

**STUDY ASSOCIATION**

**POLIS**

Committee Information Booklet

2023 – 2024

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## General Information

Study Association POLIS organizes various events for students of Organization and Management Studies and Global Management of Social Issues every year. In order to do this, POLIS hosts a range of different committees, who have the responsibility to organize one or more of these events, or to contribute something to the association in a different way.

If you are a member of POLIS, you can register to be a part of committees, which makes you an active member! Being an active member is a great way to become more involved with POLIS and to develop yourself in different ways.

Because of the diverse range of committees Study Association POLIS offers, becoming an active member is a great option for anyone. Whether you like to organize informal activities such as parties, formal activities such as career events or get the both worlds, there is always a committee that fits you!

This booklet contains information on every committee within POLIS. We hope this does a good job informing you and we hope to see you as an active member this semester !

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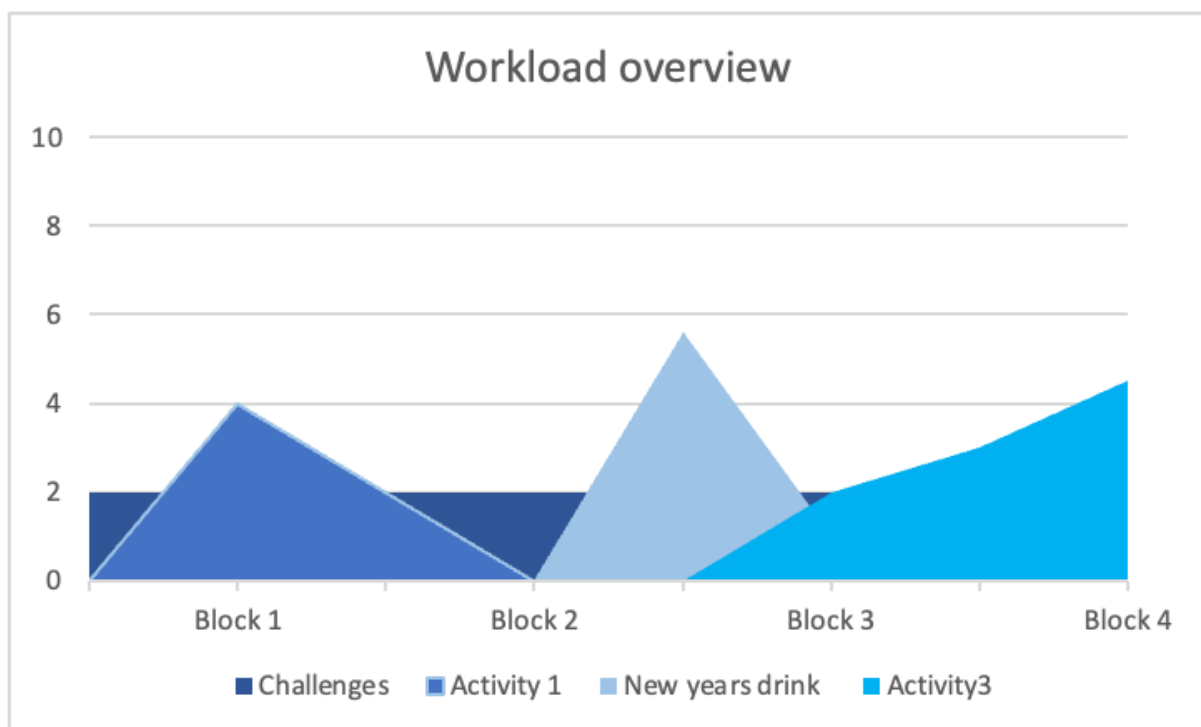
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# Committees

