

Bestuurlijke reactie M African Studies (research)

The programme appreciates all recommendations, advice and suggestions of the assessment panel. The program has taken all recommendations, advice and suggestions of the assessment panel to heart. Based on the assessment report, the programme board has drawn up a Plan of Action and is already implementing it to improve the quality of education.

Conclusions of the development dialogue

The development dialogue was held on 2 March 2021. The programme board agrees with the issues raised by the panel. During the dialogue, special attention has been paid to the integration of teaching and research, and to diversity and inclusion. Regarding the integration of teaching and research, it was discussed which possibilities there are due to the relatively high availability of staff and opportunities to tailor-made the courses. Furthermore, it was discussed that the panel had a positive impression of what the programme has achieved on the topic of diversity and inclusion, while there are still possibilities for further improvement, like developing partnership with African research institutes, from the African continent