Tilburg University
Summer School
Social Program 2019
Preface
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Welcome to Tilburg University! We have prepared a diverse and fun-packed social program for you in order to make TUSS 2019 an unforgettable experience.

In this booklet, you can find all the ins and outs about the activities and where and when to meet. We hope to see you at our activities! Enjoy your summer at Tilburg University Summer School!

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Join our Facebook page TUSS 2019 for up to date information about the social program and to stay in touch with other summer school participants. Visit our website for more information.

University Map

Important locations
A - Academia  D - Dante  E - Esplanade  O - Sports Center  S - Station

See our Tilburg University Summer School Facebook

www.tilburguniversity.nl/summerschool
Social Program

What do we offer?

**Basic Activities**
Basic activities are free for all TUSS participants. These activities range from theme parties to international dinners. Make sure you attend these activities to make your summer school experience an unforgettable experience!

**Optional Activities**
Optional activities are not covered by the basic social program fee. These activities require a small additional fee to cover their costs. You can sign up for these activities when you register for your summer course. Forgot to sign up when you registered? Send us an email at summerschool@tilburguniversity.edu and we’ll make sure you can join these activities!

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Basic | Optional
Arrival Day
Getting settled in Tilburg

Once you arrive at the university, we will be there to help you get settled as quickly as possible. Please come to the Academia building to check in. We will then take you to collect your room key and show you to your room.

When: Thursday 4 July
Where: Academia building @ Tilburg University Campus

Welcome Day
A warm welcome

During the welcome day you will get to know Tilburg University. You will receive a welcome bag including all the essentials you will need for life in Tilburg. We will also show you around campus and we will help you with renting a bike for the summer. We will end with some drinks so you can meet our summer school mentors and get to know your fellow students!

When: Friday 5 July
Where: Meet at Academia building @ Tilburg University Campus
Salsa Workshop
Feel the rhythm

Put on your dancing shoes and get those hips moving. We will organize a workshop where you will learn how to dance Salsa. Let’s come together to enjoy this dance and music that we love so much. Que viva la salsa!

When: Friday 5 July
Where: Meet at Academia building @ Tilburg University Campus

I*ESN Theme Parties
Dance the night away

Tilburg’s biggest international student organization, I*ESN Tilburg, hosts some of the best theme parties in the city. In their bar, Carpe Noctem, I*ESN Tilburg will organize two theme parties especially for you. Dress up and bottoms up, because these nights will be unforgettable!

When: Friday 5 July & 12 July
Where: Carpe Noctem @ City Center
Tilburg Tour
Get to know Tilburg

Find your way around Tilburg and discover some of its hidden gems. During this tour, our summer school mentors will show you around Tilburg and will tell you all about their favorite spots in the city while you get to enjoy some local specialties.

When: Saturday 6 July
Where: Meet at Academia building @ Tilburg University Campus

Bring your bike!

Summer BBQ
Let’s grill and chill

No summer is complete without a barbecue! Celebrate the summer with food, drinks and great company. Get to know your new classmates, or say goodbye to your new friends during the Start and End of Summer BBQ’s.

When: Saturday 6 July & Friday 26 July
La Trappe Brewery
Become a beer expert!

Close to Tilburg, you will find The Koningshoeven Brewery. Under the supervision of the abbey monks, the La Trappe beer is brewed here, between the four walls of the Trappist monastery. Have you always wanted to know how beer is brewed? Join us on this trip to the La Trappe brewery. During a tour of the brewery we will be introduced to all aspects of the production process and all the characteristic buildings on the abbey premises. Of course, we will also taste the delicious Trappist beers.

When: Sunday 7 July
Where: Meet at Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbernelaan 10 or join us at Tilburg Central Station @ City Center

Tilburg by Boat
Get to know Tilburg

Are you curious to see a different side of Tilburg? Explore Tilburg from the water for a real summer experience. While enjoying a drink and some snacks, we will have a nice, sunny boat tour in and around Tilburg.

When: Saturday 13 July
Where: Meet at Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbernelaan 10 or join us at Tilburg Central Station @ City Center
Safaripark Beekse Bergen
Join us on safari!

The Beekse Bergen takes the concept zoo to a whole new level. This park mimics its animal’s natural habitat by recreating African landscapes. The park is home to over 150 different animal species and you can go on safari by foot, bus, boat or even a combination of all three! Go on safari with us and look into the eyes of wild animals while enjoying the beautiful nature of Safaripark Beekse Bergen.

When: Sunday 14 July
Where: Meet at Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbernelaan 10

International Potluck & Pubquiz
Sharing food and culture

This night is all about sharing! The concept of a potluck is this: everyone brings a dish and we will all share. We will provide cutlery, plates and drinks, and you will bring a traditional dish from your home country. This way, we will all get to taste food from all over the world! Then, we will split up into teams and test your general knowledge during a pubquiz.

When: Friday 19 July
Where: Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbernelaan 10

Bring your favorite dish from home!
**Citytrip Amsterdam**

**Capital of the Netherlands**

Being the capital of the Netherlands, Amsterdam is one city you definitely want to visit! This city is famous for its museums, its canals and the beautiful Vondelpark. The city breathes diversity and its people are incredibly creative. Our mentors will take you to visit the sights and we will go to the Anne Frank Museum, where we will learn more about the story of Anne Frank, a girl who had to go into hiding during World War II.

When: Sunday 21 July

Where: Meet at Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbernelaan 10

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**Pink Monday**

**Join the party in Pink**

Pink Monday, in Dutch ‘Roze Maandag’, is the most popular theme day of the yearly funfair in Tilburg. Pink Monday has become one of the largest events giving attention to LGBTQ rights in the Netherlands. It is about acceptance, tolerance and bringing people together. This results in very fun day with lots of music, drinking, dressing in pink and having fun. Join us for a night out and don’t forget: wear something pink!

When: Monday 22 July

Where: Carpe Noctem @ City Center
Movie Night under the Stars
Sit back and enjoy the show

Tonight we will go to the open-air cinema. We will watch a movie of your choice in the open air of the university park which we will transform into a cozy hangout spot. Of course there will be popcorn and other snacks as well as drinks. Would you like to vote on which movie will be shown? Visit our Tilburg University Summer School Facebook page and select or add your favorite movie to our Movie Night poll!

When: Wednesday 24 July
Where: Verbs 10 @ Professor Verbemelaan 10

Sports Center
Get competitive at the Sports Center

Do you want to work out during the summer? Visit the University Sports Center! The Sports Center is located within walking distance from the university campus and offers sports such as tennis, fitness, beach volleyball and squash. There will be virtual lessons all summer long. For 34 euros, you can buy a sports membership for the entire summer (1/7 - 31/8) or you can buy a daily pass for 7.50 euros. To register go to the information desk at the Sport Center.

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