

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ADVANCED DENTISTRY (PERIODONTICS)

60 ECTS CREDITS - LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

## WHAT

Periodontology is the part of dentistry that focuses on diseases of the gums and the jawbone surrounding the teeth. During your dental education, you came in contact with periodontal pathology and therapy. You also discovered the possibilities of dental implants. The specialist training in periodontology aims to educate and train those dentists that have a special interest in this field, by educating them thoroughly in all aspects of oral implantology and periodontology. These treatments will also be linked with the prosthetic rehabilitation, thereby considering functional and esthetical aspects. There will also be attention for the medically compromised risk patient from a periodontal point of view.

## STRUCTURE

The master contains 60 credits and is divided over 3 years and is combined with clinical training (120 credits). The specialisation is scientifically supported with the obligatory master's dissertation which should be publishable in a A1 journal.

Courses are given in English but students are required to obtain proficiency in Dutch prior to treating patients in the clinical programme.

## LABOUR MARKET

The master's programme in Advanced Dentistry educates dentists in an extensive and thorough manner in all aspects of the specialization, in accordance with the highest European criteria. You work independently or in an association with other dental specialists from diverse disciplines. Or you choose to teach in your subject or perform scientific research in that field.

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## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL DEGREE STUDENTS

International students with a master's degree in Dentistry interested to join the master programmes in Advanced Dentistry should apply by sending curriculum vitae and motivational letter to the program director.

Information on admission requirements and the administrative procedure for admission on the basis of a diploma obtained abroad, can be found on the following page: [www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration](http://www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration).

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Language requirements    Dutch: no language requirements  
   English: CEFR level B2

The language requirements for this study programme can be found on: [www.ugent.be/language requirements](http://www.ugent.be/language requirements)

## Tuition fee

More information is to be found on: [www.ugent.be/tuitionfee](http://www.ugent.be/tuitionfee)

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## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

### Study programme

[studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-science-in-advanced-dentistry-periodontics-en/programma](http://studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-science-in-advanced-dentistry-periodontics-en/programma)

### Information sessions

#### Graduation Fair

[afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies](http://afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies)

### Enrolling institution

Information on enrolment at Ghent University.

### Application Deadline (for International degree students)

For students who **need a visa**: 1st of April

For students who **do not need a visa**: 1st of June

Read more

Prior to the application students need to have a letter of acceptance by the program director and should be registered before 1st February.