



# *Introduction*

## *Master's Degree Programmes*

### *GSNS*

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*Applied Data Science, Artificial Intelligence, Computing Science, Game and Media Technology,  
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# Welcome to Utrecht Science Park



**Faculty of Science**

Minnaert  
Koningsberger  
Buys Ballot

UTRECHT  
SCIENCE  
PARK



# Yvonne Tromp

- Study Advisor GSNS (*Applied Data Science, Artificial Intelligence, Computing Science, Game and Media Technology*) – since Sept 2019
- Studied at the University of Groningen and at McMaster University (ON, Canada) – *MSc Human Movement Sciences/Sport Sciences*
- Worked as a study advisor for 3 years at the University of Groningen
- Worked 5 years in the UK as a Sport Psychology lecturer and Strategic Analyst



# Pien van Leengoed

Study Advisor

Bachelor Information Sciences

Masters Human Computer Interaction, Business Informatics



Maternity Leave until mid-October 2020

Maternity cover:

Yvonne Tromp: Masters Human Computer Interaction, Business Informatics

# Today's programme

- General information (e.g., course registration, systems)
- The Academic Calendar
- COVID-19 (online versus on-campus teaching and learning)
- Advice, Guidance & counselling (e.g., study advisor, skills lab)
- Introduction to the student associations
- Questions

# General information

## Master registration

- Send in the required documentation (e.g., copy of diploma's) before 1<sup>st</sup> September 2020
- Studielink – ensure you submit your payment details
- Contact
  - international students: [admissionsoffice@uu.nl](mailto:admissionsoffice@uu.nl) or [visa@uu.nl](mailto:visa@uu.nl)
  - Dutch & Int. Students: [studentservices@uu.nl](mailto:studentservices@uu.nl)

## Course registration

- Course registration occurs in OSIRIS Student ([osiris.uu.nl](https://osiris.uu.nl)) (required: Solid-ID, password, and 2-factor Identification)
- Course registration block 2 in a few weeks already!
- Master Student Desk Faculty Science ([science.gsns@uu.nl](mailto:science.gsns@uu.nl))
- MyTimetable (<https://students.uu.nl/mytimetable>) – check for information on online vs on-campus classes!

# General information

## Systems

- OSIRIS Student ([osiris.uu.nl/](https://osiris.uu.nl/))
- [Mytimetable](https://students.uu.nl/mytimetable) ([students.uu.nl/mytimetable](https://students.uu.nl/mytimetable))
- Digital learning environment (e.g., [uu.blackboard.com](https://uu.blackboard.com)) and hubs for team collaboration (e.g., Microsoft Teams, etc)
- OSIRIS Course Catalogue (e.g., course descriptors, and course coordinator contact details)
  - [osiris.uu.nl/osiris\\_student\\_uuprd/OnderwijsCatalogusZoekCursus.do](https://osiris.uu.nl/osiris_student_uuprd/OnderwijsCatalogusZoekCursus.do)
  - Alternatively: <http://www.cs.uu.nl/education/index.php> (Note: change in the
  - top drop-down menu: “alle vakken” in “masterfase”)
- Students.uu.nl (programme specific information)
- UU mail (Microsoft Office 365 suite) – ensure you check this regularly!
- MyUU app





Check [students.uu.nl](https://students.uu.nl) and find all the information you need

**STUDY PROGRAMME**

**SKILLS LAB**

**IT**

**STUDENT COUNSELLING**

**BUILDINGS**

**FINANCIAL**

**CONTACT DETAILS**

**ETC.**

Via the student website:

**Student portal**

Timetable, grades, study progress, email

**Blackboard**

Submit assignments, information about courses

**Osiris**

Register for courses

**Course planner**

Overview of all courses

**MyTimetable**

Your timetable

**MyWorkplace**

Free software

Download the

**MyUU app**

For your timetable,  
grades, study progress  
and student card



# Academic Calendar

Jaarplanning Beta collegejaar 2020/2021									
week	S+		datum	ma	di	wo	do	vr	UU
36	1	ma	31-8-2020	intro BM: FA/LS/UGS	intro BM: LS/NS/UGS	intro BM: LS/NS/UGS	intro BM: LS/UGS	intro BM: LS/UGS	
37	2	ma	7-9-2020						
38	3	ma	14-9-2020						
39	4	ma	21-9-2020						
40	5	ma	28-9-2020		BLOK 1				
41	6	ma	5-10-2020			Open dag master			
42	7	ma	12-10-2020						
43	8	ma	19-10-2020						
44	9	ma	26-10-2020	NA-I blok 2	NA-I blok 2				
45	10	ma	2-11-2020						Tent1
46	11	ma	9-11-2020						
47	12	ma	16-11-2020					Open dag bachelor	za 21-ste Open dag bachelor
48	13	ma	23-11-2020						
49	14	ma	30-11-2020						
50	15	ma	7-12-2020		BLOK 2				
51	16	ma	14-12-2020						
52	17	ma	21-12-2020					1e KR	
53	18	ma	28-12-2020					Nw Jr	
1	19	ma	4-1-2021	h	h	h	h	h	Her 1
2	20	ma	11-1-2021						
3	21	ma	18-1-2021						
4	22	ma	25-1-2021	NA-I blok 3	NA-I blok 3				
5	23	ma	1-2-2021						Tent2

