



To Dah Loo

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Dear students,

Congratulations on making it past the first exam week of this year! We hope the real-life examinations were not too intense. As you must be quite tired from the drag of preparing for the exam week and making exams, we have a great announcement: the Faculty Student Council (FSR) will be organizing drinks to celebrate the new 2021-2022 council, after a presentation of our policy plan for the upcoming study year. This event will take place in the beginning of December in Brainwave, so make sure to be there!

As you will undoubtedly be looking back at a successful exam week, we will also be taking a look back at the success of the previous student council. The council managed to officially get a say in the diversity policy of the faculty. We have launched the idea to install a complaint desk at Science Park which we will continue to work on this year. In addition, we got to give our input on important points like the faculty strategic plan and the faculty's spendings. We hope you feel inspired by the achievements of the FSR from the past year! Do you want to aid us and work on improving the quality of studying at the faculty? We are still looking for additions to our team! So, if you're interested, send us an email at raadsassistent.fnwi@gmail.com.

Kind regards,

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The Faculty Student Council FNWI 21/22

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Sharing your knowledge

Are you enthusiastic about your study and would you like to introduce children and secondary school students to your study subjects? Then working for Outreach is for you! Organise activities with fellow students such as forensic DNA lessons at secondary schools, guest lectures on robotics or a master class in chemical measurement techniques. Please note, all activities are in Dutch.



Students Mattijs de Geus (Biomedical Sciences) and Bowine Roodenburg (Psychobiology), how were your experiences?

Matthijs: "Because of the flexible working hours and personal choice for the activities you want to do, it was the ideal job for me. I

enjoyed seeing the children get excited during the practicals."

Bowine: "You get interesting questions about the material, but also about studying in general. I have given many practicals, such as Van Warme Wetenschap, where

an experiment was set up with thermal cameras. For the participants, this was a fun addition to their school lessons".

Questions or registration? Contact project leader Charlotte Clarijs via outreach-science@uva.nl.

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