

An aerial night photograph of the TU/e campus in Eindhoven. The image shows several large, modern buildings with illuminated windows, a prominent red tower, and a canal with a bridge in the foreground. The scene is lit with warm streetlights and building lights against a dark sky.

Training student mentors

PEER-TO-PEER SUPPORT PROGRAM

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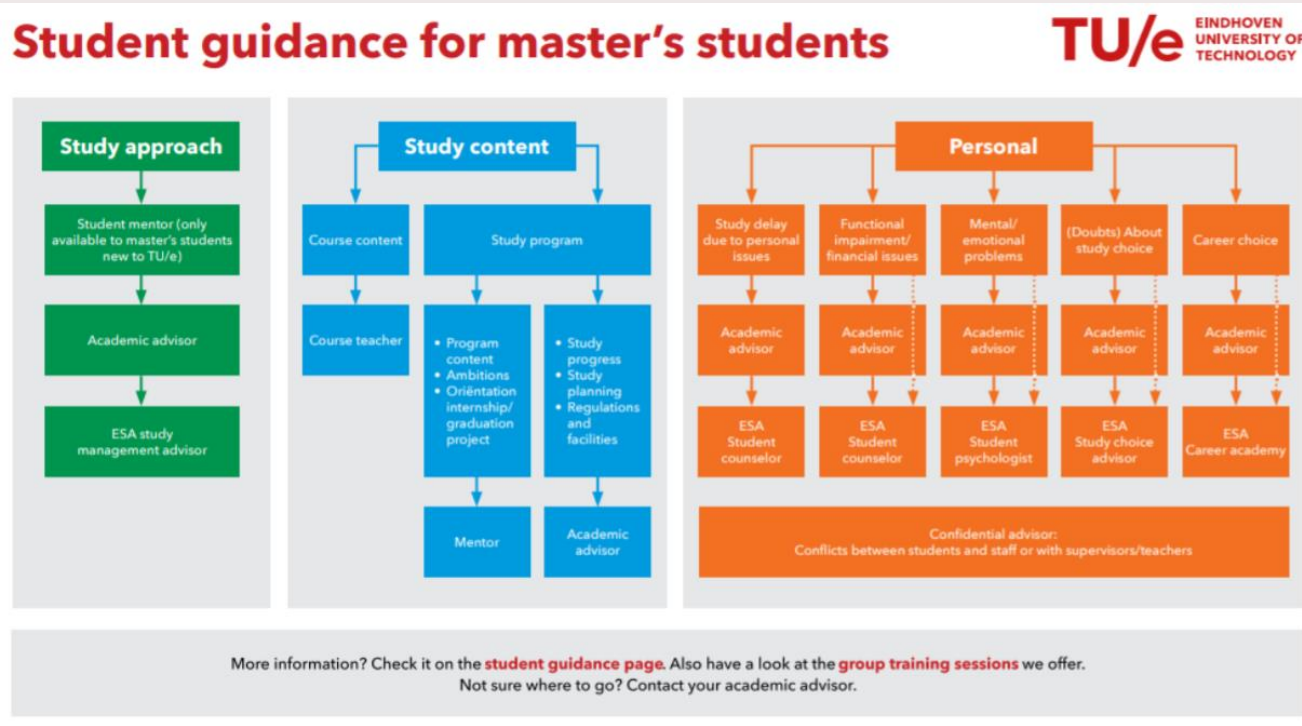
Student mentor tasks

