

## Master's programme Psychology 2023-2024

The Master's programme in Psychology (60EC, 1 year) offers five (specialization) tracks in the field of psychology:

- Human Factors & Engineering Psychology
- Conflict, Risk & Safety
- Educational Psychology
- Health Psychology & Technology
- Positive Clinical Psychology & Technology

The language of communication, instruction and examination in the MSc programme Psychology is English. This means that in all tracks/specializations:

- Study materials are in English.
- Classes (lectures, seminars, workshops, practicals, and others) are taught in English\*.
- Exams and assignments are composed in English and students have to complete all exams and assignments in English\*/\*\*.
- Presentations (including the master's thesis presentation) have to be prepared in English.

\* In the master's specialisation Positive Clinical Psychology & Technology Dutch (speaking) students have the possibility to practise, get feedback on, and do assignments in (counselling) skills in Dutch during some practical/clinical courses.

\*\* For the internship part of the master's programme deviation of this rule is allowed in case (writing) the internship in English is impossible due to the nature of the (Dutch) internship organization. It is then allowed to compose the internship product and/or report in Dutch.

**Students can start the master(tracks) in September or February. The programme as determined for students starting in September (2023) can be found in this document.**

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### Conflict, Risk & Safety (CRS)

The master track CRS consists of four obligatory courses (20EC) and one elective course (5EC). The track will be completed with a Master's Thesis and Internship. The student conducts a master's thesis of 25EC. The Internship (external or internal) consists of 10EC.

More information about the master's thesis and the requirements can be found at:  
[www.utwente.nl/psy/graduationweb](http://www.utwente.nl/psy/graduationweb).

More information about the Internship and the requirements can be found at:  
[www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship](http://www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship)

| Semester 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                  | Semester 2                                                          |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Quartile 1A                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Quartile 1B                                                                      | Quartile 2A                                                         | Quartile 2B |
| <div>5EC</div> <div>Group Dynamics and Interventions</div> <div>201100014</div>                                                                                                                                              | <div>5EC</div> <div>Advanced Research Methods for CRS</div> <div>201600161</div> | <div>5EC</div> <div>Psychology and Crime</div> <div>201400580</div> |             |
| <div>5EC</div> <div>Psychology of Sustainability<sup>1</sup></div> <div>202300098</div>                                                                                                                                      | Internship (10EC)                                                                | Master’s Thesis (25EC)                                              |             |
| <div>5EC</div> <div>Elective Course<sup>2</sup> 1 out of 3:</div> <div>➤ Learning and Instruction<sup>1</sup></div> <div>➤ Design of Persuasive Health Technology<sup>1</sup></div> <div>➤ Human Factors in Healthcare</div> |                                                                                  |                                                                     |             |

<sup>1</sup> This course is offered twice a year, in Quartile 1A and Quartile 2A.

<sup>2</sup> Students choose one of the courses

### Health Psychology & Technology (HPT)

The master track HPT consists of four obligatory courses (20EC) and one elective course (5EC). The track will be completed with a Master's Thesis and Internship. The student conducts a master's thesis of 25EC. The Internship (external or internal) consists of 10EC.

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More information about the Internship and the requirements can be found at:  
[www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship](http://www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship)

| Semester 1                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                     | Semester 2                                                       |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Quartile 1A                                                                                                                                                                      | Quartile 1B                                                         | Quartile 2A                                                      | Quartile 2B |
| 5EC<br><br>Health Promotion<br><br>202200074                                                                                                                                     | 5EC<br><br>Evaluation Complex Health Interventions<br><br>202200075 | 5EC<br><br>Coping with Disease in a Digital Era<br><br>202200076 |             |
| 5EC<br><br>Design of Persuasive Health Technology <sup>1</sup><br>201400584                                                                                                      | Internship (10EC)                                                   | Master’s Thesis (25EC)                                           |             |
| 5EC<br><i>Elective Course<sup>2</sup> 1 out of 3:</i><br>➤ Learning and Instruction <sup>1</sup><br>➤ Psychology of Sustainability <sup>1</sup><br>➤ Human Factors in Healthcare |                                                                     |                                                                  |             |

<sup>1</sup> This course is offered twice a year, in Quartile 1A and Quartile 2A.

<sup>2</sup> Students choose one of the courses

### Human Factors & Engineering Psychology (HFE)

The master track HFE consists of four obligatory courses (20EC) and one elective course (5EC). The track will be completed with a Master's Thesis and Internship. The student conducts a master's thesis of 25EC. The Internship (external or internal) consists of 10EC.

