

# UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE.

Dear Colleagues,

We are happy to share with you our October newsletter. Here are our most recent news and upcoming activities (see details below):

## OVERVIEW NEWS/EVENTS



### Join P-NUTs Visit to Enschede Funfair (Halloween)

October 21st, from 18:30.

[Click here for more info and registration. \(see below for more details\).](#)



### JOIN P-NUTs Trip to the Rijksmuseum Twenthe

Ever wonder what makes Twente Twente? Visit the Rijksmuseum Twenthe on Sunday the 24th of October at 14:00h

[Click here for more info and registration. \(see below for more details\).](#)



### PhD and PDEng Women

We are making a new initiative to start the discussion about women PhDs and PDEngs at the University of Twente.

[Let us know! \(see below for more details\).](#)



### Join P-NUTs Open board meeting

On Monday October 18th from 17:00 to 18:00 the P-NUT Board will have an open board meeting.

[Click here for more info and registration. \(see below for more details\).](#)



## Join P-NUT's Christmas event

With the holiday season fast approaching it is time to celebrate the most well-loved P-NUT event of the year – the P-NUT Christmas Dinner.

[Click here for more info and registration.](#) (see below for more details)



## Join P-NUT's PhD & PDEng Day 2021

This year's edition promises to be a grand spectacle. The keynote speakers include Jamie Hyneman (Mythbuster) and Wim van Saarloos (former chair of the Royal Dutch Academy of Arts and Science). Secure your seat, enjoy the drinks & dinner, and obtain study credits (ECTS)!

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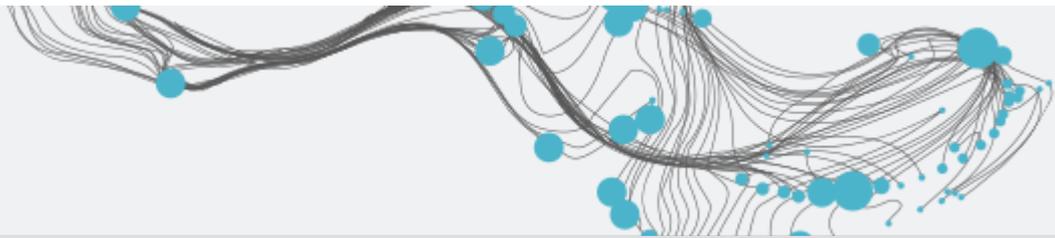
A large poster for the P-NUT Halloween Festival (Funfair) in Enschede. The top part of the poster shows a carousel at night with the P-NUT logo and the text 'P-NUT. TRIP TO THE HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL (FUNFAIR) ENSCHEDE'. Below this, there is a dark grey box with white text providing event details: 'What: Visit to the Enschede Funfair', 'When: October 21st, from 18:30h', 'Where: Volkspark at the intersection Volksparksingel/Parkweg', and 'Costs: Entry is free, please register so we know you like to join us'. To the right of this box is a QR code with the text 'Register here:' above it and 'SCAN ME' below it. The background of the poster is a night scene of a funfair with a Ferris wheel and other rides.

The Enschede Festival (Funfair) during the autumn holidays is back!

The Halloween funfair at Volkspark owes its name to the many Halloween activities that are organized such as ghostly parades. The festival has about 60 attractions, some of which are blood-curdling exciting.

For those of you who like to enjoy the fun with some company, the plan is to meet at Volkspark and walk through the funfair together.

