Mathematics (MSc)

Type: Master
Language: English
City: Leiden

Specialisations

Discover the world at Leiden University
The master's programme Mathematics focuses on analysis and number theory. From applied to fundamental research, and from algebra to data science, our master's programme spans these fields entirely.

What does this master’s programme entail?

The two-year master's programme Mathematics has two components: an analysis-oriented component with topics such as dynamical systems, differential equations, probability theory and stochastics, percolation and mathematics in the life sciences, and an algebra/geometry-oriented component with topics such as algebraic number theory, algebraic geometry, algebraic topology and cryptology. The goal of each programme is to train the student as an independent researcher, and to develop the necessary skills and proficiency to advance your career.

Read more about our Mathematics master's programme.

Why study Mathematics at Leiden University?

- Your study programme can be fine-tuned to your own mathematical interests, both pure and applied.
- You will be educated by renowned researchers like Spinoza prize winners Aad van der Vaart and Hendrik Lenstra and receive a top level education in Mathematics.
- The institute has an extensive international network, which allows you to broaden your horizon and provides you with ample opportunities to join interdisciplinary seminars and to pursue interdisciplinary research projects.

Find more reasons to choose Mathematics at Leiden University.

Mathematics: the right master’s programme for you?

The master’s programme in Mathematics in Leiden focuses on analysis, probability and statistics, number theory and (arithmetic) geometry. If you are looking for an opportunity to specialise in one of these areas, Leiden is an excellent possibility. Students who have
obtained a Master of Science degree in Mathematics possess a thorough theoretical basis, know how to work in a multinational environment, and are able to operate well on the international market.

Read more about the entry requirements for Mathematics.

Why Leiden University?

The Mathematics master’s programme will guarantee a thorough theoretical basis and will make sure you are ready to work in a multidisciplinary environment. Your mathematical degree will give you the right tools to operate successfully on the international market.

Mathematical Institute

The institute has a strong international orientation. Our mission is to perform high quality research at the frontiers of mathematical knowledge, and to educate future generations of mathematicians and statisticians in a friendly but challenging environment. The expertise of the members of the institute covers a broad range of topics, with a focus on Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory; Analysis and Dynamical Systems; Probability Theory; and Statistics. Research is focused both on fundamental mathematics and statistics and on applications in other sciences, society and industry.

Dutch Master programme in Mathematics: Mastermath

The Dutch master’s programme in Mathematics Mastermath offers master courses in mathematics which are open to all students following a master’s programme in mathematics at any of the Dutch universities. These courses are usually given at central places in the Netherlands. Both the master specialisation Applied Mathematics and the master specialisation Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory require that you take at least 30 EC from Mastermath courses.

Faculty of Science

The Faculty of Science is a first-class research faculty with an excellent position in the basic disciplines of science. The current research and education programmes span the entire spectrum of science ranging from Mathematics and Statistical Science, Computer Science and Data Science, Astrophysics, Physics, Chemistry and Bio-Pharmaceutical Sciences to
Biology and Environmental Sciences. Our science community is driven by their curiosity and desire to increase basic knowledge, for science and to contribute to the great societal challenges of today and tomorrow. Core values are scientific impact, technological innovation and relevance to society.

**Study at a world-class university**

Leiden University is the oldest university in the Netherlands and enjoys an excellent worldwide reputation built up over more than four centuries. Since 1575 we’ve provided sound personal education for hundreds of thousands of students. We’ll do our utmost to give you the best possible support. And if you can and want to do more, we’ll challenge you every step of the way. For many years, we’ve been among the leaders in Dutch university rankings and we are currently to be found in a variety of top international rankings too.

More reasons to choose Leiden University

**About the programme**

The master’s programme offers two research-oriented specialisations where you can focus on Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory or Applied Mathematics. You can also combine Mathematics with education, management or science communication.

**Programme overview Mathematics**

The MSc Mathematics programme offers five specialisations:

- Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory: follow this two year research programme to become a specialist in one of the areas within pure mathematics
- Applied Mathematics: focus on mathematics as it is applied in various aspects of physics and the life sciences.
- Mathematics and Education (taught partly in Dutch): prepare yourself for a career in teaching mathematics.
- Mathematics and Science Communication and Society: combine research with programmes in different aspects of science communication, such as journalism.
• Mathematics and Business Studies: combine training in Mathematics with an education in business and entrepreneurship.

