ETHI2M

2014 - 2015

Master [120] in Ethics

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 120 credits - 2 years - Day schedule - In french
Dissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **optional**
Activities in English: **optional** - Activities in other languages : **NO**
Activities on other sites : **optional**
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Programme code: **ethi2m** - European Qualifications Framework (EQF): 7

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Learning outcomes

 The objective of the **master in ethics** is to train students in how to analyse the ethical issues prompted by decision processes and practices, both at individual level and social and political level.

At the end of his training, the student should be able to analyse the following four fields which correspond to the four professional focuses: ethics in science and techniques; ethics in public policy; ethics, norms and societies; bioethics and biomedical ethics.

In this regard, the student must develop the following skills:

- a grasp of the theories, concepts and methods behind philosophical ethics;

- a grasp of the theories, concepts and methods behind ethical reflection specifically related to one of the four fields mentioned above;

- an ability to use, on a scientifically-documented basis, these theories, concepts and methods in analysing the normative issues inherent to decision processes and practices in the field in question;

- an ability to debate these issues and analyse them with specialists from other scientific disciplines and key players in the field in question;

- an ability to conduct original, individual research (drafting and oral defence of a dissertation).

On successful completion of this programme, each student is able to :

1. Témoigner d'une maîtrise approfondie et critique des théories, concepts et méthodes dans le domaine de l'éthique philosophique et de leur articulation avec les autres domaines de la philosophie et les autres disciplines scientifiques.

1.1. S'approprier un éventail de théories, concepts et méthodes.

1.2. Opérer des choix théoriques et méthodologiques eu égard à leur pertinence pour traiter des questions éthiques et être capable d'en exposer les fondements et les limites.

1.3. Confronter les apports de l'éthique philosophique à ceux des sciences humaines.

2. Discerner et traiter des questions éthiques de manière méthodique, sur une base philosophiquement fondée et scientifiquement informée.

2.1. Déterminer et analyser les questions éthiques que soulèvent des processus de décision et des pratiques au niveau individuel, social ou politique.

2.2. Elucider les présupposés socio-anthropologiques et les principes normatifs qui fondent les positions et les arguments possibles relatifs à ces questions.

2.3. Confronter ces positions et arguments aux apports des disciplines scientifiques.

2.4. Prendre et argumenter une position instruite et critique sur ces questions.

3. Concevoir et réaliser un travail de recherche personnelle (mémoire), mettant en Œuvre une démarche méthodologique rigoureuse et critique, pour approfondir une question de recherche en éthique.

3.1. Réaliser la synthèse critique de la littérature sur cette question en faisant un usage actif, critique et pertinent des outils d'information, des sources primaires et secondaires en éthique et en philosophie.

3.2. Mettre en Œuvre une démarche d'analyse méthodologique rigoureuse et pertinente eu égard à la question.

3.3. Confronter et défendre les thèses éthiques suscitées par cette question.

3.4. Réaliser une analyse de celles-ci et en tirer une conclusion pertinente tant au regard de l'état des débats entre spécialistes du domaine que de son effectivité pratique.

3.5. Prendre et argumenter une position instruite et critique sur la question.

4. Communiquer, dialoguer et débattre de manière constructive, oralement et par écrit, avec les différents acteurs (spécialistes et non spécialistes) impliqués dans une situation donnée où se posent des questions éthiques.

5. Agir en tant qu'universitaire, en acteur critique et responsable faisant preuve d'un « esprit de recul » ancré dans une réflexion philosophique et dans un éthos de la discussion.

6. S'il choisit la finalité spécialisée en « éthique et politiques publiques », mettre en Œuvre les compétences mentionnées ci-dessus dans l'élaboration, la mise en Œuvre et de l'évaluation des politiques publiques.

7. S'il choisit la finalité spécialisée en « sciences et techniques », mettre en Œuvre les compétences mentionnées ci-dessus dans l'élaboration et l'application des savoirs scientifiques ainsi que dans l'innovation et l'usage des techniques.

8. S'il choisit la finalité spécialisée « éthique biomédicale et bioéthique », mettre en Œuvre les compétences mentionnées ci-dessus dans les domaines de la pratique médicale, des politiques de santé et de l'intervention sur le vivant.

9. S'il choisit la finalité spécialisé « éthique, normes et sociétés », mettre en Œuvre les compétences mentionnées ci-dessus dans une réflexion sur la normativité sociale.

