

European University Institute programme

Application round 2024

Criteria

The main criteria for admission to the doctoral programme are:

- You have successfully obtained a university doctoral degree or master's degree.
- You have proven good command of English (IELTS, TOEFL or Cambridge at C1 level) and in some cases one of the other official languages of the institute (Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, German or French).
- You have Dutch nationality or you meet the rules for receiving Dutch student finance at the time of the application. Visit the [DUO website](#) for more information.
- The research you want to do must fit into the research plan of one of the faculties of the EUI.
- For all criteria, please visit the EUI website.

If you are admitted to the doctoral programme, you will also be selected for the corresponding research grant. This is a grant to cover the costs for years 1 to 3 of the doctoral programme and is financed by the Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science and administered by Nuffic.

If you are admitted to the fourth year, you will receive a grant from the EUI.

Read here the obligations and conditions that apply to years 1 to 3:

[Obligations for scholarship holders](#)

You can contact the EUI for terms and conditions related to year four.

Integrity code of conduct

Nuffic or programmes managed by Nuffic may not be involved in activities involving unacceptable behaviour. It may involve interpersonal or financial violations or abuse of power. Nuffic has an Integrity Code of Conduct to combat unacceptable behaviour. In addition to this, activities involving the following situations/behavior are considered unacceptable:

- bankruptcy, insolvency or liquidation proceedings;
- non-compliance with obligations to pay taxes or social security contributions;
- money laundering or terrorist financing;
- terrorist crimes or crimes related to terrorist activities;
- irregularities;
- setting up an empty company;
- be a shell company.

Those who receive a scholarship or grant through a programme managed by Nuffic are expected to endorse and comply with this code of conduct.

[Read our Code of Conduct](#) (in English).

Scholarship amount

- Monthly allowance of € 1,717 for three years.
- Monthly contribution to health insurance.
- Annual travel allowance (contribution to travel expenses).
- You do not pay tuition fees.
- Your partner and children may also be eligible for compensation. See the above-mentioned 'obligations for scholarship holders' for more information.

How to apply

The application for admission to the EUI doctoral programme is at the same time the application for the research grant. You must submit your application (for the doctoral programme) and all required documents through an online application form from EUI.

Visit the European University Institute website for all the necessary information and for the online application form.

- You apply for this grant no later than 31 January before the start of the following academic year.
- Do you have questions about the EUI scholarship programme? View the [EUI FAQs](#) or send an email to eui@nuffic.nl.

After registration

After the deadline, the applications will be checked if they are complete and whether they meet the conditions for the scholarship. In March you will be informed by the EUI whether or not you will be invited for a selection interview.

The result of the application for admission is expected to be final in May. The EUI informs Nuffic which candidates have been admitted.