Each specialisation may consist of master courses offered by Leiden University, courses offered by the Dutch master programme in mathematics ('Mastermath'), and courses offered by other institutions, for example the Technical University of Delft.

The research specialisation comprises a choice of advanced courses of a total of at least 120 EC. This includes a research project (at least 40 EC) in the second year, and a free choice of courses from any field (maximum 20 EC). The programme can to a great extent be tailor-made.

Find out more about the Research-oriented specialisations:

• Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory
• Applied Mathematics

If you choose one the education, science communication or science based business specialisations, you need to follow specific modules (30-60 EC) and therefore have a reduced research programme which consists of compulsory mathematical components (54 EC) and electives (6-36 EC). The compulsory mathematical components in these specialisations comprise a research training project (30 EC) and four core courses to be selected from the core mathematics MSc courses (24 EC).

Find out more about the programme outline of the specialisations:

• Mathematics and Education
• Mathematics and Science Based Business
• Mathematics and Science Communication and Society

**Educational methods**

• Computer assignments
• Lectures
• Individual papers
- Literature study
- Presentations
- Research project
- Seminars
- Self-study
- Working group

**Study guidance**

The mathematics study advisor is available for questions and suggestions regarding your study programme. During your final research project you will receive personal guidance from a personal supervisor, who will monitor you very closely.

**Extra-curricular**

Are you interested in taking up an extra challenge during your master’s programme? Do you want to develop your personal leadership style or study abroad?

**Leiden Leadership Programme**

Do you like a personal challenge in leadership? Then join the Leiden Leadership Programme. In this one-year programme, you work on developing your personal leadership skills through an assessment, training, seminars and a practice assignment in an organisation. You discover and develop your qualities in the context of an organisation. The goal is to learn how to work intensively with other professionals and learn how to use their qualities. With the Leiden Leadership Programme, a Dutch-based honours programme, you will be able to follow 20 EC next to your Leiden, The Hague or Delft master's programme. Read more about Leiden Leadership Programme

**International Leiden Leadership Programme**

Curious about your personal leadership style? The International Leiden Leadership Programme is a 5 EC honours programme for master’s students looking to understand leadership, train and develop their leadership skills and acquire an insight into their personal strengths and weaknesses. Thanks to its small-scale approach and supportive tutor-mentor system, you’ll be working on your development on a very personal level. During this
interdisciplinary programme you will attend seminars and skills-training sessions, which will give you more insight into the effect that your behaviour has on others. The programme involves the creation of a Personal Leadership Roadmap, a five-year plan for reaching and developing your own leadership style.
For more information: International Leiden Leadership Programme

**Study abroad**

It is possible to carry out part of the MSc programme at a University abroad. The study plan is always tailor-made and designed according to your needs and interests. This applies to all the specialisation programmes, but if you choose the Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory specialisation you will be guaranteed to spend one year at one of the Algant network universities. The specialisation is part of the Erasmus Mundus ALGANT network, making for intensive (research and education) contacts with the universities of Paris-Sud/Orsay, Bordeaux, Padova and Milano. Read more about the Algant network.

**Career prospects**

With an MSc degree in Mathematics you are well prepared for a broad range of career prospects and ready to operate on the international market. The master’s degree is also an excellent preparation for pursuing a PhD degree.

**Acquired skills and competence**

After obtaining your Master of Science degree in Mathematics, you will possess a thorough theoretical basis and knowhow about working in a multinational environment. And you will be able to operate well on the international market. Courses are taught at a high level and each of the master’s tracks ends with an individual research project combined with a master thesis.

**Career**

The Mathematics Master’s programme is an ideal basis for a career in academia, starting for example with one of the PhD programmes at the Leiden Mathematical Institute. Alumni also work as researchers within an industrial environment, such as in Akzo-Nobel, Shell, Philips or TNO. There are also many possibilities in business. Graduates with a Mathematics degree
find jobs in banks, insurance and option trading companies, communication and information technology, industry, and logistics.

Career preparation

Leiden University offers you several services related to career orientation and job application skills.

Science Career Service

Are you looking for career advice? Get in touch with our science career advisor. The Science Career Service supports students of the Science Faculty in their career orientation and making effective career decisions during their study. We offer services such as consultation hours, individual appointments with the career counselor and advice on your CV or motivation letter.