More information about the master's thesis and the requirements can be found at:  
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More information about the Internship and the requirements can be found at:  
[www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship](http://www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship)

| Semester 1                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                  | Semester 2                                  |                        |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Quartile 1A                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Quartile 1B                                                      | Quartile 2A                                 | Quartile 2B            |
| 5EC<br><br>Traffic Psychology<br><br>201900041                                                                                                                                                                 | 5EC<br><br>Advanced Research<br>Methods for HFE<br><br>201600162 | 5EC<br><br>User Psychology<br><br>202200072 | Master's Thesis (25EC) |
| 5EC<br><br>Human Factors in<br>Healthcare<br><br>202100305                                                                                                                                                     | Internship (10EC)                                                |                                             |                        |
| 5EC<br><i>Elective Course<sup>2</sup> 1 out of 3:</i><br>➤ Learning and Instruction <sup>1</sup><br>➤ Psychology of<br>Sustainability <sup>1</sup><br>➤ Design of Persuasive<br>Health Technology <sup>1</sup> |                                                                  |                                             |                        |

<sup>1</sup> This course is offered twice a year, in Quartile 1A and Quartile 2A.

<sup>2</sup> Students choose one of the courses

### Educational Psychology (EP)

The master track EP consists of four obligatory courses (20EC) and one elective course (5EC). The track will be completed with a Master's Thesis and Internship. The student conducts a master's thesis of 25EC. The Internship (external or internal) consists of 10EC.

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More information about the Internship and the requirements can be found at:  
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| Semester 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                          | Semester 2                                                                 |             |
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| Quartile 1A                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Quartile 1B                                                              | Quartile 2A                                                                | Quartile 2B |
| <b>5EC</b><br>Positive education<br><b>202000005</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>5EC</b><br>Adaptivity in Learning and Instruction<br><b>201600164</b> | <b>5EC</b><br>Innovative technology-based environments<br><b>201400002</b> |             |
| <b>5EC</b><br>Learning and Instruction <sup>1</sup><br><b>192914040</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>Internship (10EC)</b>                                                 | <b>Master's Thesis (25EC)</b>                                              |             |
| <b>5EC</b><br><i>Elective Course<sup>2</sup> 1 out of 4:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Designing Learning &amp; Performance Support</li> <li>➤ Psychology of Sustainability<sup>1</sup></li> <li>➤ Design of Persuasive Health Technology<sup>1</sup></li> <li>➤ Human Factors in Healthcare</li> </ul> |                                                                          |                                                                            |             |

<sup>1</sup> This course is offered twice a year, in Quartile 1A and Quartile 2A.

<sup>2</sup> Students choose one of the courses

### Positive Clinical Psychology & Technology (PCPT)

The master track PCPT consists of five obligatory courses (27EC), a Master's Thesis (14EC or 23EC) and an Internship (10EC or 19EC).

| Semester 1                                                 |                                                                      | Semester 2                     |                                     |
|------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Quartile 1A                                                | Quartile 1B                                                          | Quartile 2A                    | Quartile 2B                         |
| Positive Clinical Psychology<br><br>7,5EC<br><br>201800111 | Positive Cognitive Behavioural Therapy<br><br>202200077<br><br>2,5EC | Internship PCPT <sup>1,2</sup> |                                     |
|                                                            | Personal Reflection & Development<br><br>201800112                   |                                |                                     |
| Compassionate Technology<br><br>7,5EC<br><br>201800109     | Advanced Research Methods for PCPT<br><br>202200248<br><br>2,5EC     |                                | Master’s Thesis PCPT <sup>1,3</sup> |
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All courses are offered twice a year.

<sup>1</sup> The Internship in the master is mandatory. When an Internship of 19EC is done, the student conducts a Master's Thesis of 14EC. If a student opts for an Internship of 10EC, a Master's Thesis of 23EC is carried out. Please note that in this latter case the internship takes place in 2B. More information about the Master's Thesis and the requirements can be found on: [www.utwente.nl/psy/graduationweb](http://www.utwente.nl/psy/graduationweb)

<sup>2</sup> There are two types of internships PCPT: 'clinical internship PCPT' & 'research/practice internship PCPT'. For both internships the obligatory prerequisites are: at least grade 6 for the course 'Positive Clinical Psychology' and actively participated (participated in lectures and exams) in the course 'Positive Cognitive Behavioural Therapy'. More information about the internship and the requirements can be found on: [www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship](http://www.utwente.nl/en/psy/master/internship)

<sup>3</sup> The Master's Thesis trajectory can be continued only when a minimum grade of 6.0 has been obtained for the course Advanced Research Methods for PHT.