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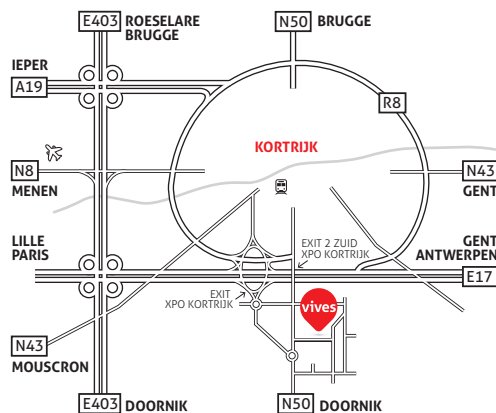
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Double Degree in International Social Work

ONE Course - TWO Universities -
TWO bachelor's degrees



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Social studies

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Are you interested

- to study in multicultural and interdisciplinary settings;
- to understand the complex interconnectedness of national and global realities;
- to investigate the intergenerational impact of social problems on individuals, families and communities; and,
- to work in your own country as well as in other parts of the world?

The double degree in International Social Work invites you to join the program!

What is a double degree in International Social Work?

VIVES University of Applied Sciences in Kortrijk, Belgium and the Protestant University of Applied Sciences in Ludwigsburg, Germany jointly offer a seven-semester bachelor's degree in International Social Work. This means:

- For VIVES-students: 5 semesters in VIVES Belgium, two semesters in EH Germany.
- For EH-students: 5 semesters in EH Germany, two semesters in VIVES Belgium.

At the end of the study program, students from Belgium and Germany are awarded a dual recognition of their academic qualification by both universities.

A double degree in International Social Work will prepare students in a broad range of knowledge and competence that equip them to deal with the demands of a globalized world where social problems seem intractable and insurmountable.

What to expect?

- Project Study (practical experience in an organization/theory and supervision);
- Inspiring Field Visits;
- International Work Experience;
- Community based participatory research;
- Courses about:
 - International organisations & Civil Society;
 - Contemporary Challenges in International Social Work: Global Health, demographic changes and identity, ...
 - The Gender Perspective in International Social Work;
 - Inclusion and Exclusion within a Comparative International Context;

- Models in Community Development;
- Peace education and building cultures of non-violence;

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These themes will be incorporated in a regular social work curriculum as a preparation for students who might choose to seek employment with international advocacy organizations working with individuals, groups, families and communities. Graduates will have opportunities to acquire competences necessary for social work practice in their own country or international social work in other parts of the world.

Study Program

	VIVES – KORTRIJK	EH- LUDWIGSBURG	
Semester 1 National language	VIVES Students	EH Students	
Semester 2 National language	VIVES Students	EH Students	
Semester 3 English		EH + VIVES students in Ludwigsburg	
Semester 4 National Language	VIVES Students	EH Students	
Semester 5 English	EH + VIVES students in Kortrijk		
Semester 6 English	EH + VIVES students in Kortrijk		OFFICIAL BELGIAN BACHELOR'S DEGREE
Semester 7 English		EH + VIVES students in Ludwigsburg	OFFICIAL GERMAN BACHELOR'S DEGREE in international social work