

Newsflash

## Institute for Advanced Study (IAS)



### Partnership between UvA IAS and TNO to get a grip on complexity

On 29 August 2018, the UvA and TNO signed a Letter of Intent to establish a new partnership: "Policy by Simulation". They join forces to get a better understanding of complex phenomena, and create innovations for various pressing problems (e.g. energy transition, public health, crime). Multiscale modelling of complex systems forms the core of the collaboration.

[➤ Read more about the partnership](#)



### IAS welcomes three new research fellows

With the start of the new academic year, we welcome three new research fellows. Luc Coffeng, Claudi Bockting and Paul Duijn will join the IAS part-time for the duration of one year. They will work in the areas of health systems complexity and crime networks.

[➤ Read more about the fellowship projects](#)

**Call for excellent students to**

## join the IAS research community!

We offer 10 outstanding UvA students the opportunity to write their final thesis at the IAS alongside renowned researchers and talented early-career scholars. The best and most original thesis will be awarded with a prize. In order to be eligible, your thesis should be focussed on a challenging scientific question that is studied from a complexity perspective.

➤ [Read more about this opportunity](#)



## Events

"The vastly diversifying set of life forms make niches for one another as the forms, species, proliferate into the adjacent possible of the evolving biosphere to yield the millions now in existence in our known biosphere." (Stuart Kauffman during a two-day symposium "Life Beyond the Algorithm" at the IAS)

➤ [Upcoming events](#)

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