For APH VUmc/VU PhD candidates

APH Training Plan

Personal Data

- Name: A.P. Ha
- Date: 1 October 2025
- Start date PhD trajectory: 1 September 2025

Instructions for completing the Training Plan

- The Training Plan (TP) consists of mandatory activities from the VU and additional requirements from APH.
- Read the APH PhD Education Guide carefully before completing the template.
- Fill in your name, date, and the start date of your PhD trajectory. Ensure the start date matches the start date in Hora Finita.
- Per course/activity, complete all four columns (Name course/activity, Name organizer, EC and Planned) of the template. Avoid using placeholders such as "TBD."
- If a course/activity has already been completed, also fill in the fifth column (Completed).
- Ensure each activity is listed under the correct category. Add extra rows if needed.
- Enter the total number of EC at the bottom of the template.
- Please check the example TP for a correctly completed version.
- Submit the plan after discussing it with your supervisor.
- If you wish to update your Training Plan significantly after it has been approved by the APH PhD Committee and are unsure whether the updated TP still meets the requirements, send the updated plan to aph.phdcommittee@amsterdamumc.nl again for reassessment.

NAME COURSE/ACTIVITY	NAME ORGANIZER	EC	PLANNED	COM-PLETED
MANDATORY COURSES/ACTIVITIES (VU/VUmc specific)				
Scientific integrity (e.g. by Amsterdam UMC, 2 EC)				
Research Integrity PhD course	Doctoral School	2	Sep 2025	Sep 2025
BROK (if applicable with WMO research) (1.5 EC)				
eBROK	Doctoral School	1.5	Oct 2025	
MANDATORY COURSES/ACTIVITIES (APH specific)				
Advanced (methodological) research skills (min. 4 EC)				
Introduction to Bayesian Statistics (incl. exam)	EpidM	2	April 2026	
Multilevel Modelling and Longitudinal Data Analysis	EpidM	4	Jan 2027	
Participatory Action Research (PAR)	School for Participation	3	March 2027	
Missing data: consequences and solutions	EpidM	2	Jan 2028	
Transferable skills (min. 3 EC)				
Amsterdam UMC World of Science	Doctoral School	0.5	Sep 2026	
Scientific Writing in English	Doctoral School	1.5	Dec 2026	
Research Data Management: Writing a Data Management Plan	Doctoral School	1	June 2027	
Supervision MSc student	POH department	1	Sep 2027	
Learning Path Valorisation & Impact	IXA	1	May 2028	
Research department meetings, expert meetings and/or seminars (min. 1 EC)				
Monthly research section department meetings	POH department	1	Sep 2025 – Sep 2029	
Conferences/symposium (min. 2 EC)				

Name and organizer	With/without presentation	National/ international	EC	Planned	Completed
European Public Health Conference	With presentation	International	2	Nov 2026	
APH Annual Meeting	With presentation	National	1	Nov 2027	
World Congress on Public Health	Without presentation	International	1	Sep 2028	

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OTHER COURSES/ACTIVITIES				
Other courses/activities relating to the PhD trajectory that DO NOT belong to the categories above				
Intensive Dutch Winter Course	INTT	1	Feb 2026	
EXEMPTIONS				
Exemptions for courses/activities followed before start PhD trajectory (max. 15 EC)				
Research Methods in Global Health	VU	6		April 2023
TOTAL EC			31.5	