

Master Thesis - Roskilde University, UiT The Arctic University of Norway (University of Tromsø) and Malmö University

About the course

subject	Nordic Urban Planning Studies
activitytype	thesis
Teaching language	English
Registration	<p>Registration through STADS-Selvbetjening within the announced registration period, as you can see on the Studyadministration homepage.</p> <p>When registering for courses, please be aware of the potential conflicts between courses or exam dates on courses. The planning of course activities at Roskilde University is based on the recommended study programs which do not overlap. However, if you choose optional courses and/or study plans that goes beyond the recommended study programs, an overlap of lectures or exam dates may occur depending on which courses you choose.</p>
Expected work effort (ECTS-declaration)	Total: 810 hours
Head of studies/academic coordinator	Lasse Martin Koefoed (lmartin@ruc.dk)
Administration of exams	IMT Registration & Exams (imt-exams@ruc.dk)
Responsible for the activity	Lasse Martin Koefoed (lmartin@ruc.dk)
ECTS	30
Learning outcomes and assessment criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research-based knowledge of selected subject areas and understanding of and reflection on how one's own thesis research fits into its academic context• Knowledge and understanding of the academic genre and the academic target group to which the master's thesis is addressed• Proficiency in using and mastering scientific theories and methods while working with a defined, professional and relevant research question• Proficiency in identifying scientific research questions• Proficiency in analysing, categorising, discussing, arguing, reflecting and evaluating on a scientific basis• Proficiency in critically addressing and choosing scientific sources, literature, theory and methods• Proficiency in discussing and participating in academic argumentation• Proficiency in writing in accordance with academic standards and for an academic target group• Competences in independently initiating, managing and conducting a lengthy academic study and writing process• Competences in identifying and taking responsibility for own professional and written language development and specialisation
Type of activity	Master Thesis
Form of examination (p1)	<p>The Master's Thesis assessment is based on the written product and the oral exam.</p> <p>The master thesis can be written individually or in a group. Permitted group size: 2-3 students.</p> <p>The oral exam is individual for students that have written the thesis alone or students that have requested an individual exam. All other oral master thesis exams are conducted as group exams.</p> <p>The oral exam will be based on the master thesis. The students begin the exam with a short presentation (5 min per student), followed by a dialogue between the student, examiner and external examiner. There may be posed questions related to the subject area(s) that the master thesis covers.</p>

The assessment is individual and based on the student's individual performance.
The assessment is an assessment of the master thesis and the oral performance.

The character limits of the master thesis are:
For 1 student: 86,400-132,000 characters, including spaces.
For 2 students: 115,200-163,200 characters, including spaces.
For 3 students: 120,000-168,000 characters, including spaces.

The character limits include the cover, table of contents, summary, bibliography, figures and other illustrations, but exclude any appendices.

The master thesis must include a summary.
The summary can either be written in English or Danish.
The summary is included in the overall assessment.

Time allowed for exam including time used for assessment for:
1 student: 30 minutes.
2 students: 60 minutes.
3 students: 75 minutes.

Writing and spelling skills in the thesis are part of the assessment.

Permitted support and preparation materials at the oral exam: All.

Assessment: 7-point grading scale.
Moderation: External examiner.

Form of Re-examination
(p1)

Samme som ordinær eksamen

Exam code(s)

Exam code(s) : U41361 / U41362 / U41363