

## Processing time Master's applications Graduate School of Psychology 2023-2024

### When do I hear if I'm admitted?

- The deadline for all master's applications at the UvA Psychology department is March 1<sup>st</sup> 2023. This holds for all candidates who wish to start in September 2023.
- All candidates who have submitted a complete application before March 1<sup>st</sup> can expect to receive the outcome of their application by *mid-May 2023* latest.
- Applications submitted *after* March 1<sup>st</sup> may be considered in case there are spots left in the Master's track after the selection. These applications may also be denied. Studielink closes for applications on 1 July 2023.
- Klinische Psychologie (track of Dutch-taught master's Gezondheidszorgpsychologie) is the only track that also has a February admissions round. This programme starts twice a year, on February 1<sup>st</sup> and September 1<sup>st</sup>. Students who apply for the February round need to apply **between June 1<sup>st</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>**. Application outcomes will be sent before Christmas.
- All deadlines mentioned in this document apply to Studielink AND MyInfo. So, the application request in MyInfo needs to be submitted before the deadline. See the application instructions online.

### When do I hear if I need to do a premaster's?

- If you do not meet the requirements, you will be informed about this in the outcome of your application. In case you can take a pre-master's programme, you will also be informed in the application outcome. See our [site](#) for further details about pre-master's programmes.
- Please note: many premaster's courses take place during the second semester (February-July). For all candidates who apply *before November 15<sup>th</sup>*, we are committed to finishing the decision during the month of December, so we can send these candidates information about a premaster's before the Christmas holidays, thereby providing the opportunity to take (and finish) a premaster's during the second semester to qualify for the September admissions round. This opportunity only exists if the pre-master's courses that you need, are scheduled for semester 2.
- Candidates who apply before 15<sup>th</sup> November, and who do *not* need to take a pre-master's, will take part in the selection that takes place in April. These candidates will be informed about their application outcome by mid-May.  
In case a candidate already knows that they meet all requirements, there is no benefit in applying before 15<sup>th</sup> November. You can apply between 15<sup>th</sup> November and 1<sup>st</sup> March.
- Candidates who apply between 15<sup>th</sup> November and 1<sup>st</sup> March will be notified by mid-May. These candidates will *not* have the possibility to take a pre-master's programme during the second semester of the same academic year. They may be advised to take a pre-master's the next academic year.

### Bottom line:

- Are you certain you meet the requirements (both basic and track specific)? Please apply between November 16<sup>th</sup> and March 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Are you not entirely sure you will meet all requirements? Please apply before November 15<sup>th</sup>, so we can review your file early. If necessary, we will advise you about premaster's options in semester 2 before Christmas. This way you will be on time to do a premaster's in the second semester (February – July), enabling you to qualify for the programme for the September admissions round.
- All applicants who have submitted a complete application before March 1<sup>st</sup> will be informed by mid-May.

Master's application submitted in MyInfo:	Application outcome:
For February admissions round Klinische Psychologie: 1 June 2022 – 1 October 2022	Before Christmas
All other tracks than Klinische Psychologie: 1 June 2022 - 15 November 2022 <i>Select February enrolment in Studielink!</i>	Candidates who do <i>not</i> meet all requirements will be informed before Christmas.  Candidates who meet all requirements have to change their enrolment to September and will be informed about the application outcome by mid-May 2023.
16 November 2022 - 1 March 2023 <i>Select September enrolment in Studielink!</i>	mid-May 2023
2 March 2023 – 31 May 2023*	response by 31 August 2023*

\* No guarantee that application will be considered.