



# STUDY OPPORTUNITIES FOR INDIAN STUDENTS ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

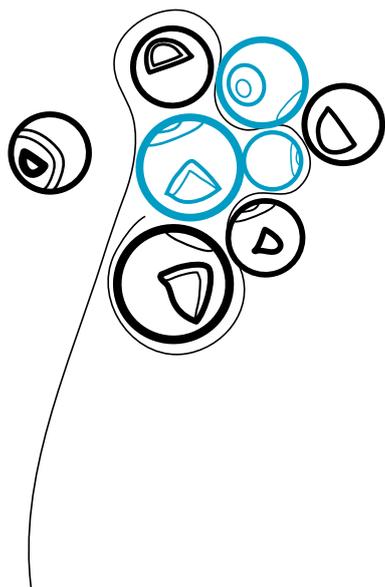
The University of Twente (UT) is a young, entrepreneurial research university with proven excellence in the field of new technologies and their impact on society and humanity.

The university develops technologies that shape the future: nanotechnology and biomedical engineering, IT, robotics and geo-information science. Our researchers are among the world's leaders in those fields. The University of Twente is unique in its capacity to transcend the boundaries between disciplines.

We believe technology and people have a leading role to play in providing solutions for complex societal challenges worldwide. Central to our vision is our High Tech Human Touch philosophy, in which we fuse natural science, data-science, biology and engineering with social and behavioural science while maintaining a relentless focus on societal impact. With this unique cross-disciplinary approach and excellence in scientific disciplines, our scientists, teachers and students work every day on our scientific themes.

## THE UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE

The UT stimulates entrepreneurship among students, staff and graduates. As the most entrepreneurial university of the Netherlands, we have an outstanding track record in value creation, as well as starting and creating new businesses, with more than 1000 successful ventures to date. This is a very high number compared to other universities around the world.



FACTS AND FIGURES	
Students	12,903
International Students	4,258
New Students (Bachelors + Masters)	4,676
Doctural Graduates	2,706
Alumni	54,000
Companies starting at the University of Twente	1,000+

The attractive university campus, built on a country estate just outside the city of Enschede, provides an academic, social and safe setting where students quickly become active members of a thriving community. The University of Twente has state-of-the-art facilities for teaching and research, an excellent library, high speed wireless internet access on the campus, a wide range of sports facilities, a medical centre, counselling facilities, a hotel, worship facilities and much more.

Excellence is important to us. For exceptionally talented, intellectually interested and extremely motivated students we also offer BSc and MSc honours programmes (for more information see: [www.utwente.nl/honours](http://www.utwente.nl/honours)).

## HOW DOES THE UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE RANK WORLDWIDE?

The University of Twente is a reputable and highly ranked member of the European and Dutch university sector.

GLOBAL RANKINGS	
Times Higher Education Rankings (THE) 2022	201-250
QS World University Rankings 2023	212
Keuzegids Masters	3



## OUR PROGRAMMES

The university offers 21 Bachelor's programmes and 32 Master's programmes, taught in English, in the behavioural sciences as well as the technology and engineering related fields. For a full overview visit [www.utwente.nl/en](http://www.utwente.nl/en) or view the general university flyer. The UT also offers an increasing variety of of PhD programmes for graduate students aiming for a career in scientific research. See [www.utwente.nl/tgs](http://www.utwente.nl/tgs)

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

**Bachelor's programmes (BSc):** Certificate of studies at school. IELTS 6.0 or TOEFL-iBT minimum overall score of 80 or a Cambridge C1 Advanced, with an A, B or C grade. Cambridge C2 Proficiency, with an A, B or C grade. For more information, see: <https://www.utwente.nl/en/education/bachelor/admission/>

**ATLAS:** IELTS overall score of 7.0 or TOEFL-iBT score of 100.

For more information, see: [www.utwente.nl/bachelor/atlas](http://www.utwente.nl/bachelor/atlas)

**Master's programmes (MSc):** Certificate of undergraduate studies at a university or accredited institution, with CGPA of at least 75% (1st class) Academic IELTS, overall band score of at least 6.5 or TOEFL iBT of at least 90 or a Cambridge C1 Advanced, with an A, B or C grade.

Cambridge C2 Proficiency, with an A, B or C grade. For more information, see: [www.utwente.nl/master/apply](http://www.utwente.nl/master/apply).



NAME	RUTUJA DOLAS
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	INDIA
PROGRAMME	BUSINESS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (MSC)

Hello! My name is Rutuja Dolas and I am currently a second-year Master student of Business Information Technology (BIT) at the University of Twente. I am from Mumbai - the city of dreams in India. This Masters offers a good mixture of business studies and information technology. The degree I follow has two tracks - 'Data Science and Business' and 'Enterprise Architecture & IT Management'.

I am a food lover and I love to try different traditional food cuisines. And when I came to the Netherlands, I had to try Dutch food. Stroopwafels, bitterballen, frites en fritessaus, kibbeling, vending machine food like croquettes, cheese, appeltart, poffertjes, and hagelslag (Yeah, it sounds a bit unhealthy).

But what is the best way to combat all of that? Biking! Yeah, and it's fun.

I live in an international student accommodation on campus, but the city is only a few minutes away. Therefore, it is easier for me to get to early morning classes. My house is pretty diverse, every day we have dinners together. Immersing yourself in a different language is an experience. This is especially true if you're trying to learn Dutch. I can understand and speak basic Dutch. It honestly took me months just to master the 'G sound'. Although everyone over here speaks in English and therefore I never felt a language barrier.

The Netherlands is a very picturesque country. Whether it's walking along the canals of cities like Amsterdam or biking through the tulip fields in spring, there is always something nice to look at. When visiting cities like Rotterdam and Eindhoven, you get an appreciation for architecture and modern living if that's your thing. And of course, Enschede is as peaceful and beautiful as the other big cities in the Netherlands. In general, it's just a beautiful place to be.

In the Netherlands, you'll live in a world with delicious Dutch treats, rekindle your love of cycling and the great outdoors. Your camera and phone will go into overdrive at all the beautiful things to capture. But there is something that can be a bit dangerous. Ice cream or 'ijsje' from Van der Poel! Trust me it is an addiction. Don't say I didn't warn you!

In conclusion, I believe the University of Twente is the hub of rapid, and current research in all the courses. It stays true with its theme 'high tech, human touch' as every initiative, every innovation helps alleviate quality of life. I am convinced that coming to this university has been a life changing decision and I hope it will have the same impact on you, too.

## GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

If you want to study in the Netherlands and are looking for financial aid, there are several scholarships available. For more information see: [www.utwente.nl/scholarships](http://www.utwente.nl/scholarships).

## DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?

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