Science Career Event

Whether you are actively looking to meet interesting companies, or even if you have no idea what you career will look like yet, the Science Career Event gives you a chance to speak with a large number of companies. Every year the Science Career Event is organized by students of the Faculty of Science. During this event you can get your resume checked, participate in a workshop or speed date with a company to discuss possibilities in the near future. The Science Career Event is the ideal day to orient yourself on career possibilities.

The Mentor Network

If you have questions about the job market, you can get in touch with Leiden alumni who are happy to offer their advice. On the Mentor Network platform you can view the profiles of around 650 alumni. Once you have found someone you would like to contact for advice, you can send him or her a request for assistance.

Admission and application
Do you want to apply for the master’s programme Mathematics at Leiden University? Find out how to apply for your programme by following the step-by-step guide in the application and admission section.

The guide will give you the necessary help and guidance in submitting your application.

- Step 1: Check the admission requirements.
- Step 2: Check the application deadlines.
- Step 3: Collect the required documents.
- Step 4: Start your application.
- Step 5: Pay your tuition fees
- Step 6: Prepare for your studies at Leiden University

**Admission requirements**

To enter the master’s programme in Mathematics at Leiden University, applicants have to satisfy the following criteria.

**Diploma requirements**

Students holding a BSc degree in mathematics or a BSC major in Mathematics, obtained at a Dutch university are directly admitted to the programme.

For all other candidates, including those with a higher professional education (HBO) degree in a related field of science, an Admission Committee will judge the equivalence of their previous training to this Bachelor of Science degree. The choice in optional courses in the Master of Science programme may be limited by the need to adapt the programme to the actual knowledge of the candidate.

The admission process may include an interview by the Admissions Committee. For more information, please contact the study advisor.
**Language requirements**

You also need to provide:

- Proof of sufficient proficiency in English evidenced by an appropriate test:
  - IELTS test level of at least 6.0
  - TOEFL score of at least 550/213

Please note: This requirement does not apply if you have completed your education in Canada, USA, UK, Ireland, New Zealand or Australia, or have an International Baccalaureate.

The education component of the master's specialisation Mathematics and Education is taught in Dutch, all applicants must provide proof of proficiency in Dutch.

**Application deadlines**

**Starting in February**

- If you need a visa, residence permit or accommodation via Leiden University Housing Office, the **deadline is 15 October**.
- If you do not need a visa, residence permit or accommodation via Leiden University Housing Office, the **deadline is 1 December**.

**Starting in September**

- If you need a visa, residence permit or accommodation via Leiden University Housing Office, the **deadline is 1 April**.
- If you do not need a visa, residence permit or accommodation via Leiden University Housing Office, the **deadline is 15 June**.

**Apply early!**

Just in case you might have to take an additional entrance exam or submit additional documentation, you should always apply as early as possible. If you apply at the last minute,
you risk missing deadlines, such as those for accommodation or visa applications. Late applications will only be considered in exceptional cases, and at the discretion of the faculty Board of Admissions.

**Scholarships, grants and loans**

Do you want to apply for a scholarship, grant or loan? Please note, these have different application deadlines.

Read more

### Required documents

Along with your application, you will need to submit a variety of documents.

**Required application documents**

Please upload a copy of the passport page(s) with your personal details and photograph. If you come from the EU/EER, you may also send a copy of your identity card.

If you are already staying in the Netherlands with a Dutch residence permit for study or for another purpose, please upload a copy of both sides of your Dutch residence permit.

Your CV must be written in English. Other than this, no standardised format or template is required. Your CV should clearly outline your educational and professional history up until the present date, as well as basic personal facts.

A personal statement must be submitted explaining why you want to follow the programme, why you have chosen to do so at Leiden University, and what makes you think you are a good candidate. The statement should be between 700 and 1,500 words.

- Digital copies are required initially. Once you have been admitted, we will tell you how to submit certified copies to the Admissions Office.
- Documents must be in the original language and accompanied by official translations if they are not in English, Dutch, German or French. If you have not yet completed
your study programme, state your expected graduation date and submit copies of all transcripts obtained to date.

- If you are applying for an LLM Advanced Studies programme: all documents must be available in English (or translated into English).

You can apply to a programme before you obtain the results of your language exam (if you already have your results you can upload them directly in our online portal). If you are admitted, it will be on the condition that these results will meet the required levels specified.

Always check first if your programme requires you to send in letters of recommendation. If you need to submit more than one letter, at least one letter must be from an academic staff member.

