

BAM Course FAQs

WHO CAN APPLY FOR THE BAM COURSE ?

The BAM Course is open to all committed Christians with an interest in business as mission. It is for people from any type of background or experience in business or in mission. During BAM Course Module 1 we will have three audiences tailored towards people with different experiences and motivations for attending the course: STARTERS, EXPLORERS and MENTORS.

If you would like to talk with a member of our team about whether the BAM Course is for you, please contact us at info@bamtraining.org

WHAT IS THE APPLICATION AND PAYMENT PROCESS ?

The first step is to complete the online [Application Form](#).

When you fill in this form, we will ask that you nominate a Referee and that you also send us some further information about your professional background and life experience. This further information can be in the form of your Resume/Curriculum Vitae (CV), the link to your LinkedIn profile, or a website or brochure that shows your business or your professional work.

Once we have received your Application Form, your Reference and your additional background information, we will evaluate your application for the BAM Course. We will send you an email soon after with your 'Acceptance to BAM Course' information – or with any further questions we might have for you.

Once we accept you for the BAM Course, we will then require a few more things from you:

- €150 Euro Registration Fee – a non-refundable deposit that will be deducted from your total course fees
- A profile photo – if not already included in the additional information you sent us

Once we have everything on this list, we will confirm your place on the BAM Course.

Another instalment of €350 will be payable by January 10th 2020 and the balance of your fees will be due on the day the course begins in Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

HOW MUCH DOES THE BAM COURSE COST AND WHAT DOES THIS COVER ?

We offer 2 formulas for Module 1:

- **Residential:** €945 Euro – This includes housing with other people in dorms from 22nd to 29th Feb, all breaks and meals, course related local transportation and all course related materials.
- **Non-residential:** €795 Euro – This includes breaks, lunches, dinners, course related local transportation and all course related materials. It does not include housing and breakfasts.

The BAM Course fee does NOT cover: airfare and transportation to the BAM Course location or visa costs for The Netherlands.

Payment breakdown for Module 1 is as follows:

For Residential

€150 Registration fee – due when accepted to BAM Course

€350 Instalment #1 – due 10th January 2019

€445 Instalment #2 – balance of fees due 23rd February 2019 (upon arrival)

= €945 – Total BAM Course Module 1 fee

For Non-residential

€150 Registration fee – due when accepted to BAM Course

€350 Instalment #1 – due 10th January 2019

€295 Instalment #2 – balance of fees due 23rd February 2019 (upon arrival)

= €795 – Total BAM Course Module 1 fee

ARE THERE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR THE BAM COURSE ?

We are able to offer a number of scholarships for the BAM Course each year for those applying.

We usually reserve scholarships for people from developing nations who have a limited means to pay for the course. We may also consider people working for support-based mission agencies who have a limited means to pay for the course. Please enquire with us as to whether you are eligible.

The scholarship will usually be offered in the form of a discount on the total course fee and will be offered only after the application process is completed.

If limited funds are preventing you from applying for the BAM Course, please contact us and enquire about the likelihood of a scholarship.

We also encourage participants to seek additional sponsorship from their support network, church or mission organisation.

WILL I NEED A VISA FOR THE NETHERLANDS ?

Nationalities in Schengen area can enter The Netherlands without having to apply for a visa. Other passport holders will have to apply for a visa from a Dutch Embassy or Consulate before they travel or get a visa on arrival.

Please refer to [this page](#) to find out which applies to you. It is your responsibility to make sure you have the correct visa. However, we can supply you with further information or a letter of invitation as needed.

The Netherlands requires that you have at least 6 months of validity on your passport before you travel.

WHEN AND WHERE SHOULD I ARRIVE AND DEPART ?

Please pay careful attention to this information BEFORE you book your flights!

Participants should arrive no later than 4pm at International Airport Schipol Amsterdam on Saturday 22nd February 2020 and should plan to stay until the morning of Sunday 1st March. Although the course officially finishes on the 29th February (after the evening session) for your convenience accommodation is included from check in on the 22nd February through to check out on the 1st March, inclusive. If you wish to leave on the evening of Saturday 29th February you may. However, please be advised that you may miss all or some of the final celebration evening and therefore we recommend booking your flight on March 1st.