

# MASTER OF EPIDEMIOLOGY (MEPI)

## VLIR-UOS scholarship application form

**Academic Year 2024-2025**

The Flemish Inter-University Council (VLIR-UOS) awards scholarships to students from countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America to follow a Master's program at a Flemish university or university college in Belgium. The scholarship covers all expenses related to the studies. For detailed information and eligibility requirements, please check the [VLIR-UOS website](https://www.vlir-uos.org/). Prior to completing this application form, please also consult the admission requirements of the Master programme. Only candidates who meet all academic and scholarship admissions requirements should apply.

### Scholarship Application Procedure

- This application form is only for the VLIR-UOS scholarship. You need to submit this form via the online application system, Mobility Online together with all other required documents as stated on the MEPI website ([www.uantwerp.be/master-epidemiology](https://www.uantwerp.be/master-epidemiology)) before 1 March 2024 at the latest.
- The Academic Selection Committee pre-selects 20 candidates who fit all scholarship and selection criteria, and who demonstrate the highest academic preparedness/potential necessary to succeed in the Master's program.
- Applicants will be informed of the result of the deliberation via email.
- In total 10 applicants will be nominated for the scholarship (A-list), and 10 will be nominated for the waiting list (B-list). This will then be submitted to VLIR-UOS by 30 April 2024 for further screening and approval. Applicants who are awarded the scholarship funding, as well as selected for the waiting list will be contacted by VLIR-UOS by 15 May 2024 at the latest.

## Part 1 PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name	
Last Name	
Date of Birth (day-month-year)	
Current Nationality	
Current Residency	
Civil Status (married-single-divorced-etc)	
Number of children	

Name of higher education institution HEI	
HEI: Private or public	

## Part 2 SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION

You are hereby applying for a VLIR-UOS scholarship for the Master of Epidemiology (MEPI), academic year 2024-2025. The information given below must be accurate and complete. The candidate's application record will be verified. Kindly note that applications that are incomplete, illegible, or reach the admission office after the deadline will be automatically rejected.

### Required scholarship criteria:

- ☐ I am a national AND resident of one of the countries on the [VLIR-UOS country list](#) (not necessarily the same country for residence and nationality) at the time of application:
- ☐ I will not be older than 35 years on 1 January 2024.
- ☐ This is the only VLIR-UOS scholarship I am applying for this year (2024).
- ☐ I have never before received a VLIR-UOS scholarship to attend a Master scholarship funded by the Belgian government
- ☐ I will not in any way benefit and/or be involved in a VLIR-UOS sponsored IUS or TEAM project, nor another DGD-sponsored project during my scholarship.

### Terms and agreement

- ☐ I hereby certify that the information provided in this form is accurate and complete. I understand that inaccurate, incomplete or misleading information may affect my enrolment. Misrepresentation of this information is grounds for admissions denial or even expulsion from the University of Antwerp. In case of a VLIR-UOS scholarship, this will lead to immediate cancellation of the scholarship.
- ☐ I am aware that my application is not valid without the required application documents. I am aware that my application will be rejected in case it is incomplete, illegible, or submitted after the deadline.

Date  Country

A scanned signature is allowed.