Welcome
Mathematics
Stochastics & Financial Mathematics
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# Math programme

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**Master Seminar** (6EC Math): see later slide

**Basic & advanced courses**: UvA, VU and Mastermath, with constraints depending on programme & specialization direction

**Master Project** (36EC): research project & thesis
Math Programme

UvA/VU specialization directions
- Algebra & geometry
- Analysis & dynamical systems
- Stochastics

and in addition:
@UvA: Mathematical Physics,
Double master programme Math. & Theor. Phys.,
majors & minors (TESLA, teaching, …)
@VU: Biomedical mathematics, Education track &
teaching tracks.
Master Seminar

Lectures by students, staff, alumni,… Each specialization direction has its own seminar:

✴ Analysis & Dynamical Systems
✴ Stochastics

Don’t miss the first meeting!

✴ A,G & MP: Friday, 13:00-15:00 @UvA
✴ A & DS: Monday, 11:00-13:00 @UvA
✴ Stoch: Friday, 11:00-13:00 @UvA
SFM programme

Difference in global structure compared to the Math programme

- No specialization directions.
- Seminar Stochastics & Financial Math in first semester of year 1. Block 1 UvA, block 2 VU

Starts Monday 13:00-15:00
Courses

Courses offered by UvA, VU and Mastermath.

**Deadline** for Fall course registration for new master students: local courses Sept 2 (UvA), Sept 8 (VU), Oct 1 (Mastermath).

📍 UvA: register via datanose.nl
📍 VU: register via vunet.vu.nl
📍 Mastermath: national courses, register via elo.mastermath.nl (make account!)
the “Mini Manual”

List of courses per programme and specialization, with suggested thematic lines.

@UvA: CANVAS pages `master Math/SFM’, website UvA Math/SFM master.

@VU: CANVAS page `Community master Math and SFM’
Who to ask?

study matters -> Programme coordinator
personal issues -> Study advisor
administration -> ESC/Central Student Desk
international -> International Team/
                    International Service Desk
Who to ask?

content of your study programme, choice of track, courses or master project, introduction to academic world, PEP form, ...

-> Programme coordinator
@UvA: Hessel (Math), Peter (SFM)

@VU: Corrie (Math), Wouter (SFM)
Who to ask?

personal circumstances, study delay, facilities for students with disabilities, doubts, complaints, regulations and procedures, a ready ear…

-> Study Advisor

@UvA: Marije Kaan

@VU: Corrie Quant
Who to ask?

registration of study results, issues with course registration, application for graduation, official statements, certified grade list, ...

@UvA: ESC Service Desk

@VU: Central Student Desk
Who to ask?

**international students**: housing, visa, practical matters, ...

**all students**: studying abroad, Erasmus, ...

@UvA: International Team

@VU: International Service Desk
More information...

Course & programme information:
- UvA: [www.coursecatalogue.uva.nl](http://www.coursecatalogue.uva.nl)
- Mastermath: [elo.mastermath.nl](http://elo.mastermath.nl)

Schedules:
- UvA: [www.datanose.nl](http://www.datanose.nl)
- VU: [rooster.vu.nl](http://rooster.vu.nl)

UvA/VU CANVAS pages Math and SFM.
What’s next?

Make an appointment with your coordinator!
@UvA: Hessel Posthuma (h.b.posthuma@uva.nl) Math,
  Peter Spreij (@uva.nl) SFM
@VU: Corrie Quant (c.m.quant@vu.nl) Math,
  Wouter Kager (w.kager@vu.nl) SFM

Sept 2: start of UvA/VU classes
Sept 9: start of Mastermath classes
What’s next?

16:30 Drinks and welcome by the Dean in the Tuinzaal

Good luck with your master programme!