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Teaching language:

- Kindergarten and class teacher education, Norwegian
- Master program in Waldorf education, English

Number of students: 250

Permanent faculty: 23

Guest faculty: 20

Study programs:

- B.Ed. in Waldorf Pedagogy, 3 years
- M.Ed. in Waldorf Primary and Lower Secondary School Education, in conjunction with Oslo Metropolitan University (start autumn 2019), 5 years
- B.Ed. in Waldorf Early Childhood Education, 3 years full time, 4 years part time
- B.Ed. in Anthroposophical Social and Therapeutic Pedagogy, 4 years part time
- M. Ed. of Educational Research and M. Ed. of Nature, Ecology and Sustainability in an international, experienced-based, 3 year part-time program.

The RSUC educational programs acknowledge dynamic relationships between the personal, cultural, environmental and spiritual. We regard ourselves as responsible for a world in need of change, and believe that the education of tomorrow must take an active part in developing ethically oriented knowledge, skills and life conditions. As such, RSUC programs are for educational 'activists' who want to be more effective in working with transformation within all pedagogical situations, seeking to influence our shared future.

Waldorf education builds on and is informed by Rudolf Steiner's educational ideas, as well as ideas, practices and research from the wide field of education in general. The RSUC recognizes this broad context and aims to contribute to a dialogue between Waldorf education and the wide spectre of contemporary educational ideas and practices.

Waldorf education is international, and students on our Master programme usually come from several countries and/or continents. This creates an atmosphere of shared academic enthusiasm, friendship, and a sense of global togetherness. All instruction and discussion is held in English, while written assignments and the master thesis may be submitted in Norwegian, Swedish, Danish, Finnish, German or English.

Graduates from RSUC have various work opportunities. There are 31 Waldorf Schools, 46 Waldorf Kindergartens and 10 Anthroposophical social and therapeutic institutions in Norway, in addition to over 2000 institutions worldwide.

RSUC graduates work in kindergartens, schools, colleges and universities, settings for social and therapeutic education, NGOs and independent organizations.

