HOW TO APPLY?

1. Make a **well-motivated choice**: see our program list.

2. Make sure you **meet the admission requirements**:
   - Admission to Ghent University's Master programs is based on a **Bachelor diploma in a related field**.
   - English at level B2 is the minimum requirement. Be aware that several programs ask a higher level (C1).

3. **Start the online application procedure**: you're required to upload your diploma and transcripts, and a language certificate.

4. **Ghent University asseses your application.**

5. **Letter of admission.**
   When your application was successful, you receive a letter of admission. With this letter you apply for a visa and housing at Ghent University residences.

VISA

Non-EEA citizens need a long-stay visa (type D) to stay and study in Belgium. Contact the Belgian embassy/consulate in your home country to apply for this visa.

HOUSING

In the University Halls of Residence international students can rent rooms, studios or flats. Most students choose to live in the city with roommates. You'll find a variety of housing options located near the university campuses.

ESTIMATED COST OF LIVING (12 MONTHS)

Study costs	Housing	Mobility bus	Mobility bike	Food	Clothing	Health	Leisure	Total
€ 300	€ 5,000	€ 250	€ 200	€ 2,500	€ 600	€ 550	€ 1,100	€ 10,500

IMPORTANT DATES

	Students who need a visa	Students who don't need a visa
Online application	October – March	October – May
Submit application	Before April 1	Before June 1

Application deadlines are different for Erasmus Mundus international programs. Regular and scholarship seeking students apply for these programs in January or February.

MORE INFORMATION ON OUR APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

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Did you know?

You do not need to wait until you graduate to apply!

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SHANGHAI RANKING **#84**
US News BEST GLOBAL UNIVERSITIES **#95**
THE World University Rankings 2023 **#107**
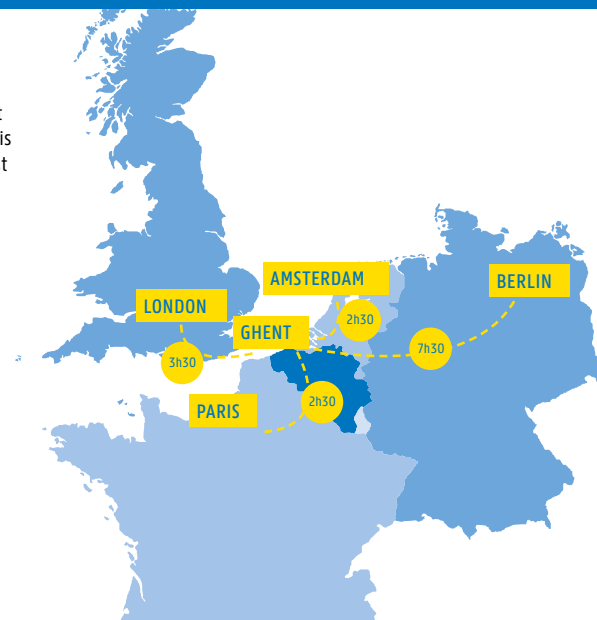QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS **#159**

LOCATION

Studying at Ghent University means living in the vibrant city of Ghent, the third largest city in Belgium. Belgium is in the heart of Europe. By train, bus or plane you can fast and easily reach dozens of interesting cities in Europe.

50,000 Students

7,350 International students

4,672 PhD students

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BERLIN
LONDON
GHENT
2h30
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3h30
PARIS
2h30

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FACULTY OF ARTS AND PHILOSOPHY (flw.UGent.be)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
Master of Arts in African Studies	MA	1	€ 2,166.10
Master of Arts in Oriental Languages and Cultures: • China • India • Japan • Middle Eastern Studies	MA	2	€ 2,166.10
Master of Arts in Linguistics and Literature: English • French • German	MA	2	€ 2,166.10
Master of Arts in Technology for Translation and Interpreting	MA	2	€ 2,166.10
Research Master of Arts in Philosophy	MA	2	€ 2,166.10
Master of Arts in Advanced Studies in Linguistics	AdMA	1	€ 1,116.00

