual Evaluation Plan;
- all courses from university minors offered by faculty;
- courses addressed in the annual plan of the Assessment Chamber;
- courses, with more than 8 students enrolled, that were identified as requiring evaluation in the previous year, but for which there are no evaluation results.

Curriculum Evaluations

The basic principle is that a curriculum is evaluated at least before the start of a midterm review or visitation and after every (thorough) curriculum change. The questionnaires are distributed digitally. The program director may add additional questions to this questionnaire. The period in which the questionnaire is distributed is determined in consultation with the programme director. In addition to the programme committee, the results of curriculum evaluations may be discussed with the work field advisory board.

Other forms of evaluation

Besides digital evaluation, there are other ways to evaluate education. The chapter on Educational Evaluations in the VU's Handbook on Educational Quality provides an overview of qualitative forms of educational evaluation, such as panel discussions, peer review, and quick inventories of strengths and suggestions. These forms of evaluation are encouraged within the faculty.

National Student Survey (NSE)

The Vrije Universiteit participates in the National Student Survey (*Nationale Studenten Enquete*), which is conducted each spring. The NSE can provide useful information about how students experience their program. The annual reports of the programmes reflect on the results of the NSE.

Appendix 3 Minors Faculty of Humanities 2022-2023

In addition to the minors listed below that are offered by FGW, you can also choose from the generally approved university minors offered by the VU.

American Studies

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---------------------------------------|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Introduction to American Studies v | 6 | L_ELBAELK206 | 100 | 1 |
| Social History of the United States v | 6 | L_GEBAALG003 | 200 | 1 |
| Transatlantic Travel Writing | 6 | L_ELBALES206 | 200 | 1 |
| American Literature 1914-present | 6 | L_ELBALES211 | 200 | 2 |
| American Film | 6 | L_ELBAELK208 | 300 | 2 |
| Transatlantic Connections | 6 | L_GABAALG016 | 300 | 2 |

History (UM)

University minor, not open for students History

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| European History 500-1500 | 3 | L_GABAGES120 | 100 | 1 |
| European History 1500-1800 | 3 | L_GABAGES122 | 100 | 2 |
| Imagining the Dutch: themes in Dutch History | 6 | L_GCBAALG003 | 200 | 1 |
| Transatlantic Connections | 6 | L_GABAALG016 | 300 | 2 |
| Decolonizing Europe: History and Memory | 6 | L_GCBAGES200 | 300 | 2 |
| Oral History and Biography | 6 | L_AABAGES208 | 300 | 3 |

European Urban and Cultural History

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| European Cultural History v | 6 | L_GABAMKD103 | 100 | 1 |
| Amsterdam: A Historical Introduction v | 6 | L_AABAALG056 | 100 | 1 |
| Amsterdam Jewish Culture v | 6 | L_GCBAALG007 | 300 | 2 |
| Dutch Literature and Culture in the Golden Age v | 6 | L_NOBAALG005 | 200 | 2 |
| History of Emotions or | 6 | L_GABAALG004 | 200 | 2 |
| History of Emotions (research) | 6 | L_GABAALG015 | 300 | 2,3 |

Minor Spaans*

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|-------------|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Spaans 1 | 6 | L_HABAALG007 | 100 | 1 |
| Spaans 2 | 6 | L_HABAALG008 | 200 | 2 |
| Spaans 3 | 6 | L_HABASPA009 | 300 | 3 |
| Spaans 4 | 6 | L_HABASPA010 | 300 | 4 |

Minor in English (UM)

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Minor English: Grammar and Writing 1 | 6 | L_ETBAALG007 | 100 | 1 |
| Global English | 6 | L_ETBAETK209 | 200 | 1 |
| Minor English: Pronunciation and Presentation | 6 | L_EABAALG006 | 200 | 2 |
| Minor English: Writing 2 | 6 | L_ETBAALG005 | 300 | 2 |
| Minor English: English in my own Discipline | 6 | L_ETBAALG008 | 300 | 3 |

Minor Journalistiek

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Inleiding media en journalistiek | 6 | L_AABACIW115 | 100 | 1 |
| Journalistieke vaardigheden voor academici tekst | 6 | L_AABAALG044 | 200 | 1 |
| Journalistieke vaardigheden voor academici beeld | 6 | L_AABAALG045 | 200 | 2 |
| Media, Society and Politics | 6 | S_MSP | 300 | 2 |
| Journalistieke onderzoeksvaardigheden | 6 | L_AABAALG079 | 300 | 3 |

Aan de slag met Literatuur (UM)

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| De schrijversparade | 3 | L_AABAALG086 | 200 | 1 |
| Meesterwerken uit de wereldliteratuur 1 | 3 | L_AABAALG090 | 200 | 1 |
| Literaire Receptie Klassieke Verhalen | 6 | L_AABAALG202 | 200 | 1 |
| Creatief schrijven | 6 | L_AABAALG087 | 300 | 2,3 |
| Schrijvershuisbezoeken | 6 | L_NNBAALG002 | 300 | 2 |
| Meesterwerken uit de wereldliteratuur 2 | 6 | L_AABAALG078 | 300 | 2,3 |

Minor de Schrijfacademie (UM)

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Meesterwerken uit de wereldliteratuur 1 | 3 | L_AABAALG090 | 200 | 1 |
| De schrijversparade | 3 | L_AABAALG086 | 200 | 1 |
| Multatuli multicultureel | 6 | L_AABAALG083 | 300 | 1 |
| Verhalen uit het Rijksmuseum | 6 | L_AABAALG085 | 200 | 2 |
| Meesterwerken uit de wereldliteratuur 2 | 6 | L_AABAALG078 | 300 | 2,3 |
| Creatief schrijven | 6 | L_AABAALG087 | 300 | 2,3 |

Minor Archaeology Today

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| What is Archaeology? v | 6 | L_AABAARC101 | 100 | 1 |
| Science in Archaeology 2 v | 6 | L_BABAARC006 | 300 | 2 |
| Archaeology and Society v | 6 | L_AABAARC105 | 100 | 5 |
| Human Bones in Forensic Archaeology and | 6 | L_BABAALG007 | 300 | 3 |
| Environmental Archaeology and the Anthropocene | 6 | L_BEBAALG008 | 300 | 4 |
| <i>or</i> | | | | |
| Digital Archaeology and | 6 | L_AABAARC204 | 200 | 3 |
| Advanced Digital Archaeology | 6 | L_AABAALG061 | 300 | 4 |