Programme structure

The programme consists of:

• a core curriculum (60 credits), comprising:

   - a thesis and a thesis seminar;

   - core subjects (30 credits);

• a specialization (30 credits);

• and optional courses (30 credits).

The Master's programme, regardless of the specialization, options and/or optional courses selected, will amount to a minimum total of 120 credits split over two years, with 60 credits completed each year.

Whatever the focus or the options chosen, the programme of this master shall totalize 120 credits, spread over two years of studies each of 60 credits.

> Core courses   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi200t.html]*

Focuses

    > Professional focus:Public Ethics and Policies   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi200s]*
    > Professional focus:Sciences and Techniques   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi201s]*
    > Professional focus:Biomedical Ethics and Bioethics   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi202s]*
    > Professional focus:Ethics, Norms and Societies   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi203s]*

> Optional courses   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi800o.html]*

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Programme by subject

CORE COURSES [60.0]

○ Mandatory
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015

⊗ Optional
⊘ Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015
⧺ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Year
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○ *Dissertation and dissertation seminar (30 credits)*

						Year 1	Year 2
○ LFILO2960	Dissertation seminar	N.		5 Credits		x	
○ LFILO2007	Dissertation	N.		25 Credits			x

○ *Shared subjects (30 credits)*

						Year 1	Year 2
○ LESPO1321	Economic, Political and Social Ethics	Philippe Van Parijs	20h+10h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
○ LFILO2920	Seminar on social and political philosophy	Mark Hunyadi, Walter Lesch	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
○ LFILO2003	Ethics in the Sciences and technics	Bernard Feltz, René Rezsohazy, Daniel Tyteca	15h+15h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

○ **One of the two courses (5 credits)**
Students must choose one of the following two courses :

						Year	
						1	2
� LFILO2190	Advanced Studies in Moral Philosophy A	Walter Lesch	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
✛ LFILO2191	Advanced Studies in Moral Philosophy B	Walter Lesch	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x

○ One of the two courses (5 credits)
Students must choose one of the following two courses :

✛ LFILO2600	Advanced Studies in the Philosophy of Social Sciences A	Tom Dedeurwaerdere	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
✛ LFILO2601	Advanced Studies in the Philosophy of Social Sciences B	Marc Maesschalck	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x

○ One of the two courses (5 credits)
Students must choose one of the following two courses :

✛ LFILO2200	Fundamentals of Biomedical Ethics A	Mylene Botbol	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
✛ LFILO2201	Fundamentals of Biomedical Ethics B	Mylene Botbol	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x

LIST OF FOCUSES

Students will choose one professional focus from the following:

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> Professional focus:Public Ethics and Policies   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi200s]*
> Professional focus:Sciences and Techniques   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi201s]*
> Professional focus:Biomedical Ethics and Bioethics   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi202s]*
> Professional focus:Ethics, Norms and Societies   *[en-prog-2014-ethi2m-lethi203s]*

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS:PUBLIC ETHICS AND POLICIES [30.0]

The "Public Ethics and Policies" focus is designed to train students to analyse the ethical stakes involved in the design and implementation of public policies. This analysis relates both to the formal conditions which should govern democratic procedures in political decision making and the principles of justice which dictate policy methods and outcomes in different areas of social life.

This analysis will require students to demonstrate

- knowledge of the concepts and methods from economic and social ethics as well as political philosophy,

- the ability to use these concepts and methods in a particular field relating to the implementation of public policies and

- the ability to understand empirical analyses of policies, their field of application and the ways in which they are designed and implemented.

O Mandatory	⊠ Optional
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015	⊘ Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015	⊞ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Compulsory courses (18 credits)

						Year 1	Year 2
O LESPO2211	Integrated exercises of economic and social ethics	Jean-Michel Chaumont, Philippe Van Parijs	0h+30h	5 Credits		x	x
O LKUL2100	Ethics and public policy	N.	26h	8 Credits	1 + 2q	x	x

One of the two courses (5 credits)

Students must choose one of the following two courses :

						Year 1	Year 2
⊠ LFILO2360	Advanced Studies in Political Philosophy A	Axel Gosseries, Hervé Pourtois (coord.), Philippe Van Parijs	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
⊠ LFILO2361	Advanced Studies in Political Philosophy B	Axel Gosseries, Hervé Pourtois (coord.), Philippe Van Parijs	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x

Optional courses (12 credits)

Chosen from :

