

Study Programme

25 credits

Academic year 2025-2026

Faculty of Political and Social Sciences

Master of Science in Conflict and Development Studies

Language of instruction: English

Programme version 5

1 General Courses

1	Genera	Courses				25 (credits
Nr	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001349	Politics of Conflict Jeroen Adam Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:1	150
2	K001330	Politics of Development Anton Vandevoorde Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
3	K001409	Seminars in Politics of Conflict and Development Bert Suykens Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:J	150
4	K001331	Methodology and Fieldwork Practice Marianne Maeckelbergh Department of Conflict and Development Studies	10		1	A:J	250
2	Semina	rs				20 (credits
Su	bscribe to 20	credit units from the following list, with no more than 6 credit units from		ith reference	ce A / UKV	′ .	
	Course		CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001271	Postcolonial Studies Koenraad Bogaert Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
2	K001229	Gender and Globalisation Maria Martin de Almagro Iniesta Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
3	K001298	Sustainable Development Bernard Mazijn Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
4	K001440	Politics in the Middle East and North Africa Christopher Parker Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:1	150
5	K001334	State and Society in Asia Bert Suykens Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:1	150
6	K001295	Rural Sociology Jeroen Adam Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
7	K001337	Conflict and Society in Central and Eastern Africa Jeroen Cuvelier Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:1	150
8	K001335	Transnationalism and Migration	5		1		150
9	K001336	Politics of Islam Sami Zemni Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
10	K001406	Humanitarian Policy Bruno De Cordier Department of Conflict and Development Studies	5		1	A:2	150
11	K001016	The European Union's International Development Policy Petra Debusscher Department of Political Sciences	5		1		150
12	B001581	Human Rights: Multidisciplinary Perspectives Eva Brems Department of European, Public and International Law	5	A / UKV	1	A:2	150
13	A003001	Academic English Geert Jacobs Department of Linguistics	3	A / UKV	1	B:1, A:2	90
14	A003107	Advanced Academic English Geert Jacobs Department of Linguistics	3	A / UKV	1	A:1, B:2	90
15	H001977	Coaching and Diversity [nl] Elisabeth De Schauwer Department of Special Education	3	A / UKV	1	A:J	90

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3 Master's Dissertation			15 credi	its
Nr Course	CRDT	Ref MT1	Session Stu	ıdy
1 K001300 Master's Dissertation	15	1	A:J 45	50

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 cours name, using the following ISO codes:

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

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