

Erasmus
School of
Philosophy



MA Philosophy Now

Erasmus University Rotterdam
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The programme



4

clusters

18

research-driven
courses

5

workshops



Unique for its public and critical engagement with the world, the MA Philosophy Now is the place where cutting-edge research meets the classroom. Students participate in philosophical debates centered on the great societal challenges of our time. Our pluralist philosophical approach is centered in philosophy of economics, continental philosophy and the history of Enlightenment.

The year begins with a plenary course in which you close read key classical texts. The rest of the curriculum is structured around four clusters, of which you choose two:

1. Representation: Democracy, Science, and Culture;
2. Environment, Life and Technology;
3. Subjectivity and Response-Ability;
4. The Politics of Wealth: Inequality, Capitalism, Exploitation.

In addition, you participate in mentor groups in order to engage in a public philosophy project, to be presented in one of ESPhil's signature non-academic philosophy workshops that focus on education, policymaking, and transdisciplinary problems.

Join the MA Philosophy Now and benefit from:

- Unique combination of academic quality with societal relevance;
- Solid preparation for philosophical work inside and outside academia;
- Transdisciplinary focus;
- Diversity of staff;
- Small-scale, very active communal and academic life;
- Training unique skills set in collaboration with non-academic practitioners.

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