- The letter must be printed on letterhead paper, signed and bearing the full contact details of the referee (for verification purposes).
- Your referee should describe your skills, qualities and competencies.

**Recommendation letters - submission information**

Letters of recommendation can be scanned and uploaded as part of your online application. Alternatively, your referee can send them directly to us, making sure your name and application number are clearly indicated.

- By post:
  
  Leiden University Admissions Office
  “Gravensteen” Pieterskerkhof 6
  2311 SR Leiden
  The Netherlands

- Digitally via our contact form

Additionally please complete the attached format and upload this in your application.

**Questions?**

If you have any further questions, you can look them up at the Student FAQ page.
Application procedure

The application procedure consists of three steps.

Part 1. Apply for a programme in Studielink

All students applying for a programme at Leiden University will need to start in Studielink. Apply in Studielink for the master’s programme of your choice. Studielink will be open for applications from 1 October.

Please follow the instructions given in Studielink. After taking the first step, you will receive an email with the following information (but bear in mind that it can take a few days):

- confirmation that you have started the application process in Studielink
- login details for Leiden University’s online application portal

In the online application portal, Leiden University will let you know whether you qualify for automatic admission and will guide you through all necessary steps to complete your registration, as well as informing you about what you have to do after applying.

*Important note: If you are applying for a programme that starts in the Academic year 2017-2018, you won’t receive login details from Studielink for the online application system. In this case, go the online application system of Leiden University and apply for admission.*

Part 2. Online application at Leiden University

If you cannot be admitted automatically, you will have to apply.

In our online application portal you can finalise your application by uploading the necessary documents and answering a few questions. The portal provides an overview of what you need to do to complete your application at Leiden University. Please follow the instructions carefully. We strongly recommend that you complete your application as early as possible, because the sooner you apply, the sooner you’ll receive a decision.
Important note: If you are applying for a programme that starts in February 2018, you won’t receive login details from Studielink for the online application system. In this case, go to the online application system and apply for admission. In the online application you can finalise your application by uploading the necessary documents and answering a few questions. Please follow the instructions carefully. We strongly recommend that you complete your application as early as possible because the sooner you do so, the sooner you will receive a decision.

All students with an international degree have to pay a **non-refundable** €100 application fee. This fee cannot be refunded and entitles you to apply for up to three programmes /specialisations within the same academic year. After we have received your application fee, we will start processing your application. Please do not delay paying the fee as this will delay the application process. The online application system describes how you can pay the fee.

**Can I be exempted from paying the application fee?**

You do **not** have to pay the application fee if:

- You submit a copy of a bachelor’s degree or current bachelor’s transcript from a Dutch institute of higher education (hbo or wo).
- You were previously registered as a foreign exchange, bachelor’s, master’s or pre-master’s student at Leiden University.
- You have refugee status in the Netherlands (residence permit for asylum).
- You are an Indonesian student applying for an MSc programme and have been issued with a 'review letter' by the Leiden Science Indonesia Office.
- You have applied for a CEU Praesidium Libertatis scholarship (this only applies to students who have been nominated by the Central European University).
- You have previously been admitted to a degree programme at Leiden University, but you decided to postpone your studies. This does **not** apply if you wish to apply for a different study programme or specialisation.

Exemptions cannot be granted on any other grounds.
After submitting your application, the online portal will, if applicable, ask you if you want to apply for student housing, a visa or a scholarship. Make a careful note of the deadlines for applying for a scholarship, student visa/residence permit and student accommodation.

**Important note:** If you are applying for a programme that starts in February 2018, and if applicable, the Admissions Office will send you an email with information about student housing, immigration, student registration and other formalities.

- Upon receipt of your application fee (if applicable), the Admissions Office will check whether all the necessary documents have been uploaded and will inform you by email whether your application is complete or if there are any omissions.
- Your application will then be forwarded to the Board of Admissions at the faculty and they will decide whether you meet the entry requirements of the degree programme of your choice.
- The Board of Admissions will make a decision within four to six weeks after the University has received your application.

The Board of Admissions will send you its decision by email within four to six weeks after Leiden University has received your application.

There are three possible options:

1. **You are admitted**
   All conditions have been fulfilled.

2. **You are conditionally admitted; in other words you will be admitted, provided you meet certain conditions.**
   The conditions will be given in the decision letter.

3. **You are not admitted, because you do not meet the programme’s entry requirements.**
   The reasons will be clearly stated in the decision letter.

