

Programme jointly offered by Ghent University, Erasmus University Rotterdam

International Master of Science in Advanced Research in Criminology: Border Crossing, Security and Social Justice

Language of instruction: English

Programme version 1

1 General Courses 30 credits

First Semester: these courses are mandatory; they are to be taken at Erasmus University Rotterdam.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001585 Globalisation, Digitalisation and Crime <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaeningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		1	A:1	225
2	B001588 Advanced Research Methods <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Mieke Kox -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	10		1	A:1	300
3	B001812 Analysing Criminal Policies <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, C.G. van Wingerde -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		1	A:1	225
4	B001811 Corporate and White Collar Crime <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Karin van Wingerde -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	5		1	A:1	150

2 Majors 30 credits

Subscribe to 1 track from the following list.

Second semester: students choose one of the tracks listed below, each of which is offered by one of the two partner universities. The master's dissertation will then be taken at the same university as that at which the chosen track is taken. The students' mobility scheme is subject to approval of the Consortium Coordinator.

2.1 Track Global Flows of People, Local Dilemmas and Glocal Answers - Rotterdam 30 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001814 Cross-Border Organised Crime <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Lieselot Bisschop -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	5		1	A:2	150
2	B001784 Terrorism, extremism and Control <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, F. Geelhoed -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		1	A:2	225
3	B001590 Urban Issues, Culture and Crime <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Gijs Custers -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		1	A:2	225
4	B001813 Common Study Session Preparation and Presentation <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaeningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	5		1	A:2	150
5	B001810 Doing Research in IMARC <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, A. Bouabid -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	5		1	A:2	150

2.2 Track European Union Criminal Policy and Justice in Context - Ghent University 30 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001778 Advanced European Criminal Policy <i>Gert Vermeulen -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	9		1	A:2	270
2	B001779 Critical Criminology and the Criminal Justice System <i>Tom Decorte -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	8		1	A:2	240
3	B001776 European and International Migration Law and Policy <i>Thomas Spijkerboer -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	8		1	A:2	240

2.2.1 Elective Courses 5 credits

Subscribe to 5 credit units from the following list.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001596 Organized Crime <i>Jelle Janssens -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	5		1		150

2	B001597	Sexual Offending, Prostitution and Human Trafficking <i>Gert Vermeulen -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	5	1	A:2	150
3	B001598	Financial and Economic Crime <i>Jelle Janssens -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	5	1		150
4	B001599	Cybercrime, Technology and Surveillance	5	1	A:2	150
5	B001777	Spatiotemporal Criminology	5	1		150

3 Elective Courses 30 credits

Third semester: students write the research papers at one of the two partner universities. The students' mobility scheme is subject to approval of the Consortium Coordinator.

3.1 Erasmus University Rotterdam

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001607 Research Module I: Where the Local Meets the Global <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaaningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
2	B001610 Research Module II: European Union Criminal Policy and Justice in Context <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaaningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
3	B001613 Research Module III: Global Discourse and Narratives of Crime <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaaningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
4	B001616 Research Module IV: Power Relations and Abuses of Power <i>Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, René van Swaaningen -- Erasmus University Rotterdam</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225

3.2 Ghent University

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001608 Research Module I: Where the Local Meets the Global <i>Jelle Janssens -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
2	B001611 Research Module II: European Union Criminal Policy and Justice in Context <i>Laurens van Puyenbroeck -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
3	B001614 Research Module III: Global Discourse and Narratives of Crime <i>Ruben Wissing -- Department of European, Public and International Law</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225
4	B001617 Research Module IV: Power Relations and Abuses of Power <i>Pieter Leloup -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	7.5		2	A:1	225

4 Master's Dissertation 30 credits

Fourth semester: The master' dissertation will then be taken at the same university as that at which the chosen track of the 2nd semester was taken. The students' mobility scheme is subject to approval of the Consortium Coordinator.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	B001619 Master's Thesis <i>Jelle Janssens -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	30		2	A:2	900

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Croatian/Serbian	zh: Chinese
cs: Czech	el: Greek	fr: French	nl: Dutch	pt: Portuguese	sl: Slovene	
da: Danish	en: English	it: Italian	no: Norwegian	ru: Russian	sv: Swedish	

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2026-2027	f: annually, from 2027-2028	i: annually, from 2028-2029
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	g: bi-annually, from 2027-2028	j: bi-annually, from 2028-2029
	e: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	h: tri-annually, from 2027-2028	k: tri-annually, from 2028-2029