## Battle Committee (BaCo)

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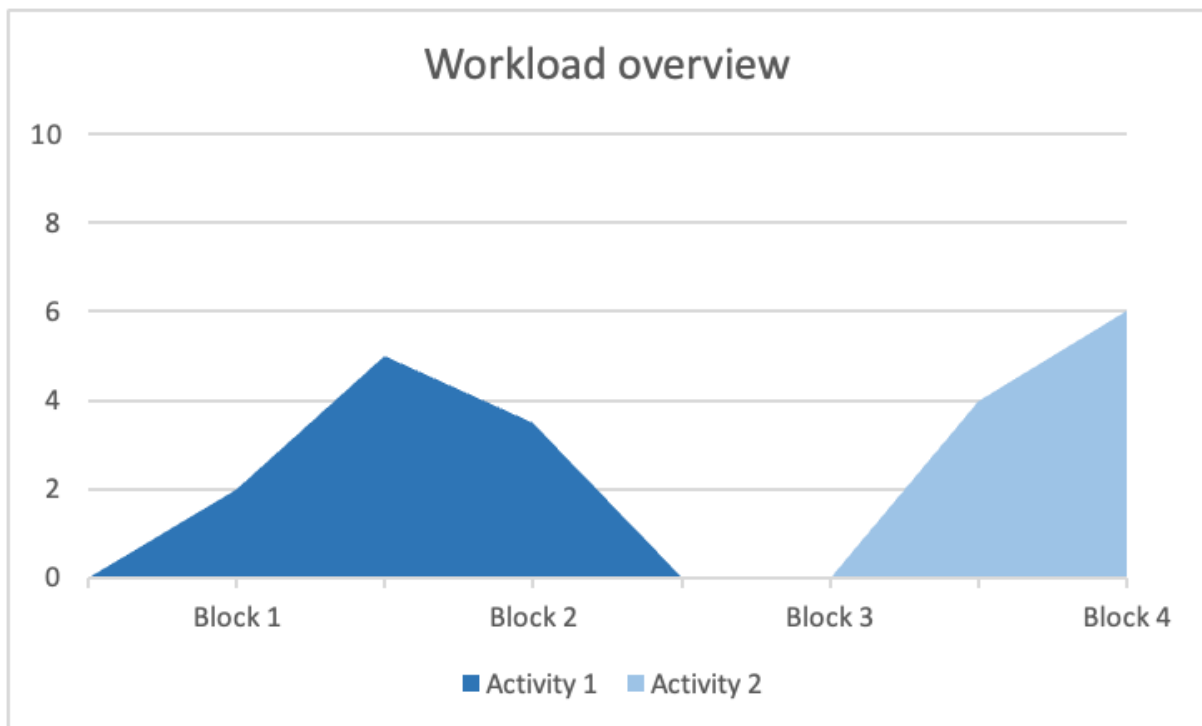
Do you like competition? Are you creative and do you always have fun ideas? Can you motivate people to strive for a prize? Then the BaCo is looking for you! In this committee, you will be responsible for the committee competition, a well-known competition within POLIS. With your committee, you will give this competition a whole new image and you will keep the members up to date with the scores. Furthermore, the Battle Committee organizes three themed afternoons where committees can score extra points for the committee battle.



# Community Committee (CommuniCie)

## Informal & Formal

The Community Committee (CommuniCie) is your committee if you care about charity and sustainability. This committee focuses on helping the members of POLIS to make a difference in society and raise awareness about sustainable issues. The CommuniCie organizes two events: one fundraising activity and one sustainability-oriented activity!