						Year 1	Year 2
⊠ LLSMS2099	Corporate Social Responsibility (in English)	Ina Aust-Gronarz	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	x
⊠ LECON2061	Philosophy and epistemology of the economics	Christian Arnsperger, Laurent de Briey	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	x
⊠ LTHEO2261	Christian Social Ethics : politics and economics questions I	Walter Lesch	30h	4 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
⊠ LFOPM2000	Ethique de l'éducation et de la formation	Michel Dupuis, Hervé Pourtois	30h	4 Credits		x	x
⊠ LESPO2212	Social responsibility in Economic life	N.	15h	4 Credits	1q △	x	x
⊠ LTRAV2250	Philosophy of work	Mark Hunyadi	30h	4 Credits	1q	x	x
⊠ LKUL2200	Ethical Theories and Moral Life	N.	26h	4 Credits	1q	x	x
⊠ LKUL2400	Conflicting Traditions in Political Philosophy	N.	26h	4 Credits	2q	x	x
⊠ LEUSL2202	Political philosophy and the European Union	Helder De Schutter, Philippe Van Parijs	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	x

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS:SCIENCES AND TECHNIQUES [30.0]

La finalité " Ethique dans les sciences et les techniques " vise à former les étudiants à l'analyse des enjeux éthiques et sociétaux des développements scientifiques et des innovations technologiques. L'étudiant sera capable de recourir aux concepts de base de la philosophie des sciences, de la sociologie des sciences et des analyses éthiques en vue d'une mise en perspective critique de l'impact des sciences et des techniques sur l'évolution des sociétés.
Le premier quadrimestre de master 2 consiste en un séjour dans une des deux universités suivantes du réseau ESST "Science, Society, Technology":
Université de Strasbourg (France)
Université de Linköping (Suède)
Pour toute information : www.esst.eu

O Mandatory	**⌘** Optional	
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015	⊘ Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015	
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015	⊞ Two years course	

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

					Year	
					1	2
O	Exchange ESST *Exchange with a university in the ESST network during the first semester of the second year in the Master in Ethics.*	N.		30 Credits		x

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS:BIOMEDICAL ETHICS AND BIOETHICS [30.0]

 The professional focus in biomedical and bioethical ethics is designed to train students to develop a critical analysis of situations and problems associated with current medial practice, both in developed and developing countries. Such analysis will not only take account of the objective facts of the situation and the system of regulation which relates to decisions, but also ideological, cultural and historical data.

This analysis is designed to help students acquire

- understanding of the theories, concepts and methods in current biomedical ethics,

- the ability to make use of these models and methods to describe situations and suggest a well-balanced set of solutions to the problems faced,

- personal familiarity of the environments where such questions arise (laboratories, care institutions, etc.).

O Mandatory	�֍ Optional
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015	⊘ Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015	⫪ Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

30 credits chosen from the following courses including 5 credits from the Master in Public Health :

							Year
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O LDROP2131	Medical and Biomedical Law	Geneviève Schamps	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
O WMEDI2221	Formation à la relation et aux enjeux sociaux et éthiques de la santé et de la médecine (2e partie) et médecine légale	Anne Berquin, Cécile Bolly, Frédéric Bonbled, Mylene Botbol, Marie-Christine Closon, Eric Constant, William D'Hoore, Emmanuel de Becker, Philippe de Timary, Michel Dupuis, Denis Hers, Christine Reynaert, Luc Roegiers, Geneviève Schamps, Christian Swine, Sophie Symann, Anne Wintgens, Nicolas Zdanowicz	48h	5 Credits	1 + 2q	x	x
O WEBIM2101	Séminaire de bioéthique et d'éthique biomédicale	Mylene Botbol (coord.), Michel Dupuis, Luc Roegiers	15h	5 Credits		x	x
O WEBIM2900	Stage d'observation et rapport d'éthique clinique	N.		5 Credits		x	x

O Bioethics (5 credits)

Students must choose one of the following two courses :

�֍ WEBIM2100	Advanced questions in bioethics : Principles and methods	Mylene Botbol, Michel Dupuis, Luc Roegiers	30h	5 Credits	⊘	x	x
�֍ WEBIM2200	Questions approfondies de bioéthique (B)	Mylene Botbol, Michel Dupuis, Luc Roegiers	30h	5 Credits	⊕	x	x

O Public Health (5 credits)

Students must choose a course (5 credits) in the Master in Public Health (http://www.uclouvain.be/en-prog-2012-lesp2m.html).

