

Requirements National Blockchain Course

The National Blockchain Course (hereinafter referred to as the course) is a free online course (a Massive Open Online Course (MOOC)) from the Dutch Blockchain Coalition, that is offered via yOUlearn, the electronic learning environment of the Open University of the Netherlands. You will be enrolled as a participant. Participation is free of charge.

1. Participation requirements

Participation is open to anyone who expressed his/her interest in this course.

2. Starting date and duration

Participants can start from the start date and get the opportunity to go through the course within 12 months.

3. Participation includes

- a. Participants have access to the digital course material that is developed for this course via the electronic learning environment (yOUlearn) from the Open University during the twelve-month period. Participants are not supervised or assessed. Participants do not receive certificate or proof of participation.
- b. The course material of this course is exclusively delivered digitally by means of lending of (temporary) access to the electronic learning environment of the Open University in which the course materials and associated questions and assignments are included.

4. Fees and payment

Participation is free of charge.

5. Termination of participation

Participation will be terminated:

- a. by the expiry of the twelve-month period;
- b. at the participant's own request, in writing;
- c. upon the decease of the participant.

6. Liability

The Open University is neither liable for any damage or losses caused by persons and/or resources used by the Open University, nor for any damage or losses arising from failure to perform the obligations arising from participation, unless there is a case of wilful misconduct or gross negligence.

7. Complaints

If a participant has a complaint concerning the conduct of the Open University in a certain matter and/or the way in which it has provided services, they may submit a complaint orally or in writing.

Oral complaints can be made by calling the following telephone number: +31 (0)45-5762888.

A written complaint must always be signed and should at least include the following:

- a. the name and address of the person submitting the complaint;
- b. the date;
- c. a description of the conduct against which the complaint is made.

Participants can submit a written complaint using the designated form on:

<https://www.ou.nl/klachten-en-geschillen>.

Complaints should be submitted to:

1-Open University Complaints and Disputes Desk

PO Box 2960

6401 DL Heerlen The Netherlands

Email address: 1-loketKlachtenengeschillen@ou.nl

The Open University of the Netherlands Complaints Regulations apply to the handling of complaints.

8. Processing of personal data

By participating, the participants consent to the processing of their personal data by the Open University and the Dutch Blockchain Coalition. The requested information is necessary to link the account to a unique person and then gain access to yOUlearn. By participating, participants also consent to registration in the electronic learning environment yOUlearn to facilitate the course. Participants will not be able to follow the course without access to yOUlearn. The processing of personal data is governed by the provisions of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). The personal data (name, e-mail and results) will be shared with the Dutch Blockchain Coalition by the Open University. Both the Open University and the Dutch Blockchain Coalition are responsible in the sense of the General Data Protection Regulation. By participating, the participant grants the Open University and the Dutch Blockchain Coalition permission to inform the participant about follow-up activities in the field of blockchain and related topics.

9. Copyright

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10. Final provisions

1. These regulations, which can be cited as the 'Requirements National Blockchain Course' were adopted by the dean of the faculty Management, Science and Technology on 7 November 2019. These regulations enter into force on 14 November 2019.

2. These requirements can be amended in the interim period if necessary pursuant to laws and regulations or special circumstances. If such amendments are made, they will be announced through the official channels.

