

Global Project and Change Management (honours)

Degree: Bachelor of Business Administration (full-time)

Start date: September 2026

Location: Zwolle, the Netherlands

Duration: 4 years



The programme

Do you care about climate change, human rights, or making the world a fairer place? Want to make a real difference, now and in your future job? In this international English-taught honours degree programme, you will grow into a leader in sustainable development. You will learn how to turn your ideas into real impact. We combine theory and practice. While you learn about global issues in class, you will work on real projects with real organizations from the start. You will study abroad and do an international internship, building skills in leadership, research, project management and business.

Your future

Become an international project manager and change maker. Discover how you can contribute to a more sustainable and inclusive future. You will be ready to lead teams, manage complex projects and create meaningful change. You could work with local or international governments, NGOs, consultancies or businesses. You can even start your own business with social impact. Whatever you choose, you will be working on urgent global issues like gender equality, plastic pollution, international conflicts and wildlife protection: all part of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals.

Curriculum

YEARS 1 AND 2	YEARS 3 AND 4	SKILLS
Project Management Sustainable Business and Marketing Research Finance, Management, Budget and Investing Globalisation UN Sustainable Development Goals Geopolitics Diversity, Inclusion and Social Justice Environmental Economics Academic writing and presentation International Business Relations	Minor Managing Projects for Sustainable Development Working in a project team on a complex sustainability challenge for an external client. Free choice semester (study abroad) Minor Value Creators Acting as an independent change agent consultant creating societal value. Internship	Leadership Rethoric and Communications Complexity Awareness Mobilization Critical Thinking Inclusive Mindset and Intercultural Competences Self-awareness Creativity Perspective Resiliency Personal Growth



"This programme provides me with the necessary skills to become a change-maker"

Read the story of Manolie: windesheim.com/manolie

Career opportunities

- Project Manager at an international NGO, like UNICEF
- Policy Advisor Sustainability at Municipality or EU
- Project Leader in renewable energy business
- Sustainability Consultant for international companies
- Start your own sustainable business
- Continue with a Master's Degree

Admission requirements

- High school diploma equivalent to Dutch mbo4, havo- or vwo-diploma, e.g. IB diploma with 24 points, IBCP. Most EU high school diploma's are accepted. Check our website for all accepted diploma's: windesheim.com/requirements
- A pass in Mathematics or a pass in the Windesheim deficiency test. This requirement may no longer apply for the 2026 intake: please check our website.
- A pass in English (minimum equivalent to havo-level 6.0) or in your English proficiency test (IELTS 6.5, TOEFL or Cambridge B2-C1, Pearson 61).
- Admission essay
- 2 recommendation letters
- Personal interview and group activity

Application deadline:

1 May for non-EU/EEA students, 1 June for EU/EEA students. We select a maximum of 80 students a year. Read the details on: windesheim.com/apply.



Your schedule

The workload is approx. 40 hours per week: 20 contact hours (classes, workshops) and 20 hours for individual assignments, group work/homework.



Meet us

Would you like to meet us? Join us on our (online) Open Days, Webinars and as a Student for a Day!

Webinar business programmes:

- 29 October 2025
- 3 December 2025
- 11 February 2026

Open Days:

- 7 November 2025
- 23 January 2026
- 7 April (online) and 10 April 2026

Check the details on windesheim.com/meetus



Choosing this programme at Windesheim, means:

- Quality education: top-rated programme and Windesheim is the no. 2 University of Applied Sciences in the Netherlands
- An **Honours Programme** for ambitious students
- Personal attention: small classes (20 students) and lecturers who care about your success
- Work on Sustainable Development Goals Challenges
- A lot of practice in the programme via real-life projects with organizations and internships
- Global experience and strong community
- Personal and professional development

Costs

- Tuition fee 2026/2027: € 2,695 / year (EU/EEA countries), € 9,317 (other countries)
- Housing: € 400 - € 750 per month
- Living expenses: € 350 - € 550 per month
- Study materials € 250 per year
- Health and liability insurance: € 40 - € 140 per year

Check the latest update and how to finance your study on:

windesheim.com/finance

Housing is guaranteed in year one (shared room).

Interested?

Read more details about this programme on our website:

windesheim.com/gpcm

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