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“Jointly run by Leiden University and TU Delft, the SSJ minor draws on the strengths of both universities to provide a unique combination of technical and social science skills that will encourage you to engage with cutting edge research and enduring questions about important potential tradeoffs between various conceptions of justice, security, and safety.”

Minor Security, Safety and Justice

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Acquiring insights on safety and security related topics

Learn about safety and security from different perspectives

How do we protect our society against terrorism? Can we secure the complex world of cyberspace? Are self-driving cars safe enough? Who is responsible if something goes wrong? How do we balance surveillance and privacy? Many such questions are posed in our complex society every day.

Do you want to explore these questions further, in a more rigorous and academic way? Then sign up for the **minor Security, Safety and Justice (SSJ)**, where different angles are applied to provide further insights. Lecturers from Leiden University and TU Delft have teamed up, to explore these issues together with you!

What will you learn?

Security covers a broad range of research fields encompassing criminology, antiterrorism studies, and security management; the safety theme contributes via insights from risk management; and justice provides important concepts from legal studies, history and philosophy. The minor offers a unique blend of knowledge from social and technical sciences to allow students to address and analyse current-day security- and safety-related topics.

To provide this broad spectrum of knowledge to you, Leiden University primarily contributes with knowledge from the fields of public administration and legal and terrorism studies. TU Delft contributes in the areas of risk analysis and risk management, technology assessment, and system analyses.

For whom is this minor?

To be admitted, you have to have obtained a minimum of 60 ECTS for your regular bachelor. Any foreknowledge of the issues discussed in this minor is not necessary, but you are expected to have some affinity with security issues and to understand the basics of statistical analysis. The minor is open for all University students, but preference is given to students from Leiden University, TU Delft, and Erasmus University Rotterdam.

Any questions?

Contact us via ssj@fgga.leidenuniv.nl

We will be happy to help you.

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Registration in uSis open on 1 May

Course

Block 1	Semester	ECTS	Level
Law & Security	1	5	300
Researching Crisis and Security Management	1	5	300
Security & Organisation	1	5	300
Block 2	Semester	ECTS	Level
Security & Technology	1	5	300
Terrorism & Counterterrorism	1	5	300
Security Integration Project	1	5	300