

Global and Development Studies – Master level

Semester package for study activities

The Department of Social Science & Business welcomes exchange students to join our International Study Programme in Social Sciences

Semesters at Roskilde University

- A semester at Roskilde University is always 30 ECTS a course package is equivalent to 30 ETCS
- All students must complete a project of 10/15 ECTS and course activities of 20/15 ECTS

Choose a semester package

If you choose a package you will benefit from:

- No overlap in lectures and exams
- Your activities will most likely be with the same group of fellow students
- Project and courses within each package work together in order to give you more than each activity gives on its own

Flexibility

If you need to mix study activity across fields of study/packages, it is possible, however:

- You are liable to check for overlap in lectures and exams (dates available in December)
- You have to choose 1 project and at least 1 course from the same field of study

Notice

Please note that study activity offer is confirmed but course information is being updated and can change until it opens by 01 December for RUC students to choose for the spring semester.

Group formation

A project is always group work ongoing throughout the semester. The project starts with a group formation process in the beginning of the semester. The group formation process is facilitated by academic staff in order to find a specific topic and group members within the field of study. It is not possible to do a project alone or to do a semester without a project if there is a project is within the semester package.

Exam period

Project exams are oral group exams held in the project exam period (always the last 2 weeks of the semester).

Spring semester – (01 February - 30 June 2025):

Field of Study:	idy: Global and Development Studies, Master level – Package 1			ECTS:
Activity code:	Name of activity:	Link to further info:	Study level: MA	30
60121	Project: Project 2 in Economic and Social Contestation (10 ECTS)	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35117	Master level, semester 1/2	10
60119	Course: Power, Conflict and Justice	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35111	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60115	Course: Foundation Course in Global and Development Studies	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35105	Master level, semester 1/2	10
	choose 1 of below courses			
60712	Advanced Methodology Course: Mixed Method Research	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35213	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60386	Advanced Methodology Course: Discourse Analysis	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35207	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60714	Advanced Methodology Course: International Negotiations	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35215	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60719	Advanced Methodology Course: Surveys and Experimental Methods	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35217	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60720	Advanced Methodology Course: Quantitative Text Analysis for Social Scientists	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35218	Master level, semester 1/2	5
60721	Advanced Methodology Course: Case Study Methods and Process Tracing	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35219	Master level, semester 1/2	5

See package 2 below



Field of Study:	Global and Development Studies, Master level - Package 2			ECTS:
Activity code:	Name of activity:	Link to further info:	Study level: MA	30
60124	Project: Project 3 in Current Global and Development Challenges Project	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35116	Master level, semester 3	10
60123	Course: Policy Analysis	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35103	Master level, semester 3	5
	choose 1 of below courses			
60712	Advanced Methodology Course: Mixed Method Research	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35213	Master level, semester 1/3	5
60386	Advanced Methodology Course: Discourse Analysis	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35207	Master level, semester 1/3	5
60714	Advanced Methodology Course: International Negotiations	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35215	Master level, semester 1/3	5
60719	Advanced Methodology Course: Surveys and Experimental Methods	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35217	Master level, semester 1/3	5
60720	Advanced Methodology Course: Quantitative Text Analysis for Social Scientists	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35218	Master level, semester 1/3	5
60721	Advanced Methodology Course: Case Study Methods and Process Tracing	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35219	Master level, semester 1/3	5
	choose 1 of below courses			
60739	Course: Global Energy Politics	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35302	Master level, semester 3	10
60710	Course: Governing Global (In)Security	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35208	Master level, semester 3	10
60711	Course: Social protection and state-society relations in a global perspective	https://study.ruc.dk/class/view/35210	Master level, semester 3	10

Course catalogue

You can find the full course catalogue, course descriptions and final schedules at the RUC course database from June: http://study.ruc.dk (Select semester (Spring semester 2025) - Master/Global and Development Studies)

Until 01 June study activities for the upcoming academic year will only be available via the links provided above. If you would like to browse in all RUC study activities, you will find it in our course catalogue (http://study.ruc.dk), however you will have to check autumn/spring semester the year prior for inspiration prior to June. Normally, course offers will be similar from autumn to autumn semesters – spring to spring semesters.