[Click here for more information and registration.](#)



## JOIN P-NUTS TRIP TO THE RIJKSMUSEUM TWENTHE

**P-NUT TRIP TO THE RIJKSMUSEUM TWENTHE**

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What: Museum visit  
When: October, 24th 14:00h  
Where: Lasondersingel 129, Enschede  
Costs: Free, but registration is required  
Bonus: if there's time and motivation left, we will go to De Museumfabriek for a pastry and drink

<https://www.utwente.nl/en/p-nut/events/2021/museum/>  
<https://tinyurl.com/6ynkusnm>

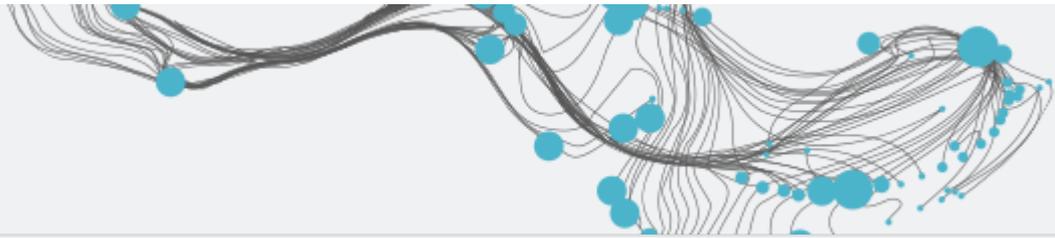
**REGISTER NOW**

Ever wonder what makes Twente Twente? Visit the Rijksmuseum Twenthe!

Rijksmuseum Twenthe is a museum in Enschede that opened in 1930. The museum features changing exhibitions and has a large collection of ancient, modern, and contemporary art. P-NUT organizes a trip to sniff around this museum with fellow

doctoral candidates. The event will take place on Sunday the 24th of October at 14:00h. Starting from Enschede Central Station it's only a 10-minute walk. The price is 0€ per person. Don't forget to bring your UT employee card.

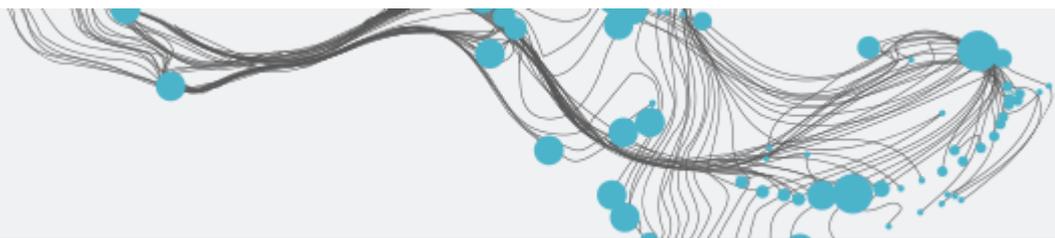
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## PHD AND PDEng WOMEN



We are making a new initiative to start the discussion about women PhD and PDEng at the University of Twente. The goal is to get together and have an informal gathering where we can discuss diversity and inclusion. Are you interested in joining? Please contact us ([p-nut@utwente.nl](mailto:p-nut@utwente.nl))! More details are yet to come!



## JOIN P-NUTS OPEN BOARD MEETING

# P-NUT OPEN BOARD MEETING

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Want to:  
[o] organize events?  
[o] help with policy making?  
[o] enrich your PhD journey?  
Make an impact and join the  
informal P-NUT board

What: Open board meeting

When: Monday 18th of October,  
17:00-18:00

Where: UT, Ravelijn building (exact  
location to be determined)

REGISTER NOW

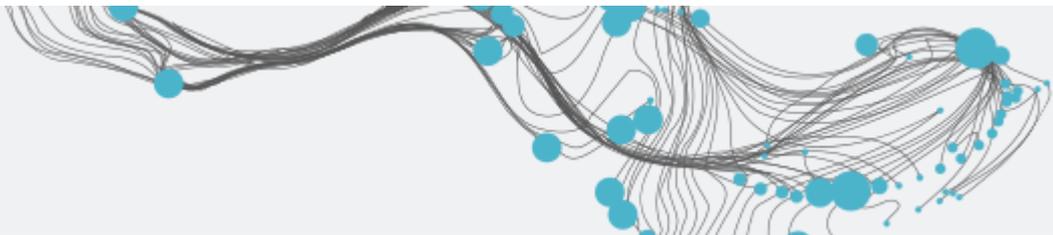


SCAN ME

<https://www.utwente.nl/en/p-nut/events/2021/openboardmeeting/>  
<https://tinyurl.com/3t4umhu9>

On Monday October 18th from 17:00 to 18:00 the P-NUT Board will have an open board meeting, where we will discuss topics ranging from organizing events, to the PhD Day, to policy issues. If you would like to be witness to this important meeting, or if there is something that you think should be on our agenda, you are welcome to join us on this day. And who knows, if you're lucky and the Master of the Treasury is smiling upon us, there might even be drinks afterwards.

