# Course Specifications

Valid in the academic year 2018-2019

## Orthopedagogics and Development Co-operation (H001913)

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### Course offerings and teaching methods in academic year 2018-2019

- **A (semester 2)**  
  - **English**  
  - **project**  
  - **15.0 h**  
  - **lecture**  
  - **30.0 h**

### Lecturers in academic year 2018-2019

- **Van Hove, Geert**  
  - **PP10**  
  - **lecturer-in-charge**

### Offered in the following programmes in 2018-2019

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### Teaching languages

- Dutch, English

### Keywords


### Position of the course

This course is an optional course within the Masters Programme of Educational Sciences. This course has a focus on intercultural diversity and globalisation. Sustainability and sustainable development are important pillars of the course. Students will be confronted with a complex interaction of micro, meso and macro level within local and global challenges.

### Contents

In this course following topics will be presented:
- the growing comprehension concerning the relationship between orthopedagogical topics and sustainable development;
- orthopedagogical themes seen on a global scale; example: disability;
- intersectionality: disability, gender, poverty, cultures,… ;
- a human rights framework for orthopedagogical topics in the South;
- community based work
- co-operative research with developing countries;
- orthopedagogical questions and development co-operation; different perspectives: ngo’s, policy, different academical disciplines.

### Initial competences

This course builds on ‘Orthopedagogics of special groups’.

### Final competences

1. To conduct a study of a specific problem independently in a methodologically justified manner.
2. To apply adequately empirical-analytic, interpretational and action-oriented research methods.
3. To contribute to the social debates.
4. To justify own actions and decision making on an ethical basis.
5. To assess the importance of intersectionality.

(Approved)
Access to this course unit via a credit contract is determined after successful competences assessment

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

Lecture, project

10 Articles concerning the relationship between globalisation, post-colonial studies, development co-operation and orthopedagogical themes will be handed over via Minerva.


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References


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Course content-related study coaching

• interactive support via Minerva;

• specific interactive support concerning the Project work.

Evaluation methods

end-of-term evaluation

Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the first examination period

Oral examination

Examination methods in case of periodic evaluation during the second examination period

Oral examination

Examination methods in case of permanent evaluation

Possibilities of retake in case of permanent evaluation

not applicable

Extra information on the examination methods

Students prepare a presentation in groups, the project theme has to be approved. The presentation is organized in Pecha Kucha format.

The presentation is followed by a discussion where the lecturer gets assistance from two external jury members coming from the practice field.

Calculation of the examination mark

100% Of the examination mark is linked to the presentation.

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