PROFESSIONAL FOCUS:ETHICS, NORMS AND SOCIETIES [30.0]

The Ethics, Norms and Societies focus is designed to train students to analyse the ethical stakes which are present in normative régimes (positive discrimination public policies on basic rights, the role of human rights and gender policies). Students will learn how to make use of perspectives from other fields where norms are established and to take account of factors highlighted by particular disciplinary tools (law theory, anthropology, sociology and social psychology). The main objective of this professional focus is therefore to train students to appreciate the conditions in which norms work most effectively in concrete contexts of application in the new regulatory frameworks.

O Mandatory	**⊗** Optional
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015	⊘ Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015	⊬ Two years course

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25 credits chosen from :

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o *Courses (25 credits)*

25 credits chosen from

⊗ LSOC2010	Regulation and globalization	Jean De Munck	30h	5 Credits	1q △	x	x
⊗ LFILO2290	Philosophy of History A	Marc Maesschalck	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊘	x	x
⊗ LFILO2291	Philosophy of History B	Marc Maesschalck	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LFILO2310	Advanced studies in Cultural Anthropology A	Nathalie Frogneux	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
⊗ LFILO2313	Advanced studies in Cultural Anthropology B	Nathalie Frogneux	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LFILO2940	Seminar on philosophy of the social sciences	Tom Dedeurwaerdere, Marc Maesschalck	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⊗ LDROP2153	Philosophy of law	Jacques Lenoble	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

o *One of the two courses (5 credits)*

Students must choose one of the following two courses :

⊗ LTHEO2262	Christian Social Ethics : politics and economics questions II	Walter Lesch	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⊗ LSOC2015	Social Structures and Power	Mathieu Berger	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

Optional courses [30.0]

O Mandatory	**⌘** Optional
△ Courses not taught during 2014-2015	**⊘** Periodic courses not taught during 2014-2015
⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2014-2015	**⧺** Two years course

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

30 credits chosen from :

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⌘ *Additional module in philosophy*

⌘ LFILO2230	Advanced Studies in Philosophy of Nature	Alexandre Guay	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊘	x	x
⌘ LFILO2240	Advanced Studies in the Philosophy of Natural Sciences A	Bernard Feltz	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊘	x	x
⌘ LFILO2241	Advanced Studies in the Philosophy of Natural Sciences B	Alexandre Guay	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LFILO2970	Seminarium : Ethics in Science-Society Relations	Bernard Feltz	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LFILO2910	Seminar on philosophical anthropology	Michel Dupuis, Nathalie Frogneux	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LFILO2130	Philosophy of Religion A	Jean Leclercq, Marc Maesschalck	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊘	x	x
⌘ LFILO2131	Philosophy of Religion B	Jean Leclercq, Marc Maesschalck (coord.)	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LFILO2170	Advanced Studies in Epistemology	Christophe Perrin	30h	5 Credits	1q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LTHEO2952	Research seminar in applied ethics	Dominique Jacquemin, Walter Lesch	30h	5 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x

⌘ *Interdisciplinary studies*

⌘ LANTR2020	Symbolic systems anthropology : cosmology and environment	Olivier Servais	30h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LBIR1305	Introduction to systems analysis	Mohamed Walid Ben Youssef Sadok	10h+20h	3 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ WEBIM2900	Stage d'observation et rapport d'éthique clinique	N.		5 Credits		x	x
⌘ LFSA2245	Environment and Business	Thierry Bréchet	30h	3 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LPHY2153	Introduction à la physique du système climatique et à sa modélisation	Hugues Goosse (compensates Jean-Pascal van Ypersele de Strihou), Hugues Goosse, Jean-Pascal van Ypersele de Strihou	30h+15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LSEXM2810	Anthropologie culturelle de la famille et du couple	N.	30h	4 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LSOC2065	Anthropology of politics and religion: power and beliefs	Pierre-Joseph Laurent, Jacinthe Mazzocchetti	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LSPRI2000	Public Policy Analysis	David Aubin	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LSPRI2210	Political Egineering and Elections	Lieven De Winter, François Maniquet	15h+15h	5 Credits	1q	x	x
⌘ LTHEO1312	Ethics - Society - Religion	Walter Lesch	45h	4 Credits	1 + 2q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LTRAV2040	Social politics	Philippe Pochet, Pierre Reman	30h	4 Credits	2q ⊘	x	x
⌘ LTRAV2050	Employment policies	Philippe Pochet, Pierre Reman	30h	4 Credits	2q ⊕	x	x
⌘ LTRAV2720	Comparative social protection systems	Yannick Vanderborght, Pascale Vielle	45h	5 Credits	2q	x	x
⌘ LSOC2045	Sociology of Economic Practices	Christian Arnsperger, Emeline De Bouver (compensates Christian Arnsperger), Thomas Périlleux	30h	5 Credits	1q	x	x

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✇ LECON2340	Economy and society	Isabelle Ferreras	30h	5 Credits	2q	x	x

✇ Public Health (5 credits)

Students must choose a course (5 credits) in the Master in Public Health (http://www.uclouvain.be/en-prog-2012-lesp2m.html).