[Click here for more information and registration!](#)



JOIN P-NUT'S CHRISTMAS EVENT

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# Christmas Dinner

SCAN ME



**WHAT: DINNER, FUN ACTIVITIES, & NICE GIFTS**  
**WHEN: DECEMBER 4TH, 2021**  
**TIME: 17:00–22:00**  
**WHERE: VESTINGBAR @UT**  
**COSTS: 5 EUROS**

**REGISTER NOW**

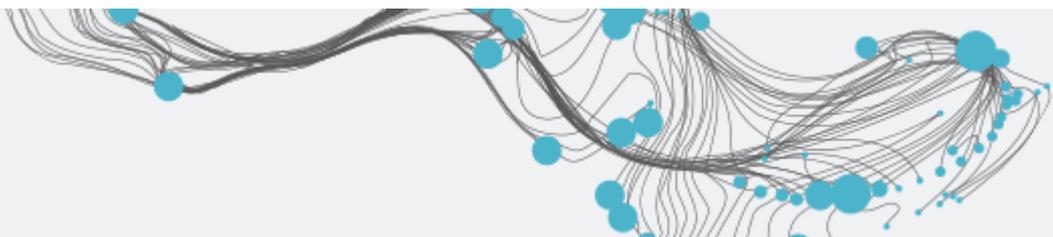
<https://www.utwente.nl/en/p-nut/events/2021/christmas-dinner/>  
<https://tinyurl.com/3s943usm>

CHRISTMAS (DINNER) is coming !!!! Ho Ho Ho!!!!

With the holiday season fast approaching it is time to celebrate the most well-loved P-NUT event of the year – the P-NUT Christmas Dinner. To make the Christmas holiday a great experience for you away from home, PNUT invites you to our yearly Christmas Dinner. Along with an amazing dinner at the Vestingbar, P-NUT is planning an evening filled with fun activities. It is time to gear up the fun side of yourself and spend an awesome evening with fellow PhDs and PDEngs, great food, and presents! There will of course be an additional surprise for the winner of the games.

As your secret Santa is arranging gifts for you, register as soon as possible because there is a limited number of tickets. To prevent no-shows we charge 5 euros with registration that you can pay online or at the dinner itself.

[Click here for more information and registration!](#)



**JOIN P-NUT'S PHD & PDENG DAY 2021**

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**Jamie Hyneman and Wim van Saarloos**

**November 24, 2021**

**12:30-17:30**

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**SAVE THE DATE! NOVEMBER 24TH.**

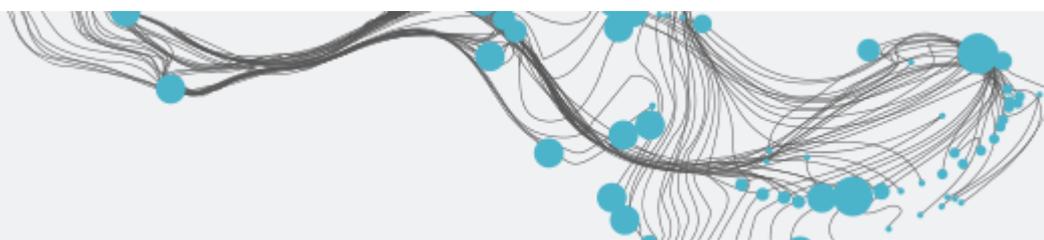
This year's edition promises to be a grand spectacle. The keynote speakers include Jamie Hyneman. He is known from the television program The Mythbusters. In addition, Wim van Saarloos (former chair of the Royal Dutch Academy of Arts and Science) will speak about the role of contemporary science. The final program, including workshops and dinner, will be announced as soon as possible. However, you can already register to ensure your spot (we have limited seats).

