



Q & A: Most asked questions about the bootcamp

Turing Society Amsterdam

Frequently asked questions - Bootcamp

// General

Q: What is the Turing Society bootcamp?

A: In Amsterdam we currently offer two types of bootcamps (1) the front-end, and (2) back-end bootcamp. The front-end bootcamp is part-time and teaches you the fundamentals of front-end web development in 8 weeks. The back-end is similar but focuses on back-end web development.

Q: How much will the bootcamp cost?

A: In Amsterdam the costs are 60 EUR per bootcamp.

A: Is it possible to only take part in one of the bootcamps?

Q: Yes, however, to be able to survive the back-end bootcamp, some prior coding knowledge is useful. This can be obtained in the front-end bootcamp, but it's also perfectly fine if you have your own coding experience.

Q: Why are the costs for the bootcamp of Rotterdam different than Amsterdam?

A: The Rotterdam and Amsterdam bootcamp have been specifically tailored. Also, as this is Amsterdam's 3rd bootcamp the introductory fee of 60EUR has been determined.

Q: Why does the bootcamp cost money?

A: We are indeed an NGO, meaning no profits are being made. However, the fee collected will be used to cover (teaching) materials and the remainder will be invested back into the organization in order to keep organizing awesome events for you! All team-members of Turing are volunteers, thus are not being paid for their services.

// Front-end bootcamp

Q: Which days will the bootcamp take place?

A: The bootcamp will take place each Monday and Wednesday. On Mondays theory will be discussed and Wednesdays you will work in groups on your project.

Q: *What will be covered in the front-end bootcamp?*

A: Html, CSS, JavaScript, bootstrap and jQuery

Q: *How many hours will the classes be per week?*

A: Around 4 hours per week, but this will depend a bit on the pace of the students in class.

Q: *How much time will I spend on the bootcamp?*

A: This differs per person. We estimate it will take 14 - 18 hours a week, which includes self-study at home and the classes.

Q: *When will the bootcamp start?*

A: The bootcamp will start Monday, 30th of October.

Q: *How can I apply?*

A: You can apply through the tsociety.io website, by clicking on front-end bootcamp > Amsterdam.

Q: *When does registration open and close?*

A: The registration period is from the Monday the 25th of September until the Friday the 13th of October.

Q: *What does the application procedure look like?*

A: (1) Register by filling in the form on the tsociety.io website <https://turingx.typeform.com/to/SKhgTo>;

(2) You will receive a challenge on 14/10, which you need to complete within 24h; (3) The results of (2) will determine if you will get invited to the interviews taking place from 16/10 - 19/10;

(4) You will be informed on 21/10 if you have been accepted.

Q: *When will I hear if I have been accepted?*

A: You will be notified by email on the 21st of October.

Q: *Can I still register after the registration period has been closed?*

A: This depends on the available spots left. If registration has already been closed, send us a Facebook message. Maybe we will have a spot left for you to join!

Q: *Is there a course manual available?*

A: All the needed information will be given on the kick-off day on the 30th of October.

// Back-end bootcamp

Q: *When will registration open for the back-end bootcamp?*

A: The back-end bootcamp will take place in semester 2 of the school year (spring/summer 2018). At that time, the information will be provided on our FB page and website.

Q: *Is it necessary to first complete the front-end bootcamp?*

A: No, but some prior coding knowledge is required. This can either come from the front-end bootcamp, or your own experience.

// If you have any additional questions feel free to contact us @TSAmsterdam on Facebook!