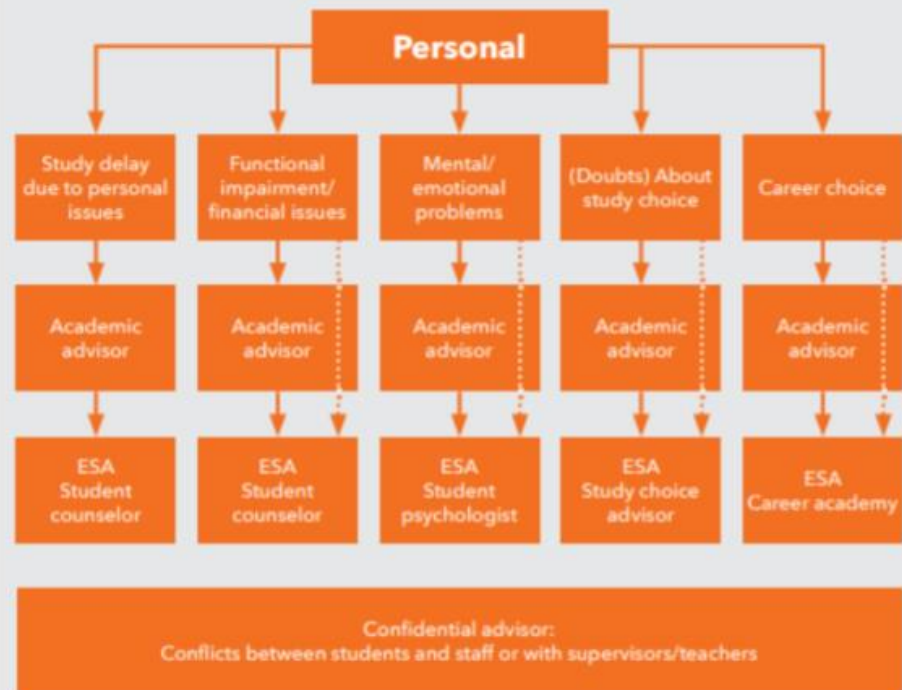
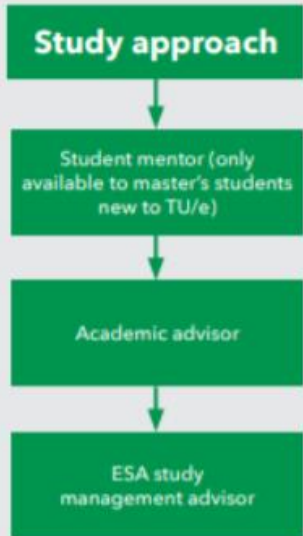
1. Help new students to get acquainted with:
 - each other
 - the (pre-) Master's program
 - TU/e community and opportunities
 - and the city of Eindhoven
2. Help new students to get acquainted with studying at TU/e and to develop their study approach
3. Keeping an eye on new students: are they okay?

Introductory meeting

- Get to know each other
- Roles, responsibilities and expectations
- Student guidance
- Resources student mentor
- Communication
- Preparation first meeting

Recap student guidance





More information? Check it on the [student guidance page](#). Also have a look at the [group training sessions](#) we offer.
Not sure where to go? Contact your academic advisor.

Recourses student mentor

2022 Q1-Q4 (All year)

- Home
- [Announcements](#)
- Modules
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- People
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- Assignments
- Course Evaluation

Study Themes

Use the links below to navigate to the different themes

- [1. Getting acquainted](#)
- [2. Group Dynamics & Community Building](#)
- [3. Study Tips for Mentees](#)

Individual Conversation Skills

During the student mentor program, you are asked to conduct individual conversations with your mentees. Please read the following document as preparation.

- [Individual Conversation Information](#)

Evaluation

General Training for student mentors

- Experiences so far
- Cultural diversity
- Conversation skills

Cultural diversity

Culture



Characteristics of the I culture:

- puts the individual first
- Your own opinion is important
- focus on personal achievements
- knowledge is used tactically
- one-to-one relationships
- positions are obtained by skill
- look at the other person when speaking and let the other person speak as a sign of listening
- needs its own space



Characteristics of the We culture:

- the interests of the group first
- the opinion of the group counts
- focus on teamwork
- knowledge is shared
- big family networks
- positions are obtained by relations and place in the group
- does not look directly at the other person, and joins the conversation to show interest
- the space is much smaller between two people, also touching is more common

Conversation skills



Peer review meetings

- How is everyone?
- How is it going with your groups?
- Is there something you are struggling with?
- Tips and tricks