Doorstroomminor Archeologie voor Saxion studenten

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| From Excavation to Publication v | 6 | L_BABAALG005 | 300 | 1 |
| Archaeology and the City | 6 | L_AABAARC201 | 200 | 1 |
| Archaeology of Cult | 6 | L_AABAARC203 | 200 | 2 |
| Science in Archaeology 2 | 6 | L_BABAARC006 | 300 | 2 |
| Advanced Digital Archaeology | 6 | L_AABAALG061 | 300 | 4 |
| Past and Present: Critical Approaches to Antiquity and Archaeological Heritage | 6 | L_AABAAXO202 | 200 | 4 |
| Theory in Archaeology v | 6 | L_AABAARC205 | 200 | 4 |
| Archaeological Materials in Context v | 6 | L_AABAARC211 | 200 | 5 |

Minor Highlights of the Ancient World

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-------|
| The Classical Canon 1: The Heritage of Antiquity v | 6 | L_AABAOHW101 | 100 | 1 |
| The Decline and Fall of Rome v | 6 | L_AABAOHW213 | 200 | 2 |
| Religion in Antiquity v | 6 | L_AABAOHW204 | 200 | 3 |
| Klassieke mythen en bijbelse verhalen | 6 | L_AABAALG073 | 100 | 1,2,3 |
| Ancient Christianity | 6 | L_XCBAGLT202 | 300 | 2 |
| Greece. Cradle of Civilization? | 6 | L_AABAALG074 | 300 | 4 |
| Classical Mythology | 6 | L_AABAOHW114 | 100 | 4 |
| Classics beyond Antiquity | 6 | L_BEBAARC106 | 100 | 5 |

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|--|---|--------------|-----|---|
| Highlights uit de Griekse en Latijnse literatuur | 6 | L_AABAGLT106 | 100 | 5 |
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Minor Ancient Near Eastern Languages and Cultures

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

Additionally, choose Hebreeuws I and II or Elementary Akkadian I and II, or Aramaic supplemented with one of the following modules: Elementary Akkadian I, Hebreeuws I. As an additional course, you can take Hebrew III on top of that.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| History and Culture of the Ancient Near East v | 6 | L_AABAOHW202 | 200 | 1 |
| Archaeology of the Ancient Near East v | 6 | L_BEBAARC209 | 200 | 2 |
| Religion in Antiquity v | 6 | L_AABAOHW204 | 200 | 3 |
| Aramaic | 6 | L_GOBAALG009 | 300 | 1-3 |
| Hebreeuws I and | 6 | G_BATHE2S107 | 100 | 4 |
| Hebreeuws II | 6 | G_BATHE2S109 | 100 | 5 |
| Elementary Akkadian I and | 6 | L_AABAOHW103 | 100 | 4 |
| Elementary Akkadian II | 6 | L_AABAOHW107 | 100 | 5 |
| Hebreeuws III | 3 | G_BATHE2S111 | 200 | 6 |

Cultuur van de Antieke Wereld

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---------------------------------------|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Great Minds I | 6 | W_BA_MND1 | 200 | 1 |
| Ancient History I | 3 | L_GOBAGES102 | 100 | 1 |
| Klassieke mythen en bijbelse verhalen | 6 | L_AABAALG073 | 100 | 1,2 |
| Ancient Christianity | 6 | L_XCBAGLT202 | 300 | 2 |
| Ancient History II | 3 | L_GOBAGES103 | 100 | 2 |
| Religion in Antiquity | 6 | L_AABAOHW204 | 200 | 3 |

Digital Humanities and Social Analytics (UM)

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Introduction to Python for Humanities and Social Sciences** | 6 | L_AABAALG075 | 200 | 1 |
| Introduction to Digital Humanities and Social Analytics | 6 | L_AABAALG076 | 200 | 1 |
| Interpreting Information in Text by Humans and Machines | 6 | L_PABAALG005 | 200 | 2 |
| Data Science: Visualization and Analytics in R | 6 | S_DSVAR | 300 | 2 |
| Digital Humanities and Social Analytics in Practice | 6 | XB_0015 | 300 | 3 |

** If you already have programming skills (students computer science and informatics) you can choose an alternative course from a selection of Humanities and Social Science courses, after consultation with the coordinator of the minor

Taal en Gehoor

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

***Bachelorstudents CIS can replace the two modules Psycholinguïstiek and Applied Phonetics with an internship (L_NCBACIWSTA). Students from other universities who already have knowledge of Psycholinguistics and Applied Phonetics in their own curriculum may also take an internship through their own institution.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|----------------------------|------|--------------|-------|------------|
| Education at the VU | | | | |
| Kind, taal en gehoor 1 v | 6 | L_WABAALG005 | 200 | 1 |
| Psycholinguïstiek*** | 6 | L_TABAALG003 | 100 | 1 |
| Kind, taal en gehoor 2 v | 6 | L_WABAALG006 | 300 | 2 |
| Applied Phonetics*** | 6 | L_WABACIW203 | 300 | 2 |
| Project taal en gehoor v | 6 | L_WABAALG007 | 300 | 3 |
| Stage CIW*** | 12 | L_NCBACIWSTA | 300 | Acad. Jaar |

Foreign Language Learning

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|------------------------------|-------|-----|
| (a) Spaans 1 <i>or</i> (a) Spanish 1 | 6 | L_HABAALG007 L_AABAGES214 | 100 | 1 |
| (a) French 1 | 6 | L_AABAGES213 | 100 | 1 |
| (a) Moroccan Arabic 1 | 6 | L_AABAGES211 | 100 | 1 |
| (b) Spaans 2 <i>or</i> (b) Spanish 2 | 6 | L_HABAALG008 L_AABAGES218 | 200 | 2 |
| (b) French 2 | 6 | L_AABAGES217 | 200 | 2 |
| (b) Moroccan Arabic 2 | 6 | L_AABAGES215 | 200 | 2 |
| Spaans 3 | 6 | L_HABASPA009 | 300 | 3 |
| Spaans 4 | 6 | L_HABASPA010 | 300 | 4 |

Minor Gender and Diversity (UM)