Semester 1  
(block 1 & 2)

6	24	ma	8-2-2021	Intro M: NS/FA	Intro M: NS		UU carr-D:		
7	25	ma	15-2-2021					Open dag master	
8	26	ma	22-2-2021		BLOK 3				
9	27	ma	1-3-2021						
10	28	ma	8-3-2021						za 13-e Open dag bachelor
11	29	ma	15-3-2021						
12	30	ma	22-3-2021						
13	31	ma	29-3-2021					GV	
14	32	ma	5-4-2021	Ze Paas	NA-I blok 4	NA-I blok 4			
15	33	ma	12-4-2021						Tent3
16	34	ma	19-4-2021						Her 2
17	35	ma	26-4-2021		KD				
18	36	ma	3-5-2021			BD			
19	37	ma	10-5-2021				HV	VHV	
20	38	ma	17-5-2021		BLOK 4				
21	39	ma	24-5-2021	Ze Pink					
22	40	ma	31-5-2021						
23	41	ma	7-6-2021						
24	42	ma	14-6-2021						
25	43	ma	21-6-2021						
26	44	ma	28-6-2021						Tent 4
27	45	ma	5-7-2021						Her 3
28	46	ma	12-7-2021						Her 4
29	47	ma	19-7-2021						Her 4
30	48	ma	26-7-2021						
31	49	ma	2-8-2021						
32	50	ma	9-8-2021						
33	51	ma	16-8-2021						

Semester 2  
(block 3 & 4)

## Academic year

- 4 periods (2 semesters)
- +/- 10 week per period
- Exams near the end of each block
- Re-sits (check requirements – min. 4)

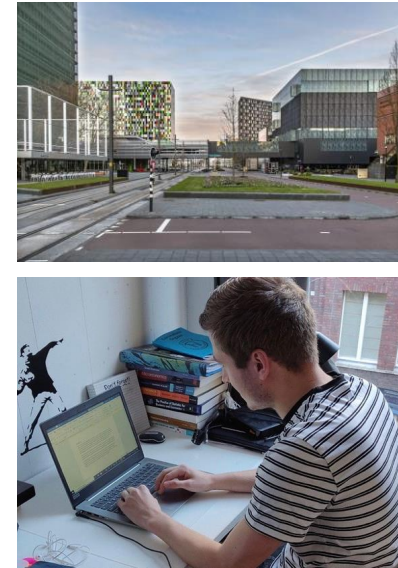
# COVID-19



pre-COVID-19



Mid-March 2020



2020/21

Check  
*Mytimetable* for  
online versus on-  
campus lectures  
and exams

**Check daily! as  
situations around  
COVID-19 could  
change over night!**

## Useful links:

- UU information and updates Corona Virus: <https://www.uu.nl/en/information-coronavirus>
- Corona and education: <https://students.uu.nl/en/practical-information/corona-and-education>
- FAQ for prospective Master's students GSNS: <https://www.uu.nl/en/organisation/graduate-school-of-natural-sciences/masters-programmes/faq-new-students>

# COVID-19

## House Rules at Utrecht Science Park (USP)

<https://students.uu.nl/en/practical-information/corona-and-education/house-rules-in-buildings>



## De UU in de 1,5 meter-samenleving The UU in the 1.5 meter society

### Basisregels voor iedereen General rules for everyone



Houd afstand.  
Keep your distance.



Werk zoveel mogelijk thuis.  
Work from home as much as possible.



Schud geen handen.  
Don't shake hands.



Kom niet naar de UU als je verkoudheidsklachten of koorts hebt of als een gezinslid/ huisgenoot dat heeft. Kom pas weer na 24 uur zonder klachten.  
Stay at home if you have a cold or fever or if a family member/ roommate has one. After 24 hours without symptoms, you may consider returning to the office.



Hoest en nies in je elleboogholte.  
Cough and sneeze in your inner elbow.



Was regelmatig je handen.  
Wash your hands often.

### UU-specifieke regels (op hoofdlijnen) Main UU specific rules



Spreiding van verkeersstromen in buitenruimte.  
Spreading of traffic flows in outdoor areas.



Eenrichtingsverkeer in panden.  
One-way traffic in buildings.



