

**SDEV2MC**

2015 - 2016

Advanced Master in Public Health: Health and  
Development**At Bruxelles Woluwe - 60 credits - 1 year - Day schedule - In french**Dissertation/Graduation Project : **YES** - Internship : **NO**Activities in English: **NO** - Activities in other languages : **NO**Activities on other sites : **NO**Main study domain : **Sciences de la santé publique**Organized by: **Faculté de santé publique (FSP)**Programme code: **sdev2mc** - Francophone Certification Framework: 7**Table of contents**

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## SDEV2MC - Introduction

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## SDEV2MC - Teaching profile

### Learning outcomes

This course proposes solutions to improve problems of public health in developing countries. It is based on an integrated approach to health problems and responds to the priority needs of populations in the Southern hemisphere since the knowledge that students can acquire on the course is usually directly applicable to the context of these countries.

By the end of their training, students are able to analyze the determining factors and measure the importance of health problems in developing countries ; to define priorities relating to health and development ; to design, implement and assess relevant health and medico-social intervention strategies and to contribute to the implementation of intersectoral policies and programmes relating to development. In this way, students who have already had professional responsibilities in a health district or a regional department, will be able to organize health and care services that are more effective, efficient and fair.

### Programme structure

The study programme comprises 477.5 hours of class, seminars and practical work.

The study programme is worth 60 credits and is organized as follows:

Introduction to public health, 3 credits (30 hours);

Quantitative methods, 16 credits (177.5 hours);

Health policies and systems, 16 credits (150 hours);

Health promotion, 4 credits (45 hours);

Tackling public health problems, 5 credits (75 hours);

Final dissertation, 16 credits;

With the help of one of the coordinators, students must draw up a programme of study which is in line with the arrangements outlined below and have it approved by the programme management committee.

The language of instruction is French. A passive knowledge of scientific English is an added advantage. If necessary, remedial courses may be authorized by the programme management committee.

The compulsory and recommended courses are organized at the campuses of UCL – Brussels, ULB and ULg in groups of a whole day at a single campus to avoid unnecessary travelling.

Students benefit, where possible, from access to the various structures of the three Schools of Public Health as well as to the resources available to students of the three Faculties of Medicine at these three campuses.

[> Core courses](#) [ [en-prog-2015-sdev2mc-wsdev200t.html](#) ]

## SDEV2MC Detailed programme

### Programme by subject

#### CORE COURSES

● Mandatory

△ Courses not taught during 2015-2016

⊕ Periodic courses taught during 2015-2016

⊗ Optional

⊙ Periodic courses not taught during 2015-2016

■ Activity with requisites

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

● WSDEV2210	<a href="#">Introduction à la santé publique</a>	N.	68h	5 Credits	1q
● WSDEV2211	<a href="#">Méthodes quantitatives en santé publique</a>	N.	44h+38h	5 Credits	1q

○ WSDEV2212	Intégration des méthodes quantitatives en santé publique	N.	28h+22h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2213	Outils quantitatifs en santé publique	N.	30h	5 Credits	1q
○ WSDEV2214	Politiques et planification	N.	45h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2215	Systèmes de santé	N.	30h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2216	Séminaires de santé publique internationale	N.	60h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2217	Prise en charge des problèmes de santé publique	N.	105h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2218	Aspects sociaux de la santé	N.	45h	5 Credits	2q
○ WSDEV2219	Mémoire	N.		15 Credits	2q

## The programme's courses and learning outcomes

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For each UCL training programme, a [reference framework of learning outcomes](#) specifies the competences expected of every graduate on completion of the programme. You can see the contribution of each teaching unit to the programme's reference framework of learning outcomes in the document "In which teaching units are the competences and learning outcomes in the programme's reference framework developed and mastered by the student?"

The document is available by clicking [this link](#) after being authenticated with UCL account.

## SDEV2MC - Information

### Admission

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*In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail*

Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the landscape of higher education and the academic organization of studies.

The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the University.

#### General requirements

Subject to the general requirements laid down by the academic authorities, admission to the specialized Master's degree programme will be granted to students who fulfil the entry requirements for studies leading to the award of a Master's (second-cycle) degree and who hold a second-cycle diploma, degree, certificate or other qualification issued within or outside the French Community of Belgium, or whose prior learning or experience has been accredited by the Examination Board as being equivalent to at least 300 credits.

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#### Specific Admission Requirements

Special procedures :

This training is designed for university level students working in the health sector in developing countries and to the higher levels in public health, doctors and health centre managers.

This Advanced Master is open to holders of Belgian Master's degree of 120 credits (or a 'licence' degree from the French Community) and also to holders of a foreign academic title or degree recognized as equivalent to the 120 Masters awarded by the French Community or validated by the panel as being worth at least 300 credits.

For studies completed abroad which do not come to a total of 300 credits, applications to join the Advanced Master are subject to the approval of a panel who will consider the quality and content of the training done abroad and may validate it at the 300 credit level.

Entry to this course cannot be gained through the special procedure for accrediting prior learning and experience known as VAE (validation des acquis de l'expérience).

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#### Accessible to adults

This Master is mainly designed for adults already working in the field of health.

Professional experience of public health in developing countries is required.

## Teaching method

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The course covers the whole field of public health, both relating to health policies and systems, quantitative and qualitative methods and tackling public health problems ; all this is done through classes, practical work and seminars.

Students must do individual or group interdisciplinary work, must be able to organize their activities and work in a team, and take a critical approach to the content of publications (methodologies and results) and on working methods. The topic of certain pieces of work may be chosen according to each student's personal experience.

## Evaluation

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The evaluation methods comply with the [regulations concerning studies and exams](#). More detailed explanation of the modalities specific to each learning unit are available on their description sheets under the heading "Learning outcomes evaluation method".

Oral and written examinations and supervised work.

In addition, there are various methods of self-assessment :

- anonymous, written feedback on the teaching, gathered annually
- meetings of the Management Committee
- a meeting with all the teaching staff and students at the end of the academic year, after the examinations.

## Mobility and/or Internationalisation outlook

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Le master est ouvert aux étudiants des pays en développement.

## Contacts

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### Curriculum Management

Entite de la structure FSP

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Commissions de programme	Commission de programme du master complémentaire en Santé et développement ( <b>MCSD</b> )
	Commission de programme du master complémentaire en médecine du travail ( <b>MDTE</b> )
	Commission de programme du master en santé publique, finalité approfondie ( <b>MSPA</b> )
	Commission de programme du master en santé publique, finalité spécialisée ( <b>MSPS</b> )

**Academic Supervisor :**

**Jury:**

Président du jury d'examens : [Annie Robert](#)

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