

Nytt forslag til opptakskrav for HGO til diskusjon i programrådsmøte 11.november 2020

Who can apply?

Students with disciplinary or interdisciplinary bachelor's degrees in Human Geography, Geography, Urban and Regional Studies, Development Studies, and Environmental Studies can apply for admission to this programme. Applicants must fulfill the required specialization and minimum grade requirements.

Required specialization and minimum grade requirement

Required specialization:

- A major or specialization constituting at least 80 ECTS credits in Human Geography, Urban and Regional Studies, or equivalent specializations deemed relevant for the program.
- o Up to 20 of these 80 ECTS credits may be replaced by a bachelor's thesis in development studies, constituting at least 20 ECTS credits.
- o Equivalent specialization must have a clear social science, geography-oriented profile.

For students who have completed their bachelor's degree at the University of Oslo, the following forms the basis for admission: [...]

- A [90-group in Human Geography](#) OR
- A completed bachelor's programme in Development Studies (UTV) with a specialization in Human Geography.

For applicants who have completed the interdisciplinary Bachelor's programme in Development Studies, the basis for admission is: SGO1001, SGO1900, SGO2302, SGO2400, SGO2500, SGO3300 and UTV3091 (bachelor's thesis). If you were admitted to the programme before 2012, previous versions of these courses will form the basis for admission. You must have a minimum grade average comparable to a Norwegian C in the required specialization. A Norwegian C is described as a good grade, generally comparable to an American B and a Second Class Upper in the British system. We do not use conversion tables for foreign grades. All foreign education is individually evaluated during the admission process.

Please note that eligible applicants who fulfill the minimum grade requirement will compete for a study place. Please see the section on ranking for more information on selection criteria.