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DR. MOISES DA COSTA GOMEZ

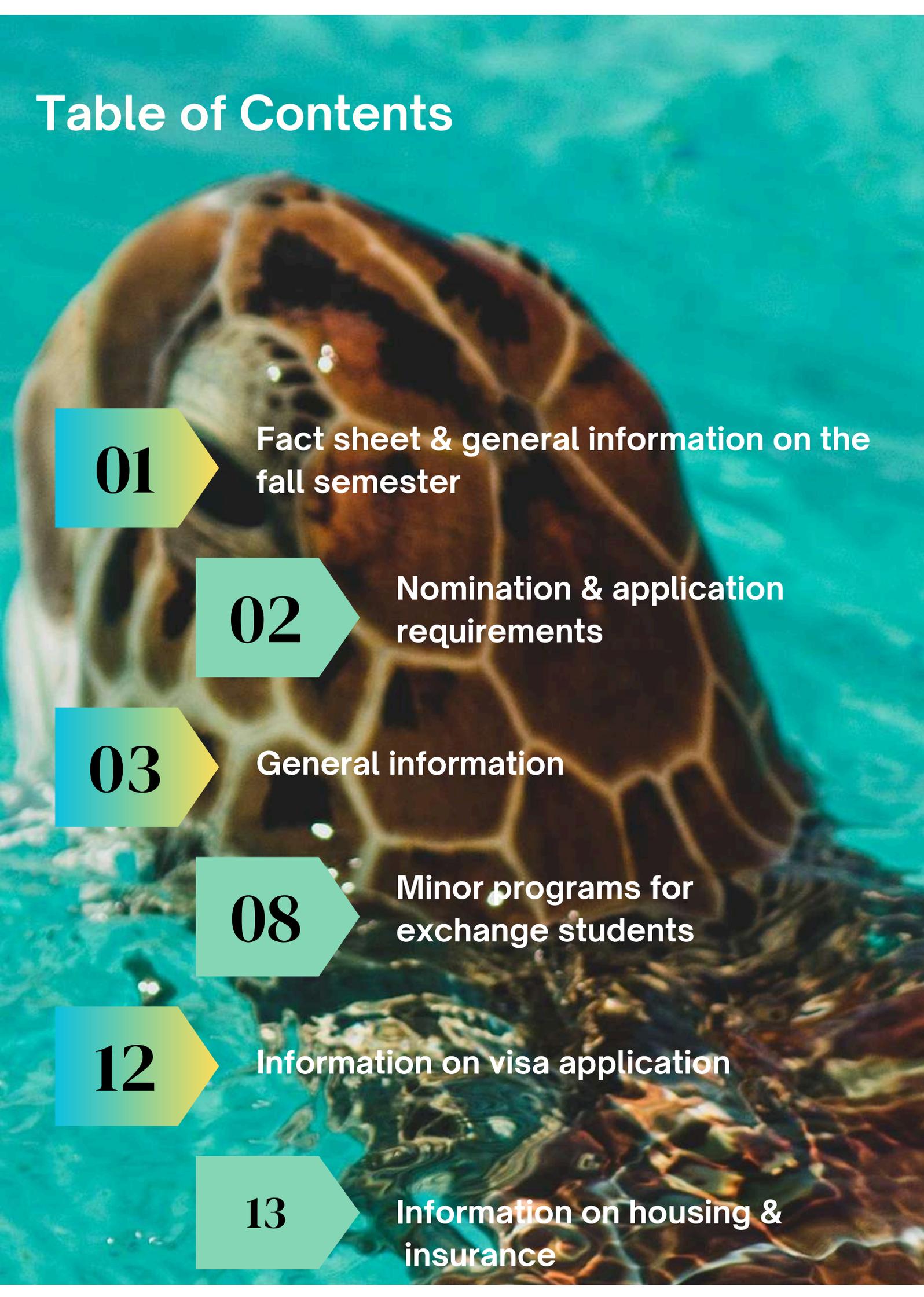
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**INCOMING
STUDENTS**

**FALL
2025**



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FACT SHEET

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**FALL SEMESTER:
September 2025 - February 2026**

Nomination Period

1st March - 1st May 2025

Application Period

15th April - 15th May 2025

Introduction Days

27th - 29th August 2025

Beginning of classes

1st September 2025

End of classes (+resits)

6th February 2026



NOMINATION INSTRUCTIONS

All students must be nominated by the International Office of his/her home university via our e-mail: internationaloffice@uoc.cw.

Freemovers can contact us directly via our e-mail internationaloffice@uoc.cw.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

The student will receive a list of requirements for the official application process. These requirements are:

- a filled out application form;
- a motivational letter;
- a copy of a valid passport;
- a digital picture in passport format.

Failure to send all the required documents for the application, before the deadline, will result in cancellation of the process.

GENERAL INFORMATION

CURAÇAO

Curaçao, or Kòrsou in the local language Papiamentu, is an island in the southern Caribbean Sea, off the northern coast of Venezuela.