The modules with a 'v' are mandatory

Choose 2 out of the following 3 modules: Diversifying Philosophy; American Film or Identity, Diversity and Inclusion. Students Philosophy cannot choose Diversifying Philosophy.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-------|
| Sexual Health: Threats and Opportunities for Minor GAD v | 6 | AB_1294 | 300 | 1 |
| Theorizing Gender and Intersectionality v | 6 | W_TGI | 200 | 1,2,3 |
| Diversifying Philosophy | 6 | W_BA_DIV | 200 | 2 |
| American Film | 6 | L_ELBAELK208 | 300 | 2 |
| Identity, Diversity and Inclusion | 6 | S_IDI | 300 | 2 |
| Religions and Gender v | 6 | G_BATRSAL054 | 300 | 3 |

Schoolvakminor English Linguistics*

This minor is open only to Literature and society: English students. Possible entry requirements for courses do not apply to these minor students.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Introduction to Linguistics | 6 | L_AABACIW103 | 100 | 1 |
| Literacy Development | 6 | L_AABACIW204 | 200 | 1 |
| Second Language Acquisition | 6 | L_WABACIW204 | 200 | 2 |
| Analysing Text and Talk | 6 | L_ETBACIW202 | 200 | 2 |
| Advanced English Language Skills (blended) | 6 | L_ETPMSVE001 | 300 | 3 |

Schoolvakminor Engelse Letterkunde*

This minor is open only to CIS students who follow the track English Language and Communication Studies or the track Language Learning and Language Teaching. Possible entry requirements for courses do not apply to these minor students.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Literature, Culture and Society | 6 | L_ALBALES101 | 100 | 1 |
| Transatlantic Travel Writing | 6 | L_ELBALES206 | 200 | 1 |
| American Film | 6 | L_ELBAELK208 | 300 | 2 |
| American Literature 1914-present | 6 | L_ELBALES211 | 200 | 2 |
| Genre and Literary Analysis (blended learning) | 6 | L_ELBAALG001 | 300 | 3 |

Minor Philosophy (UM)

University minor, not open for students Philosophy.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|-----------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----|
| Great Minds I | 6 | W_BA_MND1 | 300 | 1 |
| Political Philosophy | 6 | W_BA_PP | 300 | 1 |
| Ethics | 6 | W_BA_ETEN | 100 | 2 |
| Philosophy of Science | 6 | W_BA_SCIE | 300 | 2 |

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|----------------|---|-----------|-----|-----|
| Great Minds II | 6 | W_BA_MND2 | 200 | 2,3 |
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Minor Praktische Filosofie

Not open for students Philosophy.

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|--------------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----|
| Great Minds I | 6 | W_BA_MND1 | 200 | 1 |
| Politieke Filosofie | 6 | W_BA_PF | 300 | 1 |
| Ethics | 6 | W_BA_ETEN | 100 | 2 |
| Sociale en culturele filosofie | 6 | W_BA_SCF | 200 | 2 |
| Great Minds II | 6 | W_BA_MND2 | 300 | 2,3 |

Minor Erfgoed en Ruimte

| Course name | Ects | Code | Level | Per |
|---|------|--------------|-------|-----|
| Erfgoed en Ruimte: inleiding op concepten en praktijken | 6 | L_KBBAALG003 | 100 | 1 |
| Urbanism and Landscape Architecture | 6 | L_AABAMKD214 | 200 | 1 |
| The Architecture of the Building | 6 | L_AABAMKD217 | 200 | 2 |
| Landschappen in transitie | 6 | L_KBBAALG004 | 300 | 2 |
| Erfgoed onderzoeksseminar | 6 | L_KBBAALG005 | 300 | 3 |

* Language and educational minors may deviate from the rule that they must consist of at least two modules at level 300.

Appendix 4 Honours programme Faculty of Humanities

The Honours Programme is an excellence programme. It consists of 30 additional credits, to be obtained in the second and third year. Of the 30 EC, at least 12 and at most 18 are obtained in the faculty. The remaining credits are obtained from interdepartmental honours courses.

Content and offering in the faculty part

The faculty part comprises in any case:

- Humanities Research Project (12 EC)

In this project the students work individually or in small groups on an ongoing research project after a joint start. Its implementation is defined in consultation with the faculty Honours coordinator, the project coordinator and the researcher(s) involved. The project ends with a joint conclusion (e.g. symposium or publication).

If the student obtains 18 EC in the faculty, they choose a supplementary individual research module (6 EC) in addition to the research project, from the following options:

- Preparing a literature discussion
- Attending a conference and writing a conference discussion
- Archive visit + report
- Contributing to the organization of a conference/graduate seminar + report
- Other contribution to ongoing research

The choice of detailed implementation of one of these options always takes place in consultation with the faculty Honours coordinator and a researcher from the student's own programme.

Interdepartmental Honours Courses

Of the total of 30 EC, 12-18 EC must be obtained by taking interdepartmental courses at the VU, UvA or AUC. You can find the courses here: <https://vu.nl/en/education/more-about/interdepartmental-courses>.

Application

Students can apply by submitting the registration form available on the Honours programme website together with a cover letter and a grade list.

Please see: <https://vu.nl/en/education/more-about/honours-programme-hum>

Appendix 5 Programme objectives and exit qualifications

Objective

The objective of the degree programme is to familiarize students with the role that language and use of language play in promoting effective communication. Issues relating to effectiveness are viewed in the light of a range of communicative objectives and in various communicative settings. These settings can be approached from the point of view of specific organizations (how are communication products used in multinational companies and how do the platforms and language chosen relate to the communicative goals?), use of media (how does the use of audio-visual media and social media affect use of language and vice versa?), language and language systems (how does the process of language acquisition work and how can language teaching be designed effectively?) and journalism (what role does language and communication play in the development and research of journalistic narrative forms?). These questions and the key concepts in the field always play the leading role when designing academic education within the degree programme. Since 2014, the Bachelor's programme in Communication and Information Studies has been characterized by a broad-based first year, during much of which the students complete common foundation courses, followed by increasing specialization in their chosen graduation specialization in the subsequent years. The common courses after year 1 are offered largely through modularization. This creates the opportunity to serve groups of students from different graduation specializations through joint courses. These courses are relevant to students with various profiles, with for example one course contributing to the specialization of one student mainly due to its methodological aspects, while at the same time contributing to the specialization of another student mainly in terms of its content. In the first year, students acquire a broad theoretical foundation in approaches within the discipline of communication studies, theories regarding language and the use of media use, and theories regarding approaches to language and discourse analysis. In addition, this foundation year includes introductory basic courses and academic skills and methods, as well as focused preparation for the five graduation profiles of the degree programme. This broad-based first year is consistent with students' preference not to be required to choose a specialization too early within the Bachelor's programme.

