

## **Radboud Encouragement Scholarship**

Please write a motivation letter according to this format and upload it to your OSIRIS Application. The motivation letter is mandatory when applying for the Radboud Encouragement Scholarship. Questions: <a href="mailto:scholarships@ru.nl">scholarships@ru.nl</a>

## **Motivation letter**

The motivation letter for the scholarship needs to be a different letter than the one you already uploaded as part of your application for the Master's programme. It should explain why you need this scholarship in order to be able to attend Radboud University.

## Please write a motivation letter of maximum 1 page (500 words).

- 1. Introduction of who you are, tell us about your (and your family's) socioeconomic background
- 2. Explain why you do not have sufficient funds to study at Radboud University. For example:
- You do not have personal funds available
- You do not have parents or guardians who are able to support you financially
- You do not have access to (other) grants
- You do not have access to subsidised loans
- 3. Let us know why you believe that you deserve this scholarship.

This table gives a detailed overview of average costs of a non-EU/EEA master student per year:

Average expenses per year* (€)	Expenses
Tuition fee (2022-2023)	11,500 to 22,000,-
Study books and materials	1,000
Living expenses (food, clothes)	4,000
Accommodation	5,500
Insurance (health & liability)	600
Visa and residence permit	200
Contingencies (travel, phone etc.)	500
Total	23,300 to 33,800
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