Beperkte capaciteit in ruimtes.  
Limited capacity in rooms.



Werk in vaste teams en met je eigen dockingstation, toetsenbord en muis.  
Work in fixed teams and use your own docking station, keyboard and mouse.



In de universiteitsgebouwen alleen medewerkers, studenten, leveranciers en patiënteigenaren in de dierenklinieken.  
Only employees, students, suppliers and patient owners in veterinary clinics allowed in the university buildings.

*Alleen samen krijgen we corona onder controle.  
Together, we'll get corona under control.*



# COVID-19



(Limited) Study spaces at the  
UU Library:

<https://resourcebooker.uu.nl/>

Studyspot

<http://studyspot.uu.nl/>



# COVID-19

## **Distant learning/100% online**

- Contact your study advisor for approval (valid reason required!)
- When approved, contact your course coordinator a.s.a.p. via email and discuss alternatives (if possible)
- Inform your Master programme coordinator via email



## **When you cannot attend a one-off on-campus exam/lecture/seminar**

- Contact your course coordinator via email (and copy into your email your study advisor)
- Alternatives, e.g., resit, extra assignments/tasks

## Advice, Guidance and Counselling

### Related to your Master's degree programme

- Student Desk Faculty of Science (bachelor and master)
- Study advisor
- Master programme coordinator/ Course coordinators/lecturers

### Not related to your study programme

- Student Services UU
- Student Counsellors (“studenten decanen”)
- Student Psychologists
- Skills Lab
- Career Services
- Studying without Limitations (“Platform onbeperkt studeren”)

# Advice, Guidance and Counselling

## Related to your Master programme

- **Student Desk Faculty of Science, Masters GSNS**  
Queries around course registration, results registration in OSIRIS, assessment forms, graduation ceremony,....

Contact: [science.gsns@uu.nl](mailto:science.gsns@uu.nl)

# Advice, Guidance and Counselling

## Related to your Master programme

- **Study Advisors**  
Queries around ...

...have questions around Academic Policies and Procedures

.....have personal circumstances

...have to make a study choice

.....am experiencing a study delay

...am looking for a challenge



Soft transition specific:  
... can't attend my exam  
... have failed my Bachelor course  
→ contact your study advisor in time!!

Required to complete your Bachelor programme within 12 months!





# Advice, Guidance and Counselling

## Related to your Master programme

- **GSNS Master Programme Coordinators**  
Queries around Master programme – study plans, research project etc.



*Prof. Dr. F.J. (Floris) Bex  
Prof. Dr. P. (Pinar) Yolum Birbil  
Artificial Intelligence*



*Dr. M.W. (Mel) Chekol  
Applied Data Science*



*Dr. R.J. (Roland) Geraerts  
Dr. A. (Anja) Volk  
Game and Media Technology*



*Dr. G. (Gerard) Wagenaar  
Dr. S.J. (Sietse) Overbeek  
Business Informatics*



*Dr. E.L. (Egon) van den Broek  
Human Computer Interaction*



*Dr. ir. J.M. (Marjan) van den Akker  
Dr. S.W.B. (Wishnu) Prasethya  
Computing Sciences*

# Advice, Guidance and Counselling

Not related to your Master programme

- **Skills Lab** ([www.uu.nl/en/skillslab](http://www.uu.nl/en/skillslab))
  - Writing tutoring (online)
  - Study coaching (online)
  - Train your academic skills (online)
  - Webinars academic study skills
  - Tips for studying and writing at home
  - Tackle personal problems (stress, anxiety, mindfulness)
  - Study groups
  - Thesis weeks and research project study groups
  - Personal development
  - Career development



# Advice, Guidance and Counselling

Not related to your Master programme

- **Studying without Limitations**
  - “Platform Onbeperkt Studeren”
  - For and by students
  - Peer to peer groups and buddy system for students with a disability
  - Contact: [onbeperktstuderen@uu.nl](mailto:onbeperktstuderen@uu.nl)

If you have a disability (e.g., dyslexia, AD(H)D, ASS, physical Impairment, chronic illness), you can apply for special facilities and support:

- Requests for facilities, e.g., extra exam time, can be submitted via [OSIRIS Student](#) (*tab Cases > Application for special facilities*)
- Ensure you submit your application well before your first exams!

Contact your study advisor to find out how we can support you!

# Student Associations



Studievereniging Sticky  
Informatica – Informatiekunde

Study related and fun activities

Order study books:

<https://www.studystore.nl/>



Studievereniging A-Eskwadraat  
Gametechnologie – Informatica – Informatiekunde – Natuurkunde – Wiskunde



# Questions

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Book an online appointment via my online agenda  
<https://students.uu.nl/en/practical-information/advising-and-counselling>





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