Exit qualifications

1. Knowledge and understanding
2. Application of knowledge and understanding
3. Making judgements
4. Communication
5. Learning skills

Exit qualifications of the Communication and Information Studies programme for students who started in 2018-2019

The Bachelor's student in Communication and Information Studies:

- 1.1 has sufficient knowledge, skills and attitude to enable him or her to acquire further skills for a position in society and/or to continue their education by pursuing a Master's programme; [LEARNING SKILLS; APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]
- 1.2 has the capacity to adopt a fully substantiated point of view in a society characterized by communicative pluralism; [MAKING JUDGMENTS]
- 1.3 has sufficient insight into research techniques that are relevant to the domain of language, media and communication; is able, on the basis of that insight, to develop a fully substantiated evaluation of the quality of research literature in the field of language, media and communication and to analyse simple relevant data sets independently; [LEARNING SKILLS, MAKING JUDGMENTS]
- 1.4 is able to apply those research techniques to simple research in the field of language, media and communication, including with regard to data sets that he or she has collected independently; [LEARNING SKILLS, APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

- 1.5 is able to reflect on the nature and development of national and international communication processes and the role of language in these, and to communicate about these in a clear, accessible style; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]
- 1.6 has knowledge of and insight into the organizational, theoretical, sociological and cultural factors that influence the spoken and written communication process; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]
- 1.7 is able to communicate orally and in writing about knowledge and insight acquired in the field of language, media and communication in a clear and widely accessible register, both for academic and non-academic audiences; [COMMUNICATION]
- 1.8 has knowledge of and insight into the various forms of communication and information, both in writing and orally. [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

Programme-specific theoretical and practical skills (per specialisation; the exit qualifications of specialisations in Dutch are formulated in Dutch):

De bachelorstudent CIW van de afstudeerrichting **Journalistiek**

- 2.1 heeft kennis van en inzicht in de verschillende vormen van communicatie en informatie, met een bijzondere aandacht voor de rol van journalistieke media; [KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.2 heeft kennis van en inzicht in de communicatieve rol die digitale, analoge, schriftelijke en visuele media spelen in de samenleving; Heeft inzicht in de rol die traditionele en nieuwe media spelen bij de effectiviteit van het communicatieproces; [KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.3 is in staat de rol van digitale, analoge, schriftelijke en visuele media in onze samenleving te analyseren; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.4 heeft kennis van en inzicht in de structuur en functie van journalistieke teksten en beelden in hun historische/culturele context en kan een beredeneerd antwoord geven op belangrijke ethische en normatieve vraagstukken binnen media en journalistiek (KENNIS/INZICHT; TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT)]
- 2.5 heeft kennis van en inzicht in journalistiekwetenschappelijke kernkwesties en is in staat dergelijke kernkwesties systematisch te analyseren; [KENNIS/INZICHT; TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.6 heeft een goede mondelinge en schriftelijke beheersing van het Nederlands; [COMMUNICATIE]
- 2.7 Beschikt over journalistieke vaardigheden in zowel tekst als beeld en kan deze toepassen binnen het juiste journalistieke genre en register. Kan verschillende methoden toepassen om data te vinden, te onderzoeken, te bewerken, te analyseren en te visualiseren en op basis van grote hoeveelheden numerieke en tekstuele data een journalistiek verhaal te maken; [COMMUNICATIE; TOEPASSEN KENNIS/INZICHT]]
- 2.8 kan een uit de journalistieke praktijk voortkomende onderzoeksvraag uitvoeren volgens de empirische cyclus en kan de resultaten van onderzoek vertalen naar aanbevelingen voor de praktijk. [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]

De bachelorstudent CIW van de afstudeerrichting **Taal, Media en Samenleving**

- 2.1 Heeft kennis van en inzicht in de verschillende vormen van communicatie in verschillende media; [KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.2 heeft kennis van en inzicht in de structuur en functie van tekst en beeld in communicatieprocessen (in het Nederlands) en inzicht in hun historische/culturele achtergrond. Heeft inzicht in de rol die traditionele en nieuwe media spelen bij de effectiviteit van het communicatieproces. Is in staat de structuur en functie van beeld en geschreven, gesproken en digitale teksten systematisch te analyseren; [KENNIS/INZICHT; TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.3 heeft kennis van en inzicht in de rol die (nieuwe) media spelen in de hedendaagse samenleving; [KENNIS/INZICHT]
- 2.4 is in staat de rol van (nieuwe) media in onze samenleving te analyseren; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.5 is in staat institutionele communicatie te beoordelen op kwaliteit en effectiviteit; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.6 heeft een goede mondelinge en schriftelijke beheersing van het Nederlands; [COMMUNICATIE]

2.7 is in staat op het verloop van institutionele communicatieprocessen en de rol van taal daarin te reflecteren en er een advies ter verbetering over uit te brengen in een heldere, toegankelijke stijl; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT; COMMUNICATIE]

2.8 heeft kennis van en inzicht in maatschappelijke, sociologische en culturele factoren die de communicatieprocessen in verschillende media beïnvloeden. [KENNIS/INZICHT]

The Bachelor's student in Communication and Information Studies in the specialization **Language and Media**:

2.1 has knowledge of and insight into the various forms of communication in a range of media; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.2 has knowledge of and insight into the structure of these various media in an international context, and insight into the historical/cultural background of those media. Is able to analyse the structure and function of written, spoken and digital texts in a systematic manner; [KNOWLEDGE/INSIGHT; APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.3 has knowledge of and insight into the role of (new) media in today's society; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.4 is able to analyse the role of (new) media in our society; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.5 is able to assess the quality and effectiveness of institutional communication in an international context; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.6 has a good spoken and written command of the English language, both active and passive; [COMMUNICATION]

2.7 is able to reflect on and provide advice on international institutional communication processes and the role of language in these; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]

2.8 has knowledge of and insight into the societal, sociological and cultural factors that influence the communication process in various media. [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

The Bachelor's student in Communication and Information Studies in the specialization **Language Learning and Language Teaching**:

2.1 has knowledge of and insight into the main fields within linguistics, including applied linguistics; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.2 has knowledge of and insight into the essence of language as a product of the human brain from an integrated perspective; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.3 has knowledge of and insight into theories in the field of phonetics and phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics and pragmatics of language and their application within the study of language development and language teaching; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.4 has insight into the importance of the way in which different types of language data (language acquisition data, text and spoken language corpora, experimental data, pathological data) are collected, and is able to carry out simple operations and analyses on these; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.5 is able to set up simple linguistic research, critically evaluate its results and report on this orally or in writing; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]

