

Doctoral School in Management



THE DOCTORAL SCHOOL IN MANAGEMENT SCIENCES ULB-ULIÈGE-UMONS

Annual Doctoral Day

October 11, 2018

Agenda

- **11h00** Presentation of the doctoral program by Yves Crama (HEC Liège), François Rycx (SBS-EM, ULB), Margaux Vaghi (SBS-EM, ULB) and Mélanie Volral (Faculté Warocqué, UMONS).

- **11h45** Presentation of two well-advanced/completed doctoral theses:
 - **Elodie Dessy (ULiège)** “Youth social-purpose initiatives in the philanthropic field: a story of innovation framing and outsiders co-optation”
 - **Cécile Godfroid (UMONS)** “Human Resources in Social Enterprises: The Case of Microfinance Loan Officers”

- **12h30** Lunch

- **13h30** Small group discussions with PhD students and professors - Sharing thoughts about how to embark on the doctoral journey (Hotyat & 204)

- **15h00** Q&As on the management of the PhD process with PhD students and concluding remarks

- **15h30** Drink

The Doctoral Training

- The Doctoral Training is the first step in your PhD
- 60 ECTS = 1-year programme (can be extended)
 - ▣ Core learning (20 ECTS)
 - ▣ Advanced Classes (15 ECTS)
 - ▣ Research activities (20 ECTS)
 - ▣ Academic Development (5 ECTS)
- [Doctoral school website](#)

Core Learning (20 ECTS)

- Today: **Introduction to the PhD training** (2 ECTS) : *attendance*

- **Epistemology and Critical Issues in Management Studies** (3 ECTS) - K. Jackson : *work*

- **Doctoral Seminar** (10 ECTS) : *work and presentation*
 - choose one between ULB (H. Pirotte) and ULiège (D. Van Caillie)

Core Learning (20 ECTS)

Choose one between:

- **Quantitative Methodology** (5 ECTS) - F. Rycx (ULB) and F. Venmans (UMONS) : *work and presentation*

OR

- **Découvrir la recherche qualitative par la pratique** (5 ECTS) – C. Lejeune (ULiège): *work and presentation*

Registration between October 15 and 25

Advanced Classes (15 ECTS)

- List of courses on the doctoral school website in various domains:
 - Methods
 - International Trade/Development
 - Finance / Accounting
 - Information Systems/ Supply Chain Management/Quantitative Methods
 - Marketing/Strategy
 - Human Resources/Organization
 - Innovation/Entrepreneurship

- Choose three courses (5 ECTS each) at ULB-ULiège-UMONS or at another university

- Courses at the Louvain School of Management

- Check if it is given this Academic Year and send your choice to your coordinator before October 15, 2018

Research activities (20 ECTS)

- Attendance of seminars and conferences, presentation of papers, publication in peer-reviewed journals, summer schools, etc.
- The credits for passive attendance cannot exceed 10 ECTS, meaning that at least 10 ECTS must be obtained through active research productions.
- Research Seminars organized at ULB, ULiège and UMONS
- The way in which the activities are credited depends on each university – please contact your administrative officer for more information.

Academic development (5 ECTS)

- Seminars and activities that provide transversal competences to doctoral students – i.e. competences that are useful to all researchers regardless of their specific topic and discipline (for example paper writing and publication process, oral presentation skills, searching and managing bibliographic references through for example reference management softwares, mastering specific computer programs, etc.).
- At least one activity organized each year

Contacts

□ Scientific Commission

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Contacts

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Financial Support

- Internal job: teaching assistant or researcher with contract
 - External job: thesis supported by a company
 - Doctoral grants:
 - FNRS: the National Fund for Scientific Research-FNRS develops fundamental research ("career plan" for researchers).
 - FRESH: also supported by FNRS but exclusively devoted to human sciences and more specifically to research with important societal impact.
- For both grants above (eligibility, forms), see <http://www1.frs-fnrs.be/>.
- AUF: Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF), <http://www.auf.org/communication-information/appels-ores>.

Financial Support

□ Other doctoral grants:

- Axa Research Funds: <http://researchfund.axa.com>

- BAEF: Belgian American Educational Foundation

<http://www.baef.be/documents/fellowships-for-belgian-citizens.xml?lang=en>

- CIUF-CUD: University commission for development

<http://www.cud.be/index.php>

- IWEPS : <https://www.iweps.be/>

- BELSPO: http://www.belspo.be/belspo/index_fr.stm

- Universities:

ULiège: doctoral grants in domains non eligible for FRIA (Fund for research in industry and agronomy), 2 X 2 years.

ULB: miniArc, <http://fsp.ulb.ac.be/fr/bourse-mini.html>

- Management schools: HEC: PRISME, 2 x 2 ans

□ Supervisors' projects: PDR, ARC, . . .

Next



- Presentation of two well-advanced/completed doctoral theses
- Open discussion on how to manage the PhD process in all its dimensions