The territory of the Country of Curaçao includes the main island plus the small, uninhabited island of Klein Curaçao ("Little Curaçao").

Curaçao is a constituent country of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, and its capital is Willemstad.



MAP OF CURAÇAO III BY AVANTIA DAMBERG

CLIMATE

Curaçao has a tropical climate with a dry season from January to September and a wet season from October to December.

The temperatures are relatively constant with small differences throughout the year. The coldest month is January with an average temperature of 26.5 °C and the warmest month is September with an average temperature of 28.9 °C.

LANGUAGE

As part of the Dutch Kingdom, the official language is Dutch, but the most widely spoken language is Papiamentu. Moreover, English and Spanish are also widely spoken.

Papiamentu is largely based on colonial-era Portuguese, West-African languages and Spanish (including Judaeo-Portuguese), and has been influenced considerably by Dutch and Venezuelan Spanish.

NATIONAL HOLIDAYS

Curaçao has a wide tradition of celebrating the holidays.

The official holidays are:

- Carnaval
- Good Friday
- Easter Sunday and Monday
- King's Day (April 27)
- Labour Day (May 1)
- Ascension Day
- Flag Day (July 2)
- Autonomous Day (October 10)
- Christmas Day and second Christmas Day (December 25 & 26)
- New Year's Eve and New Year's Day

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

- In case of emergency:
Police: **911**
Ambulance: **912**
Coastguard: **913**
- General practitioner ('Huisartsenpost'): **9252**
(available from Mon to Fri from 5:00 PM to 8:00 AM, weekends and holidays)
- International Office: **+599 9 7243460 ext.150**

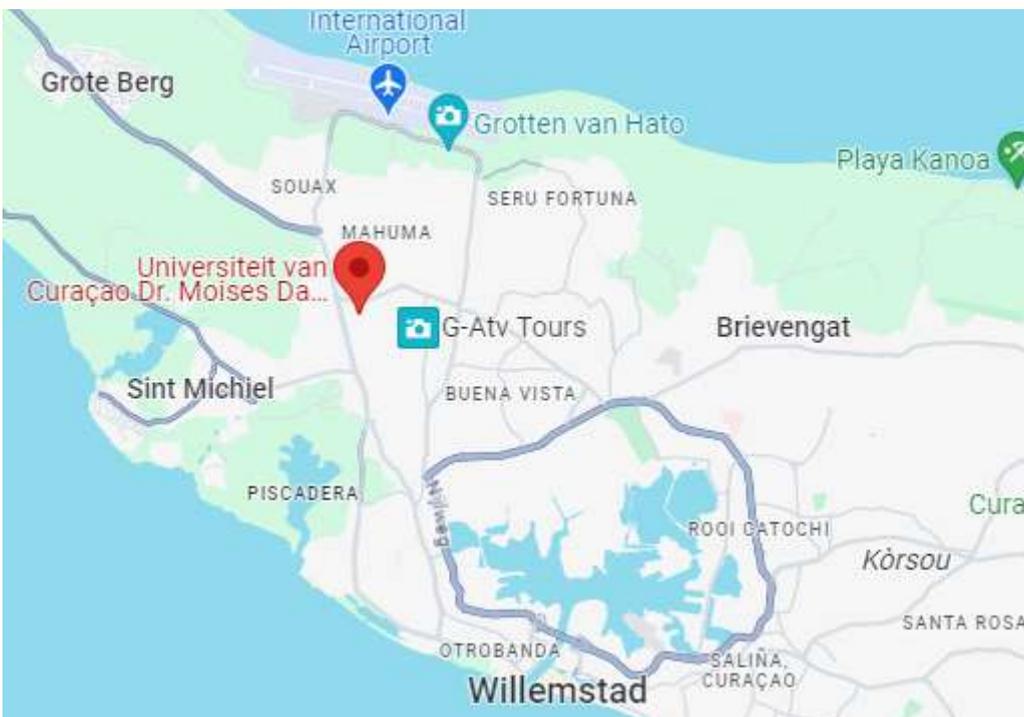
THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE TEAM

The UoC International Office consists of:

- **Elica Ras - International Office Manager**
- **Eunice Dolorita - International Office Coordinator**



LOCATION



The University of Curaçao is located northwest of the inner city and just a bit south of the airport.

The address is *Jan Noorduynweg 111*.

