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New student assessor: Elske de Waal

Elske de Waal has been appointed student assessor of the Faculty of Science. The student assessor functions as a liaison between the representative advisory bodies (including the Faculty Student Council), students and the Faculty of Science management team. De Waal: ‘In this role, I will attend meetings of the Faculty management team and other discussions. My main focus will be on diversity and flexibility of study programmes.’

UvA celebrates 385 years

In 2017 the University of Amsterdam is celebrating its 385th anniversary. A range of activities will mark this occasion throughout the year. The theme of the anniversary year is ‘inspiring generations’, which refers to the role played by the university in the past, present and future. Throughout the year, the UvA will mark its 385th anniversary at several occasions within and beyond the walls of the university. In the autumn there will be a number of special events such as pop-up lectures, a University Night, a party for students and staff following the opening of the academic year and the lecture series ‘The Next Big Thing’ on the future of science.

Wednesday 18 January, 12:00-13:00, BetaBreak in central hall SP 904

Thursday 16 February, 18:00-21:00, Science Master’s event at SP 904

For all events, check student.uva.nl

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