

### PRE-DOCTORAL PROGRAMME 2024

To apply for the 2024 edition of the Pre-Doctoral Programme for Indonesia, PhD students already registered in a doctorate programme in the Netherlands (or prospective PhD students who intend to do a PhD in the Netherlands) should send an outline of their PhD research proposal and additional requirements for assessment by representative lecturers of the PhD-Consortium Indonesia to:

[info@erasmustrainingcentre.com](mailto:info@erasmustrainingcentre.com)

The PhD-Consortium Indonesia consists of Leiden University and Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. Its aim is to support incoming and future Indonesian PhD students to have a better preparation for their PhD trajectories.



More information can be found on the following website:

<https://www.erasmustrainingcentre.com/pre-doctoral-programme/>

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### Compulsory:

1. CV (*updated and including picture*)
2. Master degree certificate or similar
3. Short outline of the PhD research proposal (*1 page excluding references*) according to the provided template (*see addendum*)

#### Highly recommended:

4. English language skills – IELTS 6.5 (applicants who hold an IELTS 6.5 or equivalent certificate will be given priority)
5. Acceptance letter from a Dutch university (PhD students who hold an admission letter from a Dutch University will be given priority)

All submitted documents should be in English

#### For any additional information regarding admission & enrolment:

Please consult Gentha Sally at Erasmus Training Centre, Jakarta.

Email: [gentha.sally@erasmustrainingcentre.com](mailto:gentha.sally@erasmustrainingcentre.com)

or WhatsApp: +62 811 870 217

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#### ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE

The selection committee of the PhD-Consortium Indonesia will first assess the quality of the preliminary PhD research proposal. The submitted outline should:

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| <b>a) Be clear and address a relevant topic</b><br>( <i>scientific and societal relevance</i> )  | <b>d) Include a well formulated research question</b>                 |
| <b>b) Provide a sound and concise introduction</b><br>to the PhD research topic  | <b>e) Provide an overview of the proposed methodological approach</b> |
| <b>c) Explain the problem to be studied</b><br>( <i>problem statement</i> ) and why it is important to address this problem<br>( <i>research justification</i> ) | <b>f) Include the list of references used</b>                         |

- The selection committee will then review the CVs and check the applicants' merit during the undergraduate and postgraduate years as well as the other application requirements.
- As part of the assessment procedure, the committee might contact the PhD students for further information and inquiries.
- Applicants will be notified of the selection process outcome within two working weeks of receiving confirmation of their submission, but no later than 17 May 2024.
- Applicants are sent a formal email informing them of the committee's decision and the reasons underlying this.
- At this point they are also sent an invoice or options for payment for the participation in the programme.

#### Note:

All direct communication regarding the application/assessment procedure will be through Erasmus Training Centre, Jakarta.

### PRE-DOCTORAL PROGRAMME 2024

Course date: Mon 10 - Sat 15 June 2024

Schedule: 8.00-17.00 WIB

Group size: max. 30 students

Course language: English

Location: Erasmus Training Centre

Jl. H.R. Rasuna Said No. Kav. S-3

Kuningan Timur, Setiabudi

Jakarta Selatan 12950

*(Located on the compound of the Embassy of  
the Kingdom of the Netherlands)*

Course fee: IDR 4,950,000

*(including course materials, certificate  
& ETC merchandise)*

**Applications close: 15 May 2024**

In total maximum 2 FULL scholarships, each worth  
IDR 4.950.000, will be awarded by the PhD-Consortium  
Indonesia to promising research proposals!

Announcement of awarded scholarships: 17 May 2024

First name:

Last name:

Date of birth:

Place of birth:

Email address:

Phone number:

Status:  Current PhD student  Potential PhD student

To which Dutch university do you intend to apply or have already applied for your PhD trajectory?

For students who are already accepted/registered at a Dutch University:

Specify the name of the Faculty and/or  
Department in which you are registered:

Provide the name of your main supervisor:

Please send (proof of) the additional  
requirements along with this form to:  
[info@erasmustrainingcentre.com](mailto:info@erasmustrainingcentre.com)

Complete applications must be  
received no later than 15 May 2024



### PHD RESEARCH OUTLINE – TEMPLATE

Up to 800 words, 1 page excluding references (Word file)

*Attention: applications which do not follow the template for PhD research outline provided below will be automatically rejected!*

Name and date

Title of your research

Background

- *Introduction to your PhD research topic*

Problem statement and research justification

- *What is the problem you want to study?*
- *Why is it important to address this problem?*

Main research question

Research methodology

- *Brief overview of proposed methodological approach, if available already*

References

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