2.6 has knowledge of and insight into the linguistic issues that play a role in education, with respect to both typical and atypical language learners; is able to analyse these issues and reflect on them; is able to report on this analysis in a clearly written and accessible report; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]

2.7 has knowledge of and insight into language-learning difficulties; is able to analyse language learning methods; is able to report on this analysis in a clearly written and accessible report;

[KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]

2.8 has a good spoken and written command of the English language. [COMMUNICATION]

The Bachelor's student in Communication and Information Studies in the specialization **English Language and Communication Studies**:

2.1 has a good spoken and written command of the English language; [COMMUNICATION]

2.2 has knowledge of and insight into the structure and function of written and spoken texts (in English) and some insight into their historical/cultural background. Is able to analyse the structure and function of written and spoken texts in a systematic manner, including by contrasting these with other languages; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.3 has knowledge of and insight into varieties of English worldwide, the ways in which language changes and the role of English in society and in various social situations; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.4 has knowledge of and insight into the function of various forms of multimodal communication (speech and gesture, text and image); [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.5 has knowledge of and insight into the organizational, theoretical, sociological and cultural factors that influence spoken and written communication processes; [KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.6 is able to analyse various forms (literal and figurative) and various contexts (in websites and intercultural communication) of language use in English; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.7 is able to analyse how communication in English occurs in range of contexts, including face-to-face and using various media; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING]

2.8 is able to reflect on the nature and development of the communication processes mentioned above and on the role of language in these, and to communicate about these in a clear, accessible style; [APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE/UNDERSTANDING; COMMUNICATION]

2.9 has the capacity to adopt a fully substantiated point of view in a society characterized by increasing use of the English language; [MAKING JUDGMENTS]

Exit qualifications for the new track Media & Journalistiek (cohort 2020-2021):

Na afronding van de CIW-afstudeerrichting Media & Journalistiek

2.1 heeft de student kennis van en inzicht in de verschillende vormen van communicatie en informatie, met een bijzondere aandacht voor de rol van zowel media als journalistiek; kennis van en inzicht in de communicatieve rol die digitale, analoge, schriftelijke en visuele media spelen in de samenleving; [KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.2 heeft de student inzicht in de rol die traditionele en nieuwe media spelen bij de effectiviteit van het communicatieproces; [KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.3 is de student in staat de rol van digitale, analoge, schriftelijke en visuele media in onze samenleving te analyseren; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.4 heeft de student kennis van en inzicht in de structuur en functie van journalistieke teksten en beelden in hun historische/culturele context en kan een beredeneerd antwoord geven op belangrijke ethische en normatieve vraagstukken die spelen binnen media en journalistiek (KENNIS/INZICHT; OORDEELSVORMING)

2.5 heeft de student kennis van en inzicht in media- en journalistiekwetenschappelijke kernkwesties en is in staat dergelijke kernkwesties systematisch te analyseren; [KENNIS/INZICHT; TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT]

2.6 beschikt de student over journalistieke vaardigheden in zowel tekst als beeld en kan deze toepassen binnen het juiste journalistieke genre en register. Kan de student verschillende methoden toepassen om data te vinden, te onderzoeken, te bewerken, te analyseren en te visualiseren en op basis van

grote hoeveelheden numerieke en tekstuele data een nieuwswaardig verhaal te maken;
[COMMUNICATIE; TOEPASSEN KENNIS/INZICHT]

- 2.7 kan de student een uit de media- en journalistieke praktijk voortkomende onderzoeksvraag uitvoeren volgens de empirische cyclus en kan de resultaten van onderzoek vertalen naar aanbevelingen voor de praktijk. [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT; OORDEELSVORMING]
- 2.8 is de student in staat institutionele communicatie te beoordelen op kwaliteit en effectiviteit. Is in staat op het verloop van institutionele communicatieprocessen en de rol van taal daarin te reflecteren en er een advies ter verbetering over uit te brengen in een heldere, toegankelijke stijl; [TOEPASSING KENNIS/INZICHT; COMMUNICATIE; OORDEELSVORMING]
- 2.9 heeft de student kennis en inzicht in maatschappelijke, sociologische en culturele factoren die de communicatieprocessen in verschillende media beïnvloeden en de verantwoordelijkheid die producenten van journalistieke producten en media-uitingen hierbij dragen; [KENNIS/INZICHT; OORDEELSVORMING]
- 2.10 heeft de student een uitstekende mondelinge en schriftelijke beheersing van het Nederlands en een voldoende kennis van academisch Engels [COMMUNICATIE]

Appendix 6 Sequence of interim examinations Ba programme in CIS

Ba CIS, year 1

| Course | Prerequisite |
|--|---|
| Academic skills 2 | Students must have participated in Academic Skills 1 |
| First language acquisition and language impairment | Students must have participated in Introduction to Linguistics |
| The structures of English | Students must have participated in Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar |
| Journalistiek: van theorie naar praktijk | Students must have participated in Inleiding Media en Journalistiek |

Ba CIS, year 2

| Course | Prerequisite |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Global English | Students must have passed Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar and Academic English CIS-L&S Writing and they must have participated in English: International Communication |
| Second language acquisition | Students must have passed Introduction to Linguistics |
| Spoken language and gesture | Students must have passed English: International Communication, Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar, and Academic English CIS-L&S Writing |
| Morphology and semantics | Students must have passed Introduction to Linguistics |
| Language in social media | Students must have passed Language, Media and Communication |
| Discourse and social interaction | Students must have passed Discourse analysis (including workshop in Audacity) or Formuleren (including workshop in Audacity) |
| Analysing text and talk | Students must have participated in English: International Communication and they must have passed Academic English CIS-L&S Grammar and Academic English CIS-L&S Writing |
| Text production and translation | Students must have passed English: International Communication, Academic English CIW-L&S Grammar and Academic English CIW-L&S Writing |

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| Communicatie en effectonderzoek | Students must have participated in Communicatie en cognitie, and Methods |
| Journalistieke vaardigheden beeld | Students must have participated in Journalistieke vaardigheden tekst |
| Interactie in organisaties | Students must have passed Formuleren(including workshop in Audacity) |

Ba CIS, year 3

| | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Foreign language teaching | Students must have passed Second Language Acquisition |
| Dyslexia | Students must have passed First language Acquisition and Language Impairment |
| Language testing | Students must have passed First Language Acquisition and Language Impairment, and Second Language Acquisition |
| Advanced English language skills | Students must have passed all courses of the second year of English Language and Communication studies |
| Onderzoek in opdracht | Students must have participated in all courses of the second year (Media & Journalistiek, Journalistiek or Taal, media en samenleving) |
| Bachelorscriptie CIW | Students must have passed all courses of the first and second year |
| Bachelorscriptiecolloquium CIW | Students must have passed all courses of the first and second year |

Appendix 7 Overview of articles that must be included in the OER

Based on Article 7.13, paragraph 2, of the WHW and other Articles of the Act.