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & ECONOMICS

Note: The content of these minors are still subject to change and will only start if there are sufficient registrations

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: **ENGLISH**
EXAMINATION AND CREDIT: **30 ECTS**

MINOR INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

- Global Strategic Management 4 ECTS
- International Economics 4 ECTS
- Cross Cultural Negotiation 4 ECTS
- Process Management 4 ECTS
- International Financial Management 4 ECTS
- Human Rights and Globalization 4 ECTS
- Consumer Behavior Management 4 ECTS
- Personal & Professional Development 5 2 ECTS

MINOR LOCAL & GLOBAL MARKETING

- Integrated Marketing Communications 4 ECTS
- Design Thinking 4 ECTS
- Marketing Strategy 4 ECTS
- Sales Management 4 ECTS
- Marketing & Society 4 ECTS
- Customer Behavior Management 4 ECTS
- Brand Management 4 ECTS
- Personal & Professional Development 5 2 ECTS

MINOR HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

• New Hospitality Design & Facilities Development	4 ECTS
• Managerial Accounting for Hospitality	4 ECTS
• Insights into Consumer Behavior, Selling & Sales	5 ECTS
• Above, Beyond and Contemporary 3.0 (ABC)	1 ECTS
• Creative, Innovative & Design Thinking	5 ECTS
• I-Host Leadership	3 ECTS
• MEEC (Meetings, Exposition, Events & Convention) Management	6 ECTS
• Personal & Professional Development 5	2 ECTS

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Write a motivational letter of max. one A4 page. In this letter tell us:

- why you should be selected to participate in this minor;
- what do you expect to learn during this semester;
- what experience you have (e.g. through extra-curricular activities);
- remember to illustrate your experiences concretely with examples.

Email your motivational letter, CV and application to internationaloffice@uoc.cw. The deadline for applying for this minor is 15th of May 2025.



FACULTY OF SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

MINOR YOUTHCARE

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: **DUTCH**
EXAMINATION AND CREDIT: **30 ECTS**

This minor gives you insights into working in the youthcare sector in Curaçao. The emphasis is on providing assistance to young people and their families in various areas.

WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

You will learn how to deal with young people on Curaçao. Knowledge about different client groups, methods, interventions and psychosocial problems provide a clear picture of the work setting.

You will also learn which intervention techniques should be applied and you will become competent in the social counseling of young people and their families. You learn a lot about yourself, and you develop the communication and conversation skills you need in contact with young people and their families.

By doing research yourself with a problem, dilemma or problem from practice, you come into contact with young people and their families, and you make a contribution to this.

During the minor you follow the following modules:

- (Forensic) (Ortho) pedagogy
- Speaking skills and counseling methods
- Dealing with safety
- Personal development in youth care
- Practical (orientation) project



LEARNING GOALS

The learning objectives that are central during this minor are:

- At the end of the minor, you can describe different assistance methods within youth care and can apply the assistance methods in a practical setting.
- At the end of the minor you will have insight into the background of the complex problems of the clients in youth care and can you deal with them.
- At the end of the minor, you will have insight into theoretical backgrounds on violence and security and you can recognize unsafe situations and handle them professionally.
- At the end of the minor, you can make a contribution to youth care by doing research on a question, dilemma or problem from practice.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

This minor provides education at HBO exit level.

You can take the minor if:

- you are studying Social Work, SPH, MWD, Applied Psychology, SJD or Pedagogy;
- you have obtained all EC from the first and second year of study and you have obtained at least 50 EC in the third year;
- you work or want to work with clients with these complex problems.

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- what do you expect to learn during this semester;
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**E-mail your motivational letter, CV and application to internationaloffice@uoc.cw.
The deadline for applying for this minor is 15th of May 2025.**

VISA

All students from European countries (except NL) must apply for a student visa for a stay longer than 3 months.

The process to obtain the visa can be done online before arriving in Curaçao or by submitting the required documents within 20 days after arrival in Curaçao. All documents should be submitted directly to the immigration office.

The documents you will need to submit at the immigration office are:

- a completely filled out and signed application form;
- proof of payment for request "leges en contributie";
- a completely filled out and signed "studentenverklaring";
- copy of a valid passport;
- copy of a birth certificate, with a Apostille on the back (not older than 6 months);
- letter of acceptance at the University of Curaçao;
- proof of insurance;
- proof of sufficient financial resources (this can be a bank statement from the parents or from the institute that is in charge of paying the student's stay, food and transport during the exchange period. In case it's a parent sponsoring a copy of the ID of the parent must also be submitted);
- all forms for the request must be submitted directly at the immigration department via their online portal or through e-mail at: intake@immigrationcur.org.

The International Office can assist you by checking all the Visa application documents before submitting these and giving advice when needed.

HOUSING

The University of Curaçao offers housing on campus for students.

For more information, please contact our campus department at campus@uoc.cw.

There are also various places to stay on the island if you would like to stay off campus. The most recommendable areas in the vicinity of the University are:

- Julianadorp
- Otrobanda
- Punda

Feel free to contact the International Office for advice.

INSURANCE

All students must be adequately insured while studying at the University of Curaçao

You need:

- Health insurance to cover any medical costs you might need to pay while in Curaçao;
- Liability insurance, in case you accidentally injure someone or damage someone's property.

It is recommended to check your current health insurance coverage abroad and arrange an insurance if needed in your country of residence or in Curaçao

Feel free to contact for us if you have any doubts regarding insurance.





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