

The Hague Matching Day Preparatory Assignment

International Public Management

Fulltime

27 June 2019



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Why do we organize The Hague Matching Days?

Thank you for registering with a study programme at The Hague University of Applied Sciences. We would like to invite you to The Hague Matching Days. The aim of this activity is to give you a good idea of the content and the level of the programme. You will also meet future lecturers and fellow students. At the end of the day you will have an evaluation. We call this the Study Choice Check. After this you will decide if this is the right programme for you.

Preparatory Assignment

To get to know your interests and motivation to study IPM we ask you to respond to the questions starting on the next page. All answers will be kept strictly confidential. Once you have made this assignment you upload the filled questionnaire to Osiris – see the instructions below. We request that you also take a printed version to our The Hague Matching Day.

The assignment also applies to (international) students who are unable to come to our Matching Day. If you cannot be in The Hague on 27 June, indicate this in the questionnaire. We cannot guarantee but aim to arrange online feedback for international students and will inform you about the options if this applies to you.

We hope that all students will enjoy the personal reflection triggered by the questions. For all students starting the programme after the summer, the Assignment has another purpose: It helps your mentor (one IPM lecturer who'll be assigned to give you study guidance) to get to know you better.

We look forward to seeing (most of) you on Thursday 27 June!

How do I hand in the assignment?

Does your name and student number feature on your assignment (which starts on the next page)? Then save this as a PDF document. Upload this PDF document in Osiris. When signing up in Studielink you received an e-mail with your student number, your log-in information and the link to [Osiris Registration](#).

After logging in you can see the programme(s) you are enrolled for. Select The Hague Matching Days 2019 for the programme "International Public Management / IPM" and click 'further'. Answer the questions on the screen, upload the assignment and submit it. You will receive an automatic confirmation by e-mail.

Questions?

Do you have questions or is something not entirely clear? Please email Elizabeth Joss at e.joss@hhs.nl



Elizabeth Joss
Year 1 Coordinator of the IPM programme

International Public Management – Assignment for The Hague Matching Days

Personal details:

First name	
Last name	
Student number	

Presence at Matching Day

I will attend the IPM Matching Day in The Hague on 27 June 19	Mark your answer with X :				Comment:
	Yes		Perhaps	No	

Educational background:

What is your prior education? Kindly put an X in front of any category that applies to you.	School types in the Netherlands:	MBO
		HAVO
		VWO
		HBO – namely this programme:
	Other, namely:	
	School types in other countries:	International baccalaureate or equivalent
Other, namely:		

Expectation:

Please describe in approximately 100 words what you know about the International Public Management programme. Mention the information sources (website, Open Day, trial study sessions, etc) you used.

Motivation

Please describe your motivation in approximately 200 words. In your answer, please discuss 'pull factors' as well as potential concerns:

- Why you have chosen to study at The Hague University of Applied Sciences?
- What inspired you to choose IPM? Name two factors that have influenced your choice and made you think that this programme is the right one for you
- Have you doubted whether IPM will suit you? What kind of alternative have you considered?

Professional perspectives

What do you think you could do after getting a degree in IPM? What type of job would you possibly like to have? For what type of institution would you like to work?

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What are you good at? Put an **X** in the cell that applies

Subject	Good	Average	Poor	Don't know
Current affairs and international politics				
Speaking in English				
Writing in English				
Dealing with data and statistics				
Dealing with diverse people and cultures				
Organizing events and activities				
Working with others in team-work				
Working by oneself, being well-organized as a student				

Characteristics

What kind of person are you? How would your best friends describe you? Please tell us a bit about yourself and your background.

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Allocation of time

How much time do you expect to spend on other activities next to studying?	For hobbies:		hours per week
	For sports:		
	For a side job:		
	For other commitments:		

How much time per week do you expect to spend on studying IPM? Mark with an X the cell that applies.	Up to 20:		hours per week
	20-30:		
	30-40:		
	Over 40:		

Finally

What kind of information are you lacking about your study choice? What kind of feedback or advice would you like to get? What would you want to get out of the Matching Day?

Thanks for your time!