ETHI2M - **Information**

Admission

General and specific admission requirements for this program must be satisfied at the time of enrolling at the university..

Specific Admission Requirements

1. Student must hold a first level university degree.

2. Provide proof of a sufficient level in French (B1 of the European Framework of Reference 📄)

3. Students must have previously studied and developed skills in:

• the scientific written and oral practices of the French language;

• the following disciplines of philosophy: logic, moral philosophy, epistemology, anthropology, metaphysics, social philosophy and aesthetics;

• the history of philosophy;

• reading and commenting on a major philosophical text;

at the end of an undergraduate programme, including at least the 60 specific credits listed below:

- An introduction to philosophy (5 credits);
- Moral philosophy (6 credits);
- Epistemology (10 credits);
- Logic (5 credits);
- Metaphysics (5 credits);
- Anthropology (5 credits);
- Notions of aesthetics and art philosophy (3 credits);
- Social and political philosophy (4 credits)
- History of philosophy (6 credits)
- Analysis of philosophical texts (6 credits)
- Introduction to scientific writing (5 credits)

The 30 credits of the Minor in Philosophy [30.0] satisfy these requirements.

Courses not taken will be added to the Master's programme (without exceeding a total of 15 credits).

If the total number of prerequisites exceeds 15 credits, admission to the Master's programme is subject to successful completion of the Master's in Ethics preparatory year [60.0], for which the programme is tailored to the student's academic record.

Course equivalences must be approved by the Chair of the Examination Board, the Examination Board Secretary and the Vice Dean.

- University Bachelors
- Non university Bachelors
- Holders of a 2nd cycle University degree
- Holders of a non-University 2nd cycle degree
- Adults taking up their university training
- Personalized access

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University Bachelors

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
UCL Bachelors			
Bachelor in Philosophy		Direct access	
All bachelor	If student has taken : - la Minor in Philosophy - le Certificat universitaire en philosophie (fondements)	Access with additional training	With prerequisites integrated into the masters programme (max. 15 credits)
All bachelor		Access with additional training	Preparatory year for Master in Ethics
Others Bachelors of the French speaking Community of Belgium			
Bachelor in philosophy		Direct access	

All bachelor	If student has taken : - le Certificat universitaire en philosophie (fondements) - le Certificat universitaire en philosophie (approfondissement)	Access with additional training	With prerequisites integrated into the masters programme (max. 15 credits)
All bachelor		Access with additional training	Preparatory year for Master in Ethics
Bachelors of the Dutch speaking Community of Belgium			
Bachelor of philosophy Bachelor in de wijsbegeerte		Direct access	
Foreign Bachelors			
Bachelor in philosophy or equivalent training		On the file: direct access or access with additional training	With prerequisites integrated into the masters programme (max. 15 credits) or Preparatory year for Master in Ethics

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Non university Bachelors

Diploma	Access	Remarks
> Find out more about links to the university		

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Holders of a 2nd cycle University degree

Diploma	Special Requirements	Access	Remarks
"Licenciés"			
Holder of a "Licence" in philosophy		Direct access	
Masters			
Master [60] in Philosophy Master [120] in Philosophy		Direct access	An exemption of a maximum volume of 60 credits can be granted

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Holders of a non-University 2nd cycle degree

Diploma	Access	Remarks
> Find out more about links to the university		

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Adults taking up their university training

> See the website Valorisation des acquis de l'expérience

It is possible to gain admission to all masters courses via the validation of professional experience procedure.

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Personalized access

Reminder : all Masters (apart from Advanced Masters) are also accessible on file.

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Admission and Enrolment Procedures for general registration

Specific procedures :

Requests for additional information regarding admission should be addressed to Mme Fiorella Flamini, Study Adviser at the **Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters** (conseiller.etudes-fial@uclouvain.be   , tel. : +32 (0)10 47 48 57).