Deel A: Faculty section

| 2. Study programme structure | |
|---|------------------------------|
| Article 2.1 Structure of academic year and educational components | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub e |
| Article 2.2 Frame study programme | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a, e, x |
| 3. Assessment and Examination | |
| Article 3.2 Type of examination | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub h, l, j |
| Article 3.3 Oral interim examinations | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub l, n |
| Article 3.4 Determining and announcing results | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub o |
| Article 3.5 Examination opportunities | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub h, j |
| Article 3.7 Exemption | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub r |
| Article 3.8 Validity period for results | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub k |
| Article 3.9 Right of inspection and post-examination discussion | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub p, q |
| 4. Honours programme | |
| Article 4.1 Honours programme | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub v |
| 5. Academic student counselling, advice regarding continuation of studies and study progress | |
| Article 5.1 Administration of study progress and academic student counselling | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub u |
| Article 5.2 Advice regarding continuation of studies | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub f |
| Article 5.3 Binding (negative) recommendation on continuation of studies (BSA) | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub f |
| Article 5.4 Personal circumstances | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub f |
| Article 5.5 Facilities for students with a disability | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub m |

Section B1: Programme specific – general provisions

| 7. General programme information and characteristics | |
|---|------------------------------|
| Article 7.1 Study programme information | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub i, r |
| Article 7.2 Teaching formats used and modes of assessment | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub l, x |
| Article 7.3 Academic student counselling | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub u |
| 8. Further admission requirements | |
| Article 8.1 Additional previous education requirements | 7.25, paragraph 4 |
| Article 8.2 Colloquium doctum (entrance examination) | 7.29, paragraph 2 |
| 9. Interim examinations and results | |
| Article 9.1 Sequence of interim examinations | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub h, s, t |
| Article 9.2 Validity period for results | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub k |

Section B2: Programme specific – content of programme

| 10. Programme objectives, tracks/specializations and exit qualifications | |
|---|--|
| Article 10.1 Programme objective | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 10.2 Tracks and/or specializations | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 10.3 Exit qualifications | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub b, c |
| Article 10.4.1 Language of instruction | 9.18 (implementation expected in 2020) |
| Article 10.4.3 Language test | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a, c |
| 11. Curriculum structure | |
| Article 11.1 Academic development | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 11.2 Major | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 11.3 Compulsory educational components of the major | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 11.4 Elective educational components of the major | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 11.5 Practical exercise | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub d |
| Article 11.6 Participation in practical exercise and tutorials | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub d |

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| 12. Electives | |
| Article 12.1 Elective period | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| Article 12.2 Minors | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| 13. Honours programme | |
| Article 13.1 Honours components | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |
| 14. Binding recommendation on continuation of studies (BSA) | |
| Article 14.1 Binding (negative) recommendation | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub f |
| 15. Evaluation and transitional provisions | |
| Article 15.1 Evaluation of the education | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a1 |
| Article 15.2 Transitional provisions | 7.13 paragraph 2 sub a |

Appendix 8 Overview of advisory and approval rights of OLC and FGV

(English below)

| Onderwerpen Onderwijs – en Examenregeling (OER) 7.13 lid 2 WHW | FGV | | OLC | |
|---|-----|---|-----|---|
| | I | A | I | A |
| a. de inhoud van de opleiding en van de daaraan verbonden examens | | | | |
| a1. de wijze waarop het onderwijs in de desbetreffende opleiding wordt geëvalueerd | | | | |
| b. de inhoud van de afstudeerrichtingen binnen een opleiding | | | | |
| c. de kwaliteiten op het gebied van kennis, inzicht en vaardigheden die een student zich bij beëindiging van de opleiding moet hebben verworven | | | | |
| d. waar nodig, de inrichting van praktische oefeningen | | | | |
| e. de studielast van de opleiding en van elk van de daarvan deel uitmakende onderwijseenheden | | | | |
| f. de nadere regels, bedoeld in de artikelen 7.8b, zesde lid, en 7.9, vijfde lid (BSA) | | | | |
| g. ten aanzien van welke masteropleidingen toepassing is gegeven aan artikel 7.4a, achtste lid (verhoogde studielast) | | | | |
| h. het aantal en de volgtijdelijkheid van de tentamens alsmede de momenten waarop deze afgelegd kunnen worden | | | | |
| i. de voltijdse, deeltijdse of duale inrichting van de opleiding | | | | |
| j. waar nodig, de volgorde waarin, de tijdvakken waarbinnen en het aantal malen per studiejaar dat de gelegenheid wordt geboden tot het afleggen van de tentamens en examens | | | | |
| k. waar nodig, de geldigheidsduur van met goed gevolg afgelegde tentamens, behoudens de bevoegdheid van de examencommissie die geldigheidsduur te verlengen | | | | |
| l. of de tentamens mondeling, schriftelijk of op een andere wijze worden afgelegd, behoudens de bevoegdheid van de examencommissie in bijzondere gevallen anders te bepalen | | | | |
| m. de wijze waarop studenten met een handicap of chronische ziekte redelijkerwijs in de gelegenheid worden gesteld de tentamens af te leggen | | | | |
| n. de openbaarheid van mondeling af te nemen tentamens, behoudens de bevoegdheid van de examencommissie in bijzondere gevallen anders te bepalen | | | | |
| o. de termijn waarbinnen de uitslag van een tentamen bekend wordt gemaakt alsmede of en op welke wijze van deze termijn kan worden afgeweken | | | | |
| p. de wijze waarop en de termijn gedurende welke degene die een schriftelijk tentamen heeft afgelegd, inzage verkrijgt in zijn beoordeelde werk | | | | |
| q. de wijze waarop en de termijn gedurende welke kennis genomen kan worden van vragen en opdrachten, gesteld of gegeven in het kader van een schriftelijk afgenomen tentamen en van de normen aan de hand waarvan de beoordeling heeft plaatsgevonden | | | | |
| r. de gronden waarop de examencommissie voor eerder met goed gevolg afgelegde tentamens of examens in het hoger onderwijs, dan wel voor buiten het hoger onderwijs opgedane kennis of vaardigheden, vrijstelling kan verlenen van het afleggen van een of meer tentamens | | | | |
| s. waar nodig, dat het met goed gevolg afgelegd hebben van tentamens voorwaarde is voor de toelating tot het afleggen van andere tentamens | | | | |
| t. waar nodig, de verplichting tot het deelnemen aan praktische oefeningen met het oog op de toelating tot het afleggen van het desbetreffende tentamen, behoudens de bevoegdheid van de examencommissie vrijstelling van die verplichting te verlenen, al dan niet onder oplegging van vervangende eisen | | | | |
| u. de bewaking van studievoortgang en de individuele studiebegeleiding | | | | |
| v. indien van toepassing: de wijze waarop de selectie van studenten voor een speciaal traject binnen een opleiding, bedoeld in artikel 7.9b, plaatsvindt (<i>excellentietraject binnen een opleiding</i>) | | | | |
| x. de feitelijke vormgeving van het onderwijs | | | | |
| alle overige onderwerpen die in de OER zijn geregeld maar die niet als zodanig zijn genoemd in art. 7.13 WHW onder a t/m x. | | | | |