What the PhD & PDEng day offers:

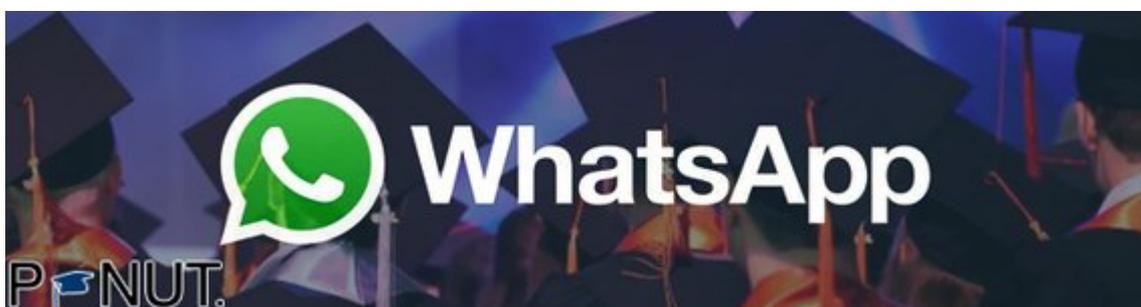
- Bombastic keynote speakers
- Series of parallel workshops
- Networking opportunities with peers
- A certificate of attendance (0.20 ECTS), which you can use for your TSP
- Drinks and dinner

Not convinced? Have a glance at the 2019 edition: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KS1bvC4H2lc&feature=emb\\_logo](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KS1bvC4H2lc&feature=emb_logo)

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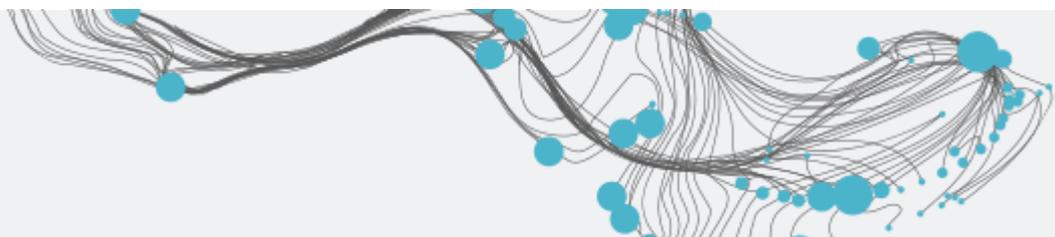
### **BENEFITS OF JOINING THE GROUP**

- Ask for help with regulations, or any other related assistance;
- Let your peers know if you're self-isolating so someone can make sure you're okay;
- Get informed about new events sooner than via the P-NUT newsletter;
- Initiate events by yourself (e.g., walking on Campus or having a daytrip to a recreation park);
- Share (important) updates from official P-NUT sources (e.g., about events, surveys, etc.).

### **SOME DRAWBACKS OF JOINING THE GROUP**

- We want to caution against the sharing of misinformation or speculation in the group, but we hope it can serve as a useful resource for building an effective support network;
- We suggest to mute notifications from this group, as it can be SPAM-intensive.

[Click here to register.](#)



### **About P-NUT**

P-NUT passes the borders of faculties, departments and even universities by bringing PhDs and PDEngs with different backgrounds together to share their experiences and help each other to grow and become more efficient in their work. Our main objectives are to bring people who share similar interests together in both a professional and informal way, to inform them on the important aspects that might affect or benefit their careers, and share and defend the rights of the PhDs and PDEngs at the UT. These objectives define the three main goals of PNUT: **connect**, **inform** and **represent** the PhD candidates of the University of Twente.

*Interested in representing and supporting your fellow PhD and PDEng candidates? Join the P-NUT board! As part of the board you become the voice of a community but also find constant opportunities to develop personally and professionally. Simply write us an e-mail.*

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