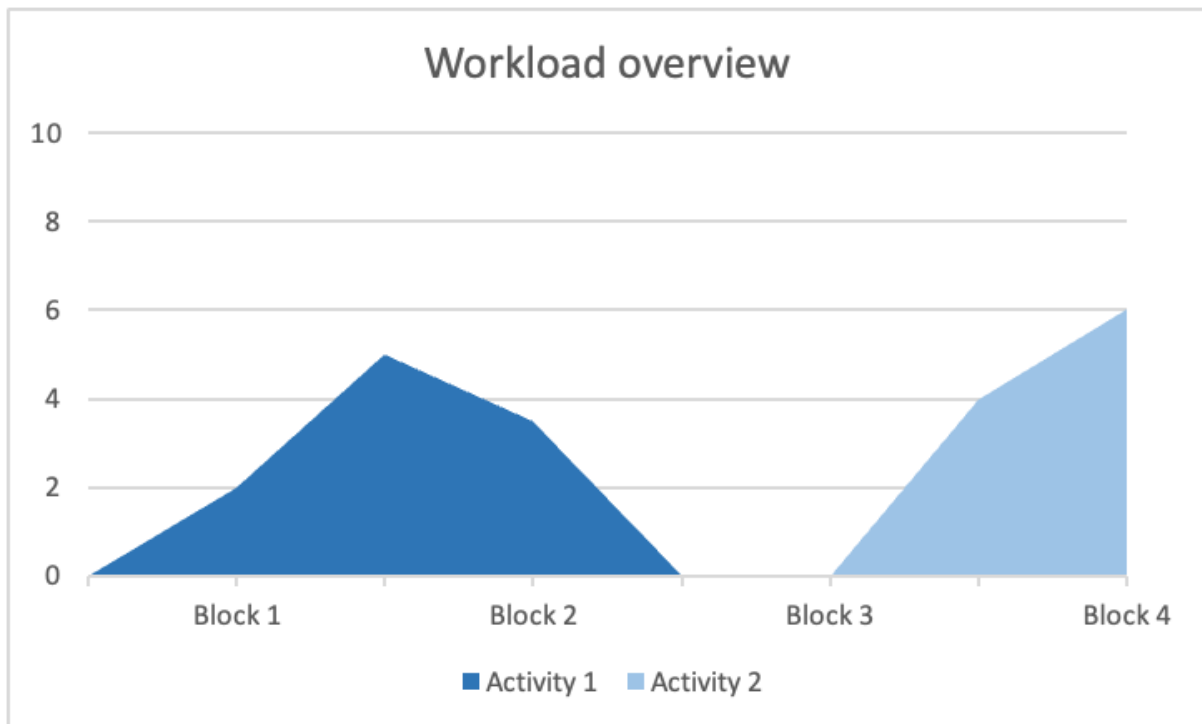


# Culture Committee (CultureCom)

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In the Culture Committee (CultureCom), you will organize two events related to culture. The first event will be an easily accessible event during which you try to get as many members as possible in touch with cultural topics.

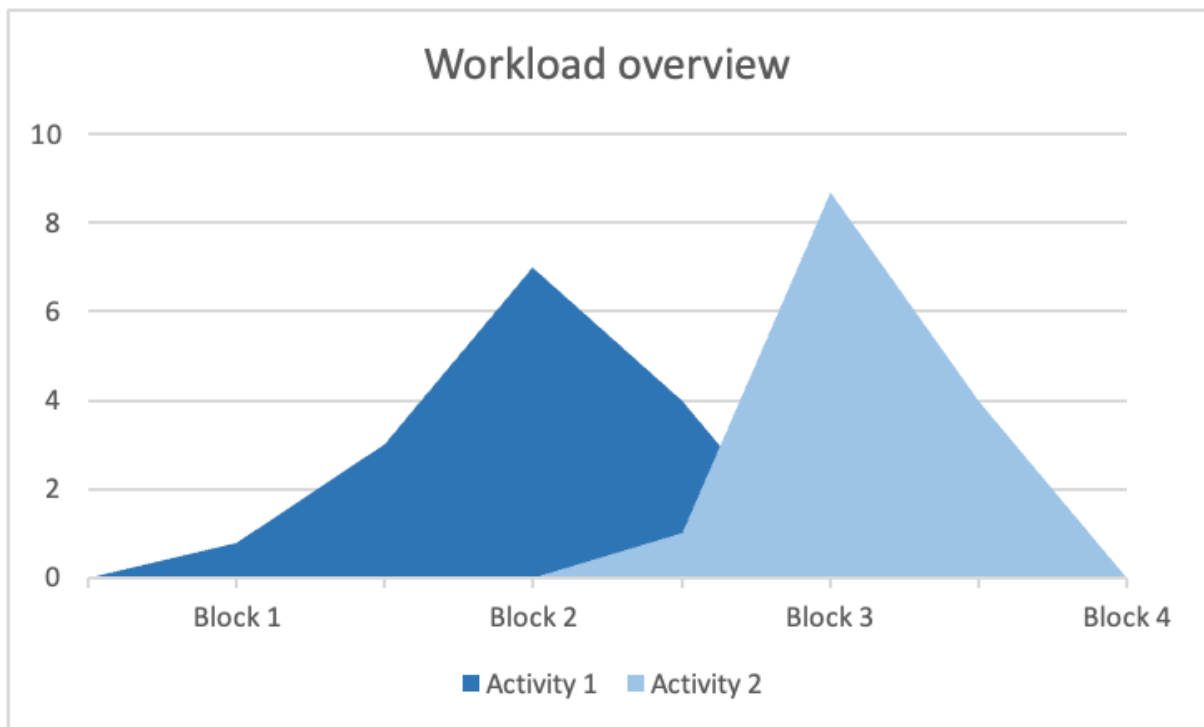
If you are creative, want to work on cultural awareness and want to organize activities with as many participants as possible, you should definitely join this committee!