Afkortingen:

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|------|-------------------------------------|
| FGV: | Facultaire Gezamenlijke Vergadering |
| OLC: | Opleidingscommissie |
| I: | Instemmingsrecht |
| A: | Adviesrecht |

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| Article 7.13, paragraph 2, of the Higher Education and Research Act | FGV | | OLC | |
|---|-----|---|-----|---|
| | I | A | I | A |
| a. content of the programme and associated examinations | | | | |
| a1. the manner in which teaching and education in the relevant programme are evaluated | | | | |
| b. the content of the specializations offered as part of the programme | | | | |
| c. the programme's final attainment levels with regard to the knowledge, understanding and skills | | | | |
| d. where applicable, the design of practical exercises | | | | |
| e. the workload of the programme and of each of its constituent educational units | | | | |
| f. the detailed rules referred to in Article 7.8b, sixth paragraph, and Article 7.9, fifth paragraph (recommendation on continuation of studies) | | | | |
| g. the Master's programmes to which Article 7.4a, eighth paragraph, applies (elevated workload) | | | | |
| h. the number and sequence of interim examinations and the times at which these can be taken | | | | |
| i. the full-time, part-time or work-study structure of the programme | | | | |
| j. where necessary, the order, and the periods in which and the number of times per academic year that the opportunity to sit interim examinations and final degree assessments is given | | | | |
| k. where necessary, the period of validity for pass grades awarded for interim examinations, notwithstanding the authority of the Examination Board to extend this period of validity | | | | |
| l. whether interim examinations are administered in oral, written or another form, notwithstanding the authority of the Examination Board to decide otherwise | | | | |
| m. the way in which students with a disability or chronic health condition are given a reasonable opportunity to take the interim examinations | | | | |
| n. the public nature of oral interim examinations, subject to the right of the Examination Board to determine otherwise in special cases | | | | |
| o. the period within which the results of an interim examination must be announced, together with details of whether this period can be altered and if so in what way | | | | |
| p. the way in which and the period within which students who have taken an interim examination are given the opportunity to inspect their marked work | | | | |
| q. the way in which and the period within which information can be provided about the questions asked and exercises given in the framework of a written interim examination and about the standards used for assessment | | | | |
| r. the grounds on which the Examination Board could grant exemption from the taking of one or more interim examinations to students who have previously passed interim examinations in higher education or have acquired knowledge or skills outside higher education | | | | |
| s. where necessary, the stipulation that students must pass certain interim examinations as a condition for admission to other interim examinations | | | | |
| t. where necessary, the obligation to take part in certain practical exercises with a view to admission to the interim examination in question, subject to the authority of the Examination Board to grant exemption from this obligation, with or without the imposition of alternative requirements | | | | |
| u. the monitoring of academic progress and individual student support and guidance; | | | | |
| v. where applicable, the manner in which students are selected for a special track within a programme as referred to in Article 7.9b (excellence track within a programme) | | | | |
| x. the actual design of the education provided. | | | | |
| <i>All other matters that are regulated in the Academic and Examination Regulations but which are not mentioned as such in Article 7.13 of the Higher Education and Research Act under points a to x.</i> | | | | |

Abbreviations used:

- FGV: Faculty Joint Assembly
 OLC: programme committee
 I: right of approval
 A: right of advice

Appendix 9 Ordinances VU Executive Board (CvB) and Binding Bachelor's Guidelines (Bachelorrichtlijn)

| Section A, Article: | Concerns: | CvB ordinance / guideline |
|---------------------|--|--|
| 2.1.1, 2.1.2 | Year planning two semesters 8-8-4 (uniform year calendar VU-UvA) | 29-9-2008 (period 2009-2015) 22-05-2014 (period 2016-2025) |
| 2.1.3, 2.1.4 | Fixed nr of EC | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 2.2.1 | Setup of the programme | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 2.2.2, 2.2.3 | Planning academic year (number of contact hours) | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 2.2.4 | Internationalization | CvB ordinance, following the advice of the Internationalization Board, in December 2008 and included in the IP |
| 3.1.1, 3.1.2 | Signing up for education and interim examinations | CvB ordinance 30-09-2010, prior consent USR. |
| 3.4.1 | Determination and publication of the results (1) Grading deadline exams 10 working days (2) theses 20 working days | (1) Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 (2) Quality demand 11 from the VU-wide assessment policy, CvB ordinance 15-05-2012 |
| 3.5.1 | Two possibilities to take examinations | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 3.5.2 | Resit Most recent grade is valid. A pass can be retaken | Taken from the UvA guidelines, as part of the harmonization, CvB ordinance 24-02-2014 |
| 3.5.4 | One time extra resit in relation to examination requirement | Included in (prior) model OER 16-17 following a request from O&O committee and adopted by CvB on 28-10-2015 |
| 3.6 | Grades | CvB ordinance 30-09-2010, with University council's consent. As a result of harmonization UvA, the guideline: 5.5 is a pass, has been added. CvB ordinance 24-02-2014. |
| 4.1 | Honours programme | Joint CvB ordinance UvA-VU, 28-10-2013 Revised 'Regeling VU-UvA Honoursprogramma' on 27-11-2018 |
| 5.2.1 | Recommendation on continuation of studies (BSA) end of first year | BSA kaderregeling ordinance CvB 18-01-2010, consent USR on OER 2016-2017 Kaderregeling revised on 12-09-2017 |
| 5.2.2 | Formal warning before February 1st. | BSA kaderregeling ordinance CvB 18-01-2010, consent USR on OER 2016-2017 Kaderregeling revised on 12-09-2017 |
| 5.3 | Binding (negative) study advice | BSA kaderregeling ordinance CvB 18-01-2010, consent USR on OER 2016-2017 Kaderregeling revised on 12-09-2017 |
| 8.1.3 | Application and Registration Regulation (RAI) | CvB ordinance 8-10-2019 (annually) |
| 10.4.2 | 'Gedragscode vreemde taal' (Code of Conduct for foreign languages) | CvB ordinance 20-07-2009 |
| 11.1.1 | Academic development | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 11.2 | Major | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 12.1 | Elective period (first semester, 3rd year) | Bachelor-richtlijn, revised on 6 June 2017 |
| 12.2.1 | Participation in university minor | CvB ordinance Profileringsruimte 22-11-2010 |