If you are told that your application has been successful, congratulations! A number of additional steps now need to be taken.
The Admissions Office will ask you to inform them whether you will accept the offer of admission or conditional admission. Please go to the online application portal to accept the offer. You have the following choices:

1. Accept
2. Accept, but start later
3. Decline

Part 3. Complete your registration in Studielink

In addition to applying to Leiden University, you will also need to register in Studielink. We will send you a reminder to register in Studielink once you have been accepted onto a master’s programme at Leiden University. We strongly advise that you register in Studielink as soon as possible.

The deadlines for registering via Studielink are:

- 31 August, for programmes starting in September
- 31 January, for programmes starting in February

After 1 September you will not be able to register in Studielink or change your choice of master’s programme.

Remember to submit all the necessary documents.

Complete your registration for your master’s programme via Studielink. Enter your payment details in Studielink and submit all the necessary documents before the official start date of your programme. Failure to do so means you won’t be allowed to study. If you have any questions about Studielink, go to the 'I have a question' page.

Pay your tuition fee before the official start date of your programme. Failure to do so means you won’t be allowed to study.
Tuition fees

The amount of tuition fee you have to pay depends on a number of factors. Your nationality, study programme and previous Dutch higher education qualifications determine the amount of tuition fee you have to pay.

The tuition fees for the academic year 2017-2018 are:

- Dutch, EU/EEA, Swiss and Surinamese students: €2,006 per year
- Non-EU/EEA students €17,800 per year
- Second Dutch master’s programme: €16,000 per year

The tuition fees for the academic year 2018-2019 are:

- Dutch, EU/EEA, Swiss and Surinamese students: €2,060 per year
- Non-EU/EEA students €17,800 per year
- Second Dutch master’s programme: €16,000 per year

More information about tuition fees

The tuition fee for this programme is €2,006.- for the academic year 2017-2018 and €2,060.- for the academic year 2018-2019 (statutory fee).

This tuition fee applies if this is not your second master’s programme and you are a national of the Netherlands, or one of the following countries:

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The fee applies for both full-time and part-time study.

If you are not a national of an EEA country, Suriname or Switzerland you must generally pay an institutional tuition fee. However if, on the basis of your Dutch residence permit, you are eligible for student finance from the Dutch education agency (DUO) you are entitled to
pay statutory tuition fee. Information on qualifying residence permits can be found in the DUO nationality chart.

If you **do not qualify** for Dutch student finance and you are **not a national of an EEA country, Suriname or Switzerland** you can find the amount of tuition fee you are required to pay for your study programme here below. These tariffs apply for both full and part-time study.

*Please note! If you will study at Leiden University via a cooperation agreement the tariffs stated in the agreement apply*

**Tuition fee: €17.800,- (academic year 2017-2018 and 2018-2019)**

If you will undertake a second Dutch master’s programme you will generally have to pay an institutional tuition fee that is higher than the statutory tuition fee.

If you obtained a Dutch Bachelor’s, doctoraal, ingenieurs or HBO (Bachelor’s in professional education) diploma after 1991, and you are a national of an EEA country (Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom), Suriname or Switzerland, the following institutional tuition fees apply.

**Institutional tuition fee: €16,000.- (academic year 2017-2018 and 2018-2019)**

Did you commence a Bachelor’s programme at Leiden University before 2010, and will you continue directly onto a second Master’s programme in the year you complete your Bachelor’s programme, or in the following year? If so you are entitled to pay statutory tuition fee in accordance with a transitional ruling (also see ‘Exceptions’).

*Please note! Other tariffs apply for students who are not nationals of an EEA country, Suriname or Switzerland. Please refer to the information in the section ‘Students who are not nationals of an EEA country, Suriname or Switzerland’.*
Are you unsure whether you have to pay statutory tuition fee or an institutional fee? Consult our tuition fee flowchart for second Master’s programmes.

Exceptions
In some cases nationals of EEA countries, Suriname or Switzerland may be permitted to pay tuition fees set at the same amount as statutory tuition fee for their second degree programme.

- If your second degree programme is in the field of healthcare or teacher training you are entitled to pay institutional tuition fees set at the same amount as statutory tuition fee.
- If you begin your second Bachelor’s or Master’s programme whilst you are still following your first Bachelor's or Master’s programme you may pay institutional tuition fees set at the same amount as statutory tuition fee for your second degree programme – on condition that you remain continuously registered as a student.

