

## Developing and Writing Research Proposals in Philosophy (A005584)

**Course size** *(nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)*

**Credits 9.0**

**Study time 270 h**

**Course offerings in academic year 2023-2024**

A (Year)

English

Gent

**Lecturers in academic year 2023-2024**

Weber, Erik

LW01

lecturer-in-charge

Mennes, Julie

LW01

co-lecturer

Nanay, Bence

UA

co-lecturer

Schilt, Cornelis Johannes

LW01

co-lecturer

**Offered in the following programmes in 2023-2024**

[Research Master of Arts in Philosophy](#)

**crdts**

9

**offering**

A

**Teaching languages**

English

**Keywords**

Structure of research proposal, state of the art, research objectives & methodology, research ethics, scientific integrity.

**Position of the course**

This is the only mandatory course in the programme. It prepares the students for writing funding applications.

**Contents**

Overview of funding channels (national and international).

Students are trained to develop and clearly formulate the different components of a funding application (state of the art, objectives, methodology, output, relevance, ...).

Students are introduced to issues in research ethics and scientific integrity.

**Initial competences**

Knowledge of one or more subdisciplines of philosophy at advanced level.

**Final competences**

1 Adequate knowledge of funding channels.

2 Insight into the relevant issues in research ethics and scientific integrity.

3 Ability to develop a philosophical research project and draw up a funding application that can be filed with institutions like the FWO and the Special Research Funds of universities (and similar foreign institutions).

**Conditions for credit contract**

This course unit cannot be taken via a credit contract

**Conditions for exam contract**

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

**Teaching methods**

Seminar, Independent work

**Learning materials and price**

On Ufora.

**References**

**Course content-related study coaching**

Individual help is offered by the lecturers.

**Assessment moments**

continuous assessment

**Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period****Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period****Examination methods in case of permanent assessment**

Skills test, Participation, Assignment

**Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment**

not applicable

**Extra information on the examination methods**

Participation in discussions on draft projects, coping with deadlines.

Written project proposal + oral presentation.

**Calculation of the examination mark**

Participation and deadlines: 40%.

Presentation: 20%

Written research proposal: 40%

**Facilities for Working Students**

None.