

*Lessius*



# Lessius University College

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- **Internationally** oriented university college
- Member of **K.U.Leuven Association**
- Antwerp Campus of K.U.Leuven
- Located in Antwerp, 4th world port, centre of commerce and trade



- **6** Departments
- **4** Campuses
- **6** Ba Programmes
- **6** Ma Programmes
- **4500** Students
- c **100** incoming and outgoing students per year
- **+150** Bilateral agreements
- **5** Programmes in English

- Regular programmes: Applied Language Studies
- English Programmes
  - European Business Studies
  - International Programme in Applied Psychology
  - International Programme in Speech Language Therapy and Audiology
  - International Programme in Sustainable Engineering
  - Postgraduate Master in Specialized Translation



- Defend the interests of the students
- Optimize student participation
- Has a service role towards the student



- Min. 5 members, max. 15 (substitutes included)
- 2 mandates per department
- Other mandates are divided proportionally (taking the number of students/department into account)



- Lessius STUVO
  - 7 delegates
  - 5/7 in executive board
- Board of Department
  - 2 members/department
- Academic Board
  - 1 per department
  - President of the students' council



- Student Consultation Antwerp
  - 1 member
  - Represents student life in Antwerp
- StAL
  - Students' council of the K.U.Leuven Association
  - 1 or 2 delegates
- VVS
  - Vlaamse Vereniging van Studenten (Flemish organization of students)
  - 1 or 2 delegates
  - Deliberative body with the government

- At that time Lessius did not exist
- Special exhibitions
- Usage of the Expo pavilion built in 1958 to house some of the exhibitions and events



- Key factor in higher education
- Extended University Charter
- Programs in English
- UNeECC:
  - President = Prof. Dr. Flora Carrijn
  - Local entities and culture are important at Lessius
  - Improve internationalization through the network e.g. Exchange programs



- Promotion and facilitation
- General framework
- Co-ordination of international efforts
- 6 departmental coordinators
- Institutional coordinator (Head of the International Office)



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