# Event Committee (EC)

## Informal

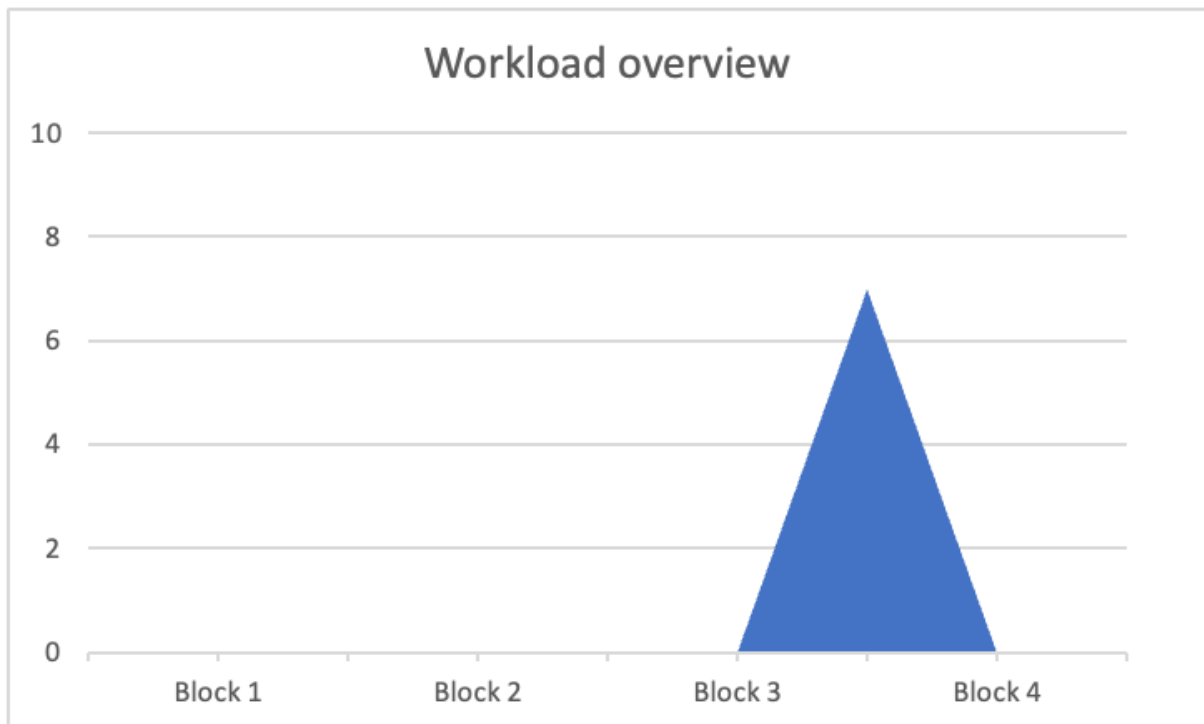
The Event Committee (EC) is a committee which allows for a lot of creativity. The EC organizes two informal events throughout the year. The first event is completely up to the committee to fill in, anything goes! The second event is one of the most exciting and most well-known POLIS events out there: the Stadhuisstraatcantus! If you have that creative spark, and if you get excited at the thought of organizing an amazing cantus, look no further than the EC!



# Exchange Committee (ExchangeCom)

Informal

The Exchange Committee organizes the yearly Prom! When organizing the prom, you are able to arrange everything yourself and give your own spin to it. You choose the location, the theme and the decorations yourselves. The Prom takes place somewhere in the second semester this year. The Prom is very popular every year and is something to really look forward to. The Exchange Committee consists of members that go on exchange in that particular school year. Because the Prom is the only event you organize and takes place in the second semester, you are still able to be part of a committee even though you are away for the first half of the year. This committee is also a fun way to connect with other members who went on exchange and share your experiences. If you like to dress up for Prom and if you like to keep in touch with POLIS while being abroad, this committee is the right one for you!

