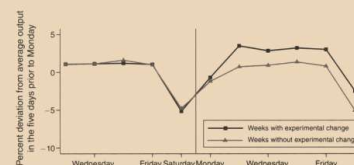
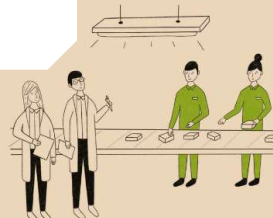


# Major-Minor in Forensic Psychology

**Introduction:** This major-minor focuses on answering questions like: Why do people show violent/sexual deviant behavior? How do people become the way they are, and what can we do about this?



## Courses Forensic Psychology

### Introduction to Forensic Psychology

#### Block 2

6 ECTS

In this course you learn what the role of psychology is in the justice system, how we can explain delinquent behaviour, how we can distinguish different offenders and how we can predict recidivism.

### Risk Assessment

#### Block 3

6 ECTS

This course provides an introduction to risk assessment: the process used to assess future criminal behaviour. It discusses different types of risk and protective factors and instruments used to assess recidivism.

### Criminality, Cognition and Personality

#### Block 4

6 ECTS

This course takes a closer look at the role of personality/individual differences in the explanation of antisocial and violent behaviour. It further examines the aspects that are related to an increased risk of crime.

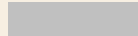
### Psychological Assessment

#### Block 1

6 ECTS – Only Major

In this course you learn about theoretical knowledge and professional experiences that are offered in the field of psychodiagnostics research.

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## Subsequent Master's programs

*Main language: English*

- Clinical Neuropsychology
- Positive Psychology and Well-being\*
- RM Individual Differences and Assessment
- RM Social and Behavioural Sciences

*Main language: Dutch*

- Clinical Forensic Psychology
- Clinical Psychology
- Medical Psychology
- Clinical Child and Youth Psychology

## Career perspectives

- Forensic psychologist
- Institutional psychologist
- Psychodiagnostic supervisor
- Ambulatory attendant
- Sociotherapist/Group leader
- Patiënt supervisor

NOTE: From 2025/2026 onwards, the Positive Psychology and Well-being track will be a Social Psychology master. You need to fulfill the admission criteria for the Social Psychology master in order to be eligible for this track.

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