

Course Descriptions None 2026-2027

Course Title Bachelor Thesis Emerging Markets
 Course Code EBT0014
 ECTS Credits 8,0
 Assessment Whole/Half Grades

Period	Start	End	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
S1	31-8-2026	31-1-2027	C				
S2	1-2-2027	2-7-2027	C				

Level Intermediate/Advanced
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 Language of instruction English

Goals The BSc thesis is an individual assignment and serves as a concluding assignment of your Bachelor study. The aim of the BSc Thesis is to demonstrate your mastery of domain of study in an assignment that integrates your acquired knowledge and skills. The BSc thesis is an essay of 4500-5000 words (excl. appendices) based on scientific articles.

Description The bachelor thesis will start with an opening lecture in the first week of the semester. This opening lecture provides general guidelines for the thesis and will introduce the different topics among which students can choose.

The students work on their BSc thesis simultaneously with their courses as a floating skill in so-called BSc thesis circles. The BSc thesis circles will take place during period 1 and 2 (or 4 and 5 respectively). Period 3 (period 6 respectively) will be used to write up the final report.

Students choose one of the themes and link this with their major/specialisation.

For Semester 1 (September 2016 till January 2017), the following themes are selected:

- Sustainability
- Humanitarian Crisis

For Semester 2 (February 2017 till June 2017), the following themes are selected:

- Ethics
- Financial Crisis

Literature The literature for the BSc thesis is determined jointly by student and supervisor

Prerequisites <p>The courses related to the topic of your bachelor thesis.</p>

Keywords

Transitional Regulations

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Teaching methods PBL / Presentation / Lecture / Assignment

Assessment methods Final Paper

Evaluation in previous academic year For the complete evaluation of this course please click <http://iwio-sbe.maastrichtuniversity.nl/rapporten.asp?referrer=codeUM>

This course belongs to the following programme / specialisation

Bachelor Economics and Business Economics - Emerging Markets	In transition - Thesis
Bachelor International Business - Emerging Markets	In transition - Thesis