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In a nutshell:

- 2-year course
- Part-time: 5 weeks per year while you work on a farm or market garden
- European level 4 qualification
- Tuition, accommodation, meals: €1730 per year
- Accommodation on campus

We are now recruiting for the September 2013 intake. Don't miss this opportunity to obtain an accredited European Level 4 qualification in Biodynamic Farm Management, and contact the course leader as soon as possible. The number of places on this course is strictly limited to 20 participants.

Warmonderhof Opleidingen is located on one of the main railway lines from Amsterdam, and within 75 minutes you can travel by train from Amsterdam Schiphol Airport to Dronten.

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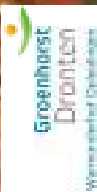
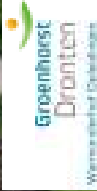


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Arjen Huese, course leader
Arjen is an expert in organic cut flower production. Arjen is passionate about practical applications of working with etheric forces in vegetable and flower production as well as breeding.



Ruud Hendriks, team leader
Ruud excels in arable crop production and soil science. He uses his excellent social skills in the area of personal development and biography work.



Meindert Bruinsma
Meindert is the specialist in farm business management, marketing and optimisation. With his business skills he can make any biodynamic farm profitable!



Frens Schuring
Frens is an expert in biodynamic dairy management. He is passionate about cattle nutrition and famous for his innovative grazing systems.



Improve your employment opportunities

With a level 4 diploma from Warmonderhof you will have better opportunities for paid work on biodynamic farms, in inspection and certification, and as a consultant. Warmonderhof has an excellent reputation throughout the world, and graduates are much sought after.

Increase your farm management skills

During the course you will learn management systems which will enable you to assess, improve and consolidate the financial, agricultural, social and spiritual sustainability of biodynamic farms.

Be inspired, and enlarge your professional network

Warmonderhof is a thriving hub of biodynamic practitioners: commercial farmers and growers, city farmers, specialists who work with care farming, and a whole range of interesting guest lecturers and international experts.

The Warmonderhof team consists of 8 qualified and experienced teachers, each one an expert in their particular field. Warmonderhof College is located at the heart of an 80 hectare mixed biodynamic farm which is run by 3 passionate entrepreneurs: an arable crop producer, a dairy farmer and a vegetable grower.

The new International Course in Biodynamic Farm Management is based on a British BTEC curriculum and will be taught entirely in English. Now the unique learning experience that Warmonderhof offers is available to participants from all countries of the European Union.

The course is taught in 10 sessions of a week each, spread over a two-year period. Participants from all over Europe meet in Dronten to learn the intricate skills of biodynamic farm management, while simultaneously developing an international network of biodynamic colleagues and friends.

Studying at Warmonderhof is more than just attending a course: the college and the farm are the focal point of the biodynamic movement in the Netherlands, with the Dutch Biodynamic Association having their headquarters at the school, and regular conferences, short courses, festivals and evening lectures filling the jam-packed agenda.

Participative learning is at the heart of the educational philosophy of Warmonderhof – where students are encouraged to use their heads, hearts and hands to master the art of biodynamic farm management.

Joke Bloksma
Joke specialises in holistic landscape management and she also works as a consultant with biodynamic farmers on their personal and farm development.



Thieu Verdonschot
Attention to detail is Thieu's trade mark: more than 35 ha of biodynamic root crops and field vegetables are under his expert management and care.



Johan Verheye
Johan is Warmonderhof's enthusiastic dairy farmer who looks after a herd of 45 traditional Dutch Blaarkop cattle. He is also our master cheese maker.



Reggie Waleson
Reggie is one of Holland's most respected and experienced biodynamic vegetable growers. He looks after 1½ ha of salad crops and 4000 m² of glasshouse area.