If you begin a second Bachelor’s or Master's programme at Leiden University in the academic year directly following the year in which you obtained your first Bachelor’s or Master's degree at Leiden University you may pay institutional tuition fee set at the same amount as statutory tuition fee.

Scholarships, grants and loans
Leiden University offers a wide range of scholarships for students from specific regions of the world, or for specific programmes. If you have EU/EEA or Swiss nationality and are under 30, you may be eligible for a loan from the Dutch government to cover your tuition fees. Leiden University also offers the Leiden University Excellence Scholarship (LExS). This scholarship programme is designed for non-EU/EEA students enrolling in a master’s programme and for students of all nationalities enrolling in an Advanced LLM programme.

Find out more about scholarships, grants, loans and deadlines

Student life
Your time at Leiden is about more than just studying. Some of your best experiences will stem from being a part of our lively and diverse student community, as well as from life in the beautiful city of Leiden.

**Life in Leiden**

Quaint, picturesque and the perfect size, Leiden is an idyllic place to spend your university days. You will soon become familiar with the dozens of cafes, shops and bars that line the leafy canals, as well as its year-round line-up of cultural events. For visits further afield, the major cities of The Hague and Amsterdam are a short train ride away, along with Schiphol Airport, which is just half an hour away by train.

Within the university’s student community, our study and student associations organise a huge variety of social, cultural, and study events to keep you busy all year round. You can also join the University Sports Centre, which offers scheduled group sports and fitness classes amongst other activities.

**Welcome and orientation programme**

In August and February each year, Leiden University hosts the English-language Orientation Week Leiden (OWL), which welcomes both international and Dutch students. The OWL is an excellent way to get to know Leiden University, the city and to meet other students.
New to the city and the university? Take part in the best introduction to the city, the university and your faculty: The OWL! Enjoy this week of fun, music, culture, sports, games and making new friends. It will be an unforgettable start of your studies!
Our Hortus botanicus is a place where science is conducted, but it is equally popular for studying or relaxing. Come visit it!
Leiden is a lively, compact and safe city which is appreciated by national and international students alike. Everything is in reach within a 15 minutes bicycle ride.
The city is located centrally between Netherland's biggest cities like Amsterdam, The Hague, Utrecht and Rotterdam, all easily reached by public transport.
Enjoy strolling through the narrow cobbled streets and become familiar with the dozens of cafes, shops and bars that line the leafy canals.

**De Leidsche Flesch**

De Leidsche Flesch is the study association of the studies Computer Science, Physics, Astronomy and Mathematics. The main goals of the De Leidsche Flesch are to contribute to the interaction between its members and the scientific community and to contribute to the interaction between its members themselves. They organize a wide range of activities, like (lunch) lectures, excursions and study trips. They also try to acquaint you with job opportunities for after completing your study.

**Science Buddy Programme**

The Science master's Buddy Programme has been set up by the Faculty of Science to help all international students who are new to the university to integrate quickly and easily into university life. Through the programme you will learn everything you need to know about the university, the student community, and the practical side of life in Leiden. Your buddy is your first connection in the Netherlands and he or she can help you to find your way
Information activities

Are you thinking about studying at Leiden University? Come and visit our Master's Open Day.

About our Master’s Open Day

Are you exploring your options for a master’s programme? You can learn a lot by coming to our Master’s Open Days. This event is your opportunity to learn everything you need to know about our master’s programmes and how they can help you reach your goals. Attend presentations by the different programmes, visit the information fairs, and ask lecturers, students, alumni and study advisers all your questions. And you’ll get to know the best student city right in the heart of Europe in the Netherlands.

Read more about the Master's Open Days

Impressions Master's Open Day

Contact

Do you have any questions about the Mathematics master’s programme? Please contact us!

Contact the programme

For more information and questions about the programme, admissions procedures, tuition fees and scholarships, please contact:

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studieadviseur@math.leidenuniv.nl

Contact the university about general questions

Do you have questions about studying at Leiden University?
Do you want to know more about one or more programmes or about our information activities? The StudyLine is a source of information for students and is staffed by students. You can contact them by mail or by phone on +31 (0)71 527 11 11 on working days between 9.00 am and 17.00 pm.

Do you have questions about your admission and application?
For questions about your admission and application, you can contact the Student Information Centre. You can contact them by telephone on +31 (0)71 527 80 11 (daily between 11:00 am and 16:00 pm) or ask your question in the online contact form.