All requests for admission based on the student's academic record (as well as category II and III bridging programmes) should be submitted to Mme Fiorella Flamini, Study Adviser at the **Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters** (Collège Mercier, 14 bte L3.06.01, Place Cardinal Mercier B-1348 Louvain-la-Neuve,   conseiller.etudes-fial@uclouvain.be   , tel. : +32 (0)10 47 48 57). The application file should include a letter in support of the application, academic transcripts for every year in higher education, a copy of the qualification(s) gained and, where the student has had a professional career, a curriculum vitae.

International candidates should submit their request to the University Enrolment Office according to the procedure outlined at :   https://uclouvain.be/fr/etudier/inscriptions

Teaching method

The courses on the programme of the master en éthique guarantee students lessons in ethical reflection in one of the four specialised fields corresponding to the four focuses and train the students in how to acquire the necessary scientific skills for ethical reflection in a specific field. As for the research seminars, they are the place "par excellence" where the student learns how to integrate research work into an academic debate on ethics. Given that UCL is a complete university which is very up-to-date in ethical research, the students are easily integrated into the activities of the various ethical research bodies in UCL: Centre de philosophie du droit (CPDR), Unité d'éthique biomédicale (EBIM), Chaire Hoover d'éthique économique et sociale (ETES), Centre interdisciplinaire techniques, sciences et sociétés (CITES). Incidentally, internationalisation is not forgotten, as students can take part of their training away from UCL, either by sharing courses with KULeuven, or through a stay at a foreign university. Finally, the programme ends with the writing and oral defence of an individual piece of research.

Evaluation

The evaluation methods comply with the regulations concerning studies and exams. More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".

 In the courses and all the more so in the seminars on the master en éthique, students are often evaluated on their individual work. The relatively small class sizes means that teachers can provide follow-up guidance and constructive criticism.

Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

Students can stay abroad for one semester as part of the Erasmus exchange. They must choose the ethics and practical philosophy courses for 30 credits.

The focus "Ethics in Sciences and Techniques" (EST) foresees an exchange of 30 credits in the first term of the second year of the master abroad in one of the following two universities: Strasbourg or Lund University.

The focus "Public Ethics and Policies" (EPP) foresees joint courses and seminars (in English) with the orientation "Ethique et philosophie sociale et politique" from the master en philosophie organised by KULeuven (Hooger Instituut voor Wijsbegeerte)

The Ecole de philosophie has privileged links, in teaching and research, with the Département de philosophie and the Centre de recherche en éthique (University of Montréal). A Mercator exchanges agreement exists with the University of Montréal.

Numerous partnerships with the Faculty of Philosophy, Arts and Letters (FIAL): see https://www.uclouvain.be/280052

Practical information for departing FIAL students :   **https://www.uclouvain.be/17371.html**
For more information : Fabienne de Voghel

Practical information for arriving FIAL students :   **https://www.uclouvain.be/280048.html**
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Possible trainings at the end of the programme

Other accessible masters :
At the end of the master 120, each focus in the Master in ethics can be obtained in a new year of 30 credits only.

Teacher Training Certificate (upper secondary education):
This programme does not offer a teaching focus and does not lead to a Teacher Training Certificate (upper secondary education) (AESS). To obtain a teacher training degree (titre requis to become a fully qualified teacher), students with a Master's in Ethics will have to undertake additional training: the extra year's study, part of the Master's in Philosophy, will include a thesis and a thesis seminar (30 credits), the teaching focus (30 credits) and possibly other additional modules (30 credits maximum). However, students combining a Master's in Ethics with the Teacher Training Certificate for upper secondary education programme (Philosophy) [30.0] will be partly qualified (titre suffisant) but not fully qualified (titre requis). For further information about full qualifications (titres requis) and partial qualifications (titres suffisants):   https://www.segec.be/Documents/Fesec/ Administration/Brochure_titres_mars___FESeC.pdf

 Accessible doctoral training :
- École doctorale in philosophy;

Certificates

 The masters programme involves in particular programmes for both university certificates ("certificat universitaire en éthique biomédicale" and "certificat universitaire en éthique économique et sociale"). On file, some of the activities taken as part of the certificates can be credited in the masters programme.

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	Commission de programme en langues et lettres anciennes et modernes (LAFR)
	Commission de programme en linguistique (LING)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres modernes (LMOD)
	Louvain School of Translation and Interpreting (anc. Marie Haps) (LSTI)
	Commission de programme en communication multilingue (MULT)
	Commission de programme en langues et lettres françaises et romanes (ROM)
	Commission de programme en sciences et technologies de l'information et de la communication (STIC)
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