Welcome

Mathematics

Stochastics & Financial Mathematics
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Math & SFM
# Overview programme

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- **Master Seminar (6EC):** see later slide
- **Basic & advanced courses:** UvA, VU and Mastermath, with constraints depending on programme & track
- **Master Project (36EC):** research project & thesis
Programmes & tracks

Mathematics
- track algebra & geometry
- track analysis & dynamical systems
- track stochastics

Stochastics & Financial Mathematics

@VU: math tracks (biomedical, 2 x teaching, ...)

Master Seminar

Weekly during first two semesters. Lectures by students and staff. Three groups:

- Algebra, Geometry
- Analysis & Dynamical Systems
- Stochastics (incl. SFM)

Don’t miss first meeting!

- A & G: Mon Sept 5, 15:00 @UvA
- A & DS: Fri Sept 8, 13:00 @UvA
- Stoch: Mon Sept 5, 14:00 @UvA
Courses offered by UvA, VU and Mastermath.

**Deadline** for Fall course registration for new master students: local courses Sept 5 (UvA), Sept 11 (VU), Mastermath (Oct 1)! (Later semesters: even earlier)

- **UvA**: register via [datanose.nl](http://datanose.nl) (later: SIS)
- **VU**: register via [vunet.vu.nl](http://vunet.vu.nl)
- **Mastermath**: national courses, register via [elo.mastermath.nl](http://elo.mastermath.nl) (make account!)
List of courses per programme and track, with suggested thematic lines.

@UvA: blackboard page ‘mathematical masters’, website Jasper Stokman

@VU: CANVAS page ‘Math and SFM’, website Bob Rink
Who to ask?

If asking a local student doesn’t work…. 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: Asma (SFM), Hessel (Math)

@VU: Corrie Quant
Who to ask?

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

-> Study Advisor

@UvA: Anja Zoomer

@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)

For UvA students: blackboard page `mathematical masters'.
For VU students: CANVAS pages Math/SFM
What's next?

Make an appointment with your coordinator!

@UvA: Hessel (h.b.posthuma@uva.nl) Math,
      Asma (a.khedher@uva.nl), SFM
@VU: Corrie Quant (c.m.quant@vu.nl, R3.19 in WN-building)

Sept 4: start of UvA/VU classes
Sept 11: start of Mastermath classes

Sept 14: STORM masters BBQ @VU Campus
What's next?

- Drinks in the "Tuinzaal", 14:15
- VUNET training WN-S201, 15:30