FACULTY OF LAW (law.UGent.be/en)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
International Master of Science in Advanced Research in Criminology: Border Crossing, Security and Social Justice	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
Master of Laws in International and European Law: • International Business Law • International and National Legal Orders • International and Human Rights Law • European Union Law	AdMA	1	€ 6,678.00
Master of Science in Maritime Science	AdMA	1	€ 6,678.00

FACULTY OF POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (UGent.be/ps/en)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
Master of Science in Sociology	MA	1	€ 6,672,00
Master of Science in Conflict and Development Studies	MA	1	€ 6,672,00

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS & BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (feb.UGent.be)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
Master of Science in Business Economics: • Accountancy • Corporate Finance • Marketing	MA	1	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Business Engineering: • Data Analytics • Finance • Operations Management	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Economics	MA	1	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Economics of Globalisation and European Integration	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Banking and Finance	AdMA	1	€ 2,166.00
Master of Science in Data Science for Business	AdMA	1	€ 3,672.00

FACULTY OF SCIENCES (UGent.be/we/en)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
International Master of Science in Agro- and Environmental Nematology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
International Master of Science in Marine Biological Resource	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
Master of Science in Biochemistry and Biotechnology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Bioinformatics • Bioscience Engineering • Engineering • Systems Biology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Biology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Chemistry: • (Bio) Organic and Polymer Chemistry • Analytical and Environmental Chemistry • Materials and Nano Chemistry	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Geology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Marine and Lacustrine Science and Management	MA	2	€ 1,116.00
Master of Science in Physics and Astronomy	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Sustainable Land Management • Land and Groundwater Management • Urban Land Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Plant Biotechnology	AdMA	1	€ 2,166.00
Master of Science in Space Studies	AdMA	1	€ 7,518.60
Master of Science in Statistical Data Analysis	AdMA	1	€ 3,672.00

FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES (UGent.be/ge)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Global Health	AdMA	2	€ 5,172.00

FACULTY OF BIOSCIENCE ENGINEERING (itc.UGent.be)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
International Master of Science in Environmental Technology and Engineering	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Science in Health Management in Aquaculture	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Science in Rural Development	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Science in Soils and Global Change	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Science in Sustainable and Innovative Natural Resource Management	MA	2	€ 12,000.00
Master of Science in Aquaculture	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: • Cell and Gene Biotechnology • Sustainable Urban Bioscience Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Environmental Science and Technology	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Food Technology	MA	2	€ 979.60
Master of Science in Nutrition and Food Systems	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Sustainable Food Packaging	AdMA	1	€ 7,518.00

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE (UGent.be/ea/en)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
European Master of Science in Nuclear Fusion and Engineering Physics	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Advanced Design of Sustainable Ships and Offshore Structures	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
International Master of Science in Fire Safety Engineering	MA	2	€ 10,000.00
International Master of Science in Textile Engineering	MA	2	€ 9,000.00
Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Chemical Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Civil Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Computer Science Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Electrical Engineering • Communication and Information Technology • Electronic Circuits and Systems	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Electromechanical Engineering • Control Engineering and Automation • Electrical Power Engineering • Maritime Engineering • Mechanical Energy Engineering • Mechanical Constructions	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Engineering Physics	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Fire Safety Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Industrial Engineering and Operations Research • Manufacturing and Supply Chain Engineering • Sustainable Mobility Analytics • Transport and Mobility Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Photonics Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Sustainable Materials Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
Master of Science in Nuclear Engineering	AdMA	1	€ 1,116.00
Master of Science in Smart Operations and Maintenance in Industry	AdMA	1	€ 7,518.60

FACULTY OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (UGent.be/fw/en)

Program	TYPE	YEARS	FEE/YEAR
Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Engineering	MA	2	€ 6,672.00
International Master of Science in Sustainable Drug Discovery	MA	2	€ 9,000.00

Did you know?

The average published tuition and fees for international students in the U.S. are $30,000.

Take a look at our **Study Guide**: you find the list of all Master programs taught in English and for every program a **summary,** the admission requirements, details of **specific courses** and **brochures** of the programs.