Appendix 10 Implementation act WHW

Article 2.1 of the Higher Education and Research (Implementation) Act

Entered into force on 1 June 2018

(English below)

1 De persoonlijke omstandigheden bedoeld in de artikelen 7.8b, derde lid, en 7.9, derde lid, van de wet, zijn uitsluitend:

- a. ziekte van betrokkene,
- b. lichamelijke, zintuiglijke of andere functiestoornis van betrokkene,
- c. zwangerschap van betrokkene,
- d. bijzondere familie-omstandigheden,
- e. het lidmaatschap, daaronder begrepen het voorzitterschap, van:
 1. bij universiteiten: de universiteitsraad, faculteitsraad, het orgaan dat is ingesteld op grond van de medezeggenschapsregeling, bedoeld in artikel 9.30, derde lid, onderscheidenlijk artikel 9.51, tweede lid, van de wet, het bestuur van een opleiding of de opleidingscommissie, alsmede het lidmaatschap van het bestuur van een stichting die blijkens haar statuten tot doel heeft de exploitatie van voorzieningen, behorende tot de studentenvoorzieningen, dan wel van een daarmee naar het oordeel van het instellingsbestuur gelet op de taak gelijk te stellen orgaan,
 2. bij hogescholen: de medezeggenschapsraad, deelraad, studentencommissie of opleidingscommissie.
- f. andere in de regelingen, bedoeld in de artikelen 7.8b, zesde lid, en 7.9, vijfde lid, van de wet door het instellingsbestuur aan te geven omstandigheden waarin betrokkene activiteiten ontplooit in het kader van de organisatie en het bestuur van de zaken van de instelling,
- g. het lidmaatschap van het bestuur van een studentenorganisatie van enige omvang met volledige rechtsbevoegdheid, dan wel van een vergelijkbare organisatie van enige omvang, bij wie de behartiging van het algemeen maatschappelijk belang op de voorgrond staat en die daartoe daadwerkelijk activiteiten ontplooit.
- h. andere in de onderwijs- en examenregeling, bedoeld in artikel 7.13 van de wet, op grond van artikel 7.13, tweede lid, onderdeel f, van de wet, vast te leggen persoonlijke omstandigheden,
- i. andere dan in de onderdelen a tot en met h bedoelde persoonlijke omstandigheden die, indien zij door het instellingsbestuur niet in de beoordeling zouden worden betrokken, zouden leiden tot een onbillijkheid van overwegende aard.

2 Het instellingsbestuur kan voor de toepassing van het eerste lid, onderdeel g, nadere regels vaststellen omtrent het aantal bestuursleden dat ten hoogste per organisatie per studiejaar in aanmerking komt, zomede omtrent welke bestuursfuncties in aanmerking komen.

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1. The extenuating personal circumstances referred to in Article 7.8b, paragraph 3 and 7.9, paragraph 3 of the Act (WHW) are limited to:

- a. illness of the person concerned,
- b. physical, sensory or other impairment of the person concerned,
- c. pregnancy of the person concerned,
- d. extenuating family circumstances,
- e. membership, including the chairmanship of:

- 1. universities: the university council, faculty council, the body established under the participation regulation referred to in Article 9.30, paragraph 3 or Article 9.51, paragraph 2 of the Act, the programme management or the programme committee, or membership on the board of a foundation whose bylaws allow for the exploitation of facilities belonging to the student services, or an equivalent body with regard to its activities in the opinion of the board of the institution,
- 2. universities of applied sciences: the participation council, district council, student committee or programme committee.

- f. other circumstances to be designated by the board of the institution in the regulation as referred to in Article 7.8b, paragraph 6 and Article 7.9, paragraph 5 of the Act in which the person concerned engages in activities within the framework of the organization and the administration of the affairs of the institution,
- g. membership on the board of a student organization of a certain size with full legal capacity, or a similar organization of a certain size, whose primary task regards general societal interest and which actually develops activities for this purpose,
- h. other personal circumstances set out in the Teaching and Examination Regulations as referred to in Article 7.13 of the Act, pursuant to Article 7.13, paragraph 2, clause f of the Act,
- i. personal circumstances other than those referred to in a – h above which, if overlooked by the governing bodies of the institution, would lead to an obviously unfair outcome.

2. The institutional board may, for the purposes of the first paragraph, part g, establish specific rules regarding the maximum number of eligible board members per organization per academic year, as well as the eligible administrative offices.

Appendix 11 Addendum to the OER 2022-2023 FGW

Article 8.1 Additional prior education requirements

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| <p>Supplementary to paragraph 5, students from institutes of higher professional education (HBO) who are preparing for the first-year examination will be admitted to the Bachelor's programme, provided that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The student can provide a positive advice on completion from their HBO institution, which must be provided to Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam (VU) by no later than 1 August 2022. - The student must still pass no more than one unit of education of the first year of HBO, or in the case that more than one unit of education must still be passed, these must be worth no more than 6 EC credits. <p>If the student has not passed the first-year examination of an HBO Bachelor's programme at the latest by 31 December 2022, the student's registration for a Bachelor's programme at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam will be terminated.</p> | <p>Based on additional Section 7:37e WHW</p> <p>University Student Council's advice on policy (9:33a WHW, second paragraph)</p> <p>Advice of the OLC on each programme via the Teaching and Examination Regulations</p> |
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