

University of Applied Sciences Utrecht



The Netherlands

The Department for Speech and Language Therapy in Utrecht is more than 80 years old, and is part of the University of Applied Sciences Utrecht.

Prerequisites:

The Netherlands has a binary system of higher education, which means there are two types of programmes: research-oriented education, traditionally offered by research universities, and professional higher education, traditionally offered by hogescholen, or universities of applied sciences.

The two programmes of general education that grant admission to a university of applied sciences are diploma's of "havo" or "vwo" or completion of mbo programmes at level 4. A screening of the candidate's own speech and voice are part of the requirements.

Yearly intake:

About 90 students start every year in the first year of our programme. Some 30 students (who successfully finished at least the first year of another study at a research university or university of applied sciences) enrol in the second year of our programme.

The content of the studies and the degree:

Our programme consists in a theoretical and clinical part.

Students learn about disorders in speech, language, voice, hearing and swallowing, both in children and adults. They are trained to work in health care institutions, schools, free practices and business sector.

The programme is 240 ECTS (4 years) and leads to a bachelor degree.

For more information:

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