

# GRIHO participates again in the 2024 edition of the minor Global Acting in ICT

The Higher Polytechnic School of the University of Lleida has been participating for a few years in the **international minor Global Acting in ICT** [

Together with four international partner universities, Fontys ICT developed a minor programme of one semester (30 ECTS). The participating universities are located in: Spain, Austria, Belgium, South Africa and The Netherlands of course. The minor consists of six blocks in total, contributing to a central theme with a local specialism. You will travel the locations abroad and attend their block of three weeks locally.

Block 0 1 week	Block 1 3 weeks	Block 2 3 weeks	Block 3 3 weeks	Block 4 3 weeks	Block 5 3 weeks	Block 6 3 weeks
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Home (online)	Fontys ICT (Eindhoven, Netherlands)	Universitat de Lleida, Spain	FH Oberösterreich (Linz, Austria)	PKL Hasselt, Belgium	Boly Campus Pretoria, South Africa	Home
Start up	Future Tech	UX Design	IoT	AI	Data Science	Round off

The aim of this minor is to combine international IT topics and trends in IT with intercultural aspects, and to actually experience this in an international setting. Companies attached to the universities will be participating in the blocks co-creating and defining the projects. The minor is only offered in the Fall semester. You can also choose to stay at home for a certain block and participate remotely.

**"WILL YOU JOIN?"**

To learn more about this minor and Q&A we are organising (online and live) info sessions with the minor coordinator and an experienced student. Sign up for a session through the website: [STUDYNAVIGATORFONTYSICT.NL/MINORS](https://STUDYNAVIGATORFONTYSICT.NL/MINORS)

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**The three keystones of the programme are:**

1. Intercultural awareness and practice
2. International collaboration and experience
3. Examining ICT from a global standpoint, with focus on having a positive impact on society, the environment and beyond.

**The (learning) objectives of the minor are:**

- Creating responsive ICT professional: adaptive, resilient, innovative and responsible
- Global Citizenship & Intercultural Awareness
- Communication and collaboration across borders
- The student can study and work on real life projects abroad in an international environment

**The areas of expertise in this minor are:**

- Block 0: Start up from home (online)
- Block 1: Future Tech (The Netherlands)
- Block 2: UX Design (Spain)
- Block 3: IoT (Austria)
- Block 4: AI (Belgium)
- Block 5: Data Science (South Africa)
- Block 6: Round off portfolio from home

**MORE INFORMATION: STUDYNAVIGATORFONTYSICT.NL/MINORS**

- Fontys ICT, application procedure ProgressWWW
- Travel and housing is at own cost, although Fontys will partly contribute with a Fontys ICT scholarship. Advice is to arrange for travel in time to keep costs limited. Housing at the locations.

**For more information on the minor programme:**  
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/sites/Eps/ca/estudis/dobles-titulacions-de-grau-i-master/minor-internacional-global-acting-in-ict-en-el-grau-en-en ], a 30 ECTS degree led by the University of Fontys (Netherlands) and carried out by 5 different universities, 4 European (Belgium, Austria, Spain and the Netherlands) and one South African.

The minor has two virtual components, one at the beginning and one at the end, among which students take five face-to-face modules of 6 ECTS each. Each module is carried out intensively at a university other than the countries listed above, which forces students to travel every three weeks from one country to another to take the corresponding face-to-face module.

GRIHO members Rosa Gil and Toni Granollers teach the UX Design module (shared with the User Centred Design subject of the Bachelor's Degree in Computer Engineering)