

StEEP

Student Entrepreneurs Excellence Program



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StEEP Founding

The Student Entrepreneurs Excellence Program (StEEP) is an initiative founded in 2012 by the Erasmus Centre for Entrepreneurship (ECE) in partnership with

- Erasmus University Rotterdam
- Rotterdam School of Management
- Ministry of Economic Affairs, Agriculture and Innovation.

Its aim is to empower and guide student entrepreneurs by providing them with an infrastructure to combine their entrepreneurial ambitions with their studies.



StEEP Mission

The mission of StEEP is to have its participants graduate. We believe that student entrepreneurs should be able to successfully run their startups due to and not despite their studies. StEEP recognizes and understands the fact that student entrepreneurs need that extra bit of time to work on their companies while managing their studies.

Therefore, StEEP endeavors to facilitate the rigid road to graduation by providing a path where education and entrepreneurship are complementing instead of excluding each other.



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StEEP Benefits

What does StEEP really do?

Once you get accepted into the programme, you're an official StEEPer! The fact that you're recognized as a student entrepreneur by both the Erasmus Centre for Entrepreneurship and the Erasmus University, makes life a lot easier for you. It prevents you from telling your story over and over again. You'll get a personal study advisor who will keep in touch with you regularly. So, if you foresee any problems, there will be someone who already knows about your situation.



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StEEP can help you when you're in need of support from the university's side. For example, StEEP aims to encourage and specifically support you in case you have mandatory lectures or tutorials, assignment deadlines, exams, or even thesis deadlines. StEEP can even help you to do your internship at your own start-up!



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StEEP Benefits

In short

- A personal study advisor
- Support in achieving educational objectives
- Membership to the ECE community
- Access to the StEEP network
- Pre-eminence in the selection procedures for ECE Growth Programs



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STEEP Lessons learnt

“For me, STEEP provided a great way to minimize the time spent studying and still get the most out of my study programs while also allowing me to focus more on developing nestpick.”

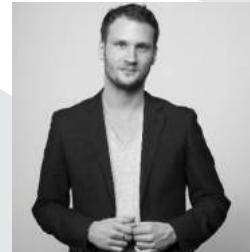
Fabian Dudek, founder of Nestpick



StEEP Lessons learnt

“Are you having a hard time combining study and your business, StEEP helps you out!”

Steven Lammertink, founder of Fray



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StEEP Application

Still questions about StEEP?

You can contact Elisabella Hu via this email address: president@cestudents.com.

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