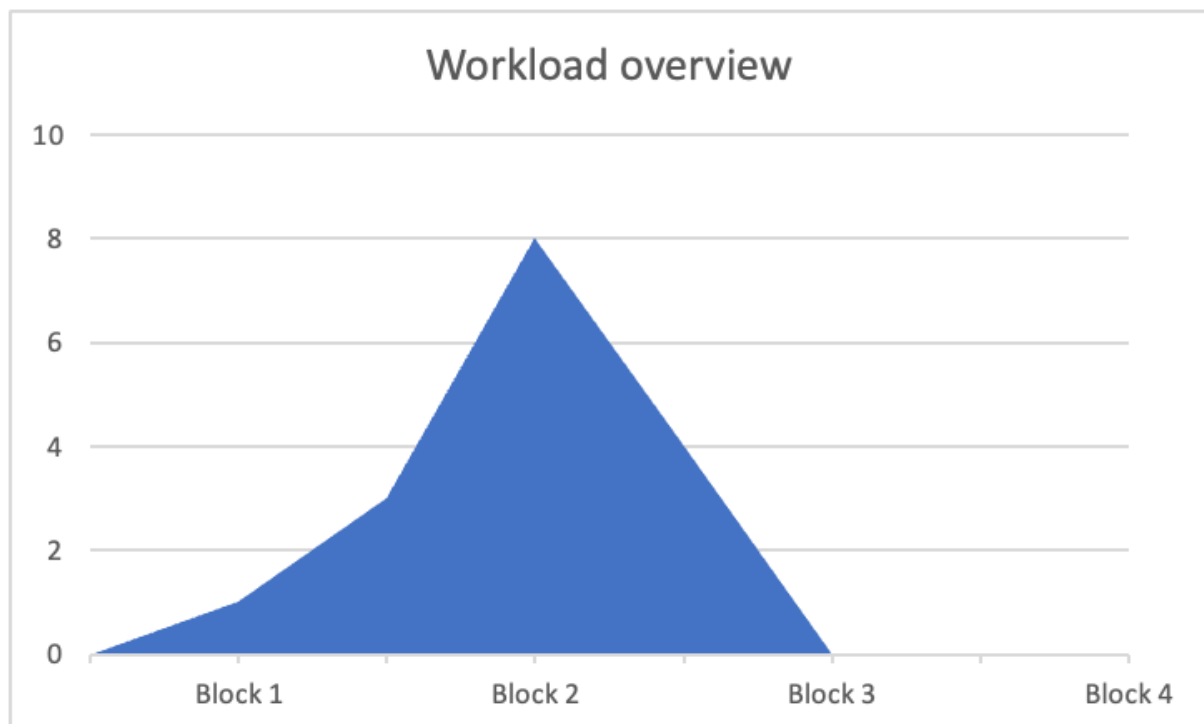




# Excursion Committee

## Informal & Formal

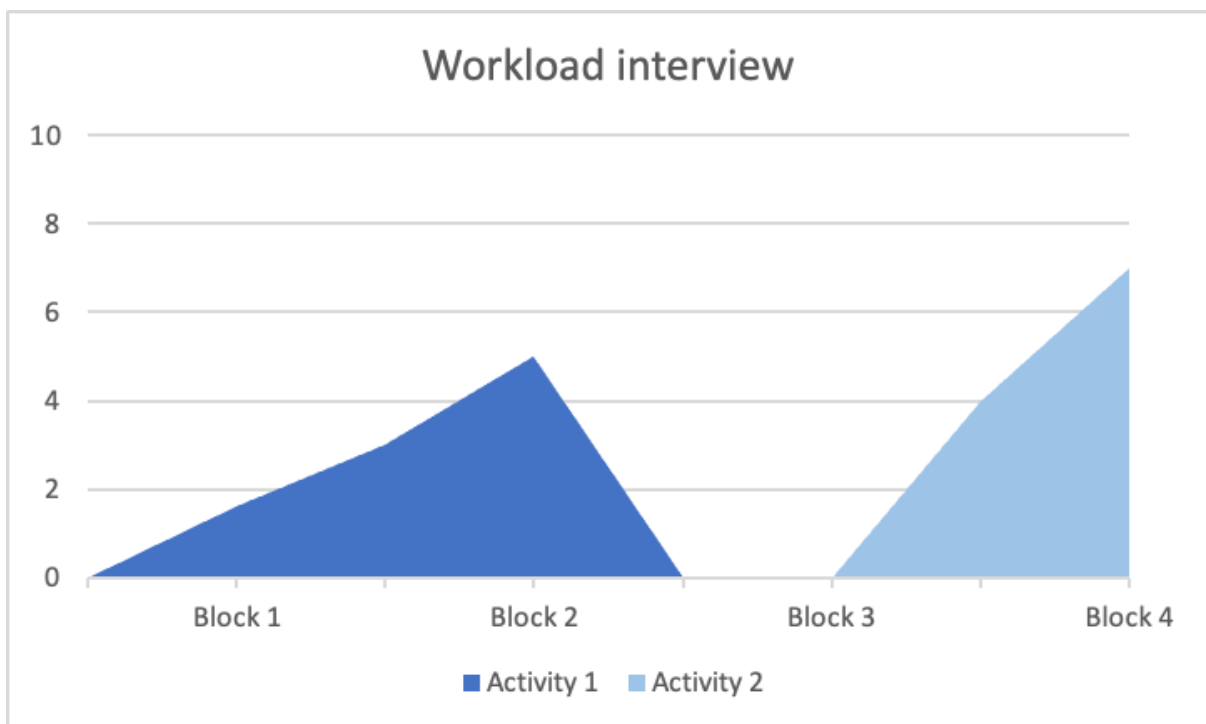
The Excursion Committee organizes a two-day long city-trip to a destination of your choice! You can show everyone the interesting places of the city you're visiting. The excursion is not only about sightseeing and partying, but you will also visit two local companies. The committee is free to choose what they want to organize! The excursion has been very popular since its establishment and takes place at the end of January or the beginning of February. If you like being a city guide, and exploring new surroundings with your POLIS friends, the Excursion Committee is exactly where you need to be!



# Food Committee (FoodCie)

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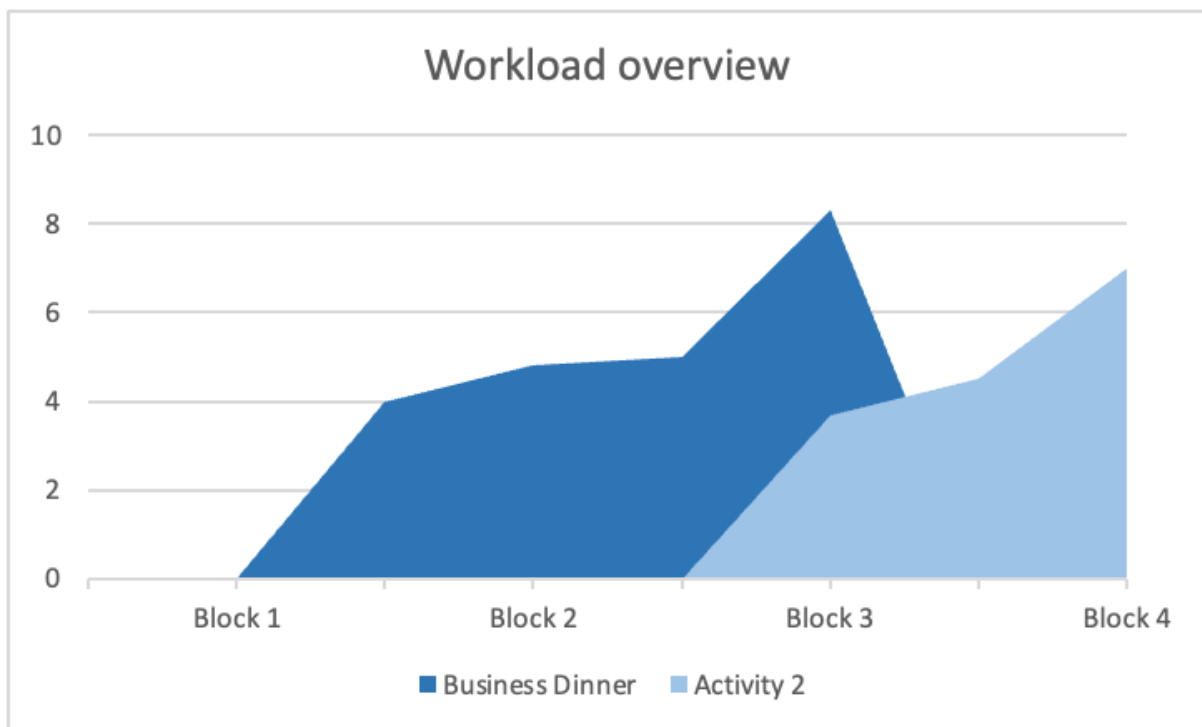
Do you love cooking and eating? Then the Food Committee might be the perfect committee for you! The FoodCie will be responsible for organizing two food-related activities. The first activity is free to fill in by the committee. The last activity will be the OS dinner for OS and GMSI students, which will also be attended by the professors of your study. This committee has been one of the most creative and fun committees of the previous years



# Master Committee (MaC)

## Formal

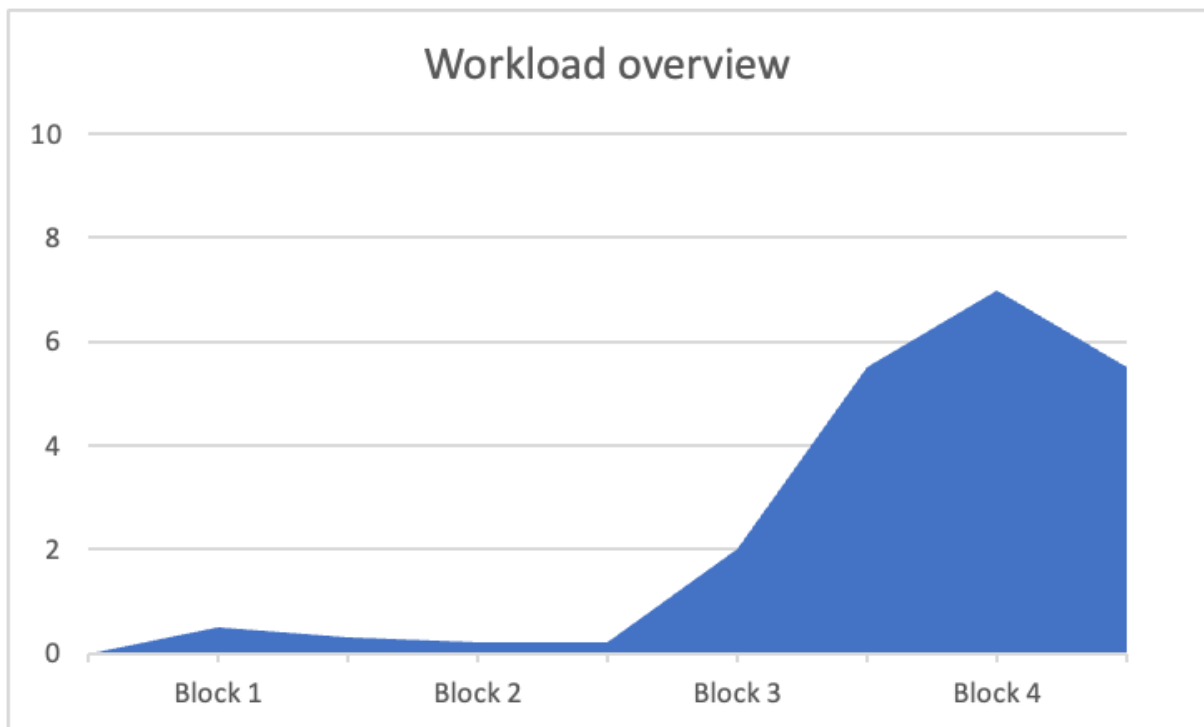
This is a committee especially for (pre-)master students. You will organize two events for the almost graduated students of POLIS. One activity will be the Business Dinner and the other activity will be an event of their choice. Both events provide the opportunity for students to get in touch with potential new employers and share their knowledge and experiences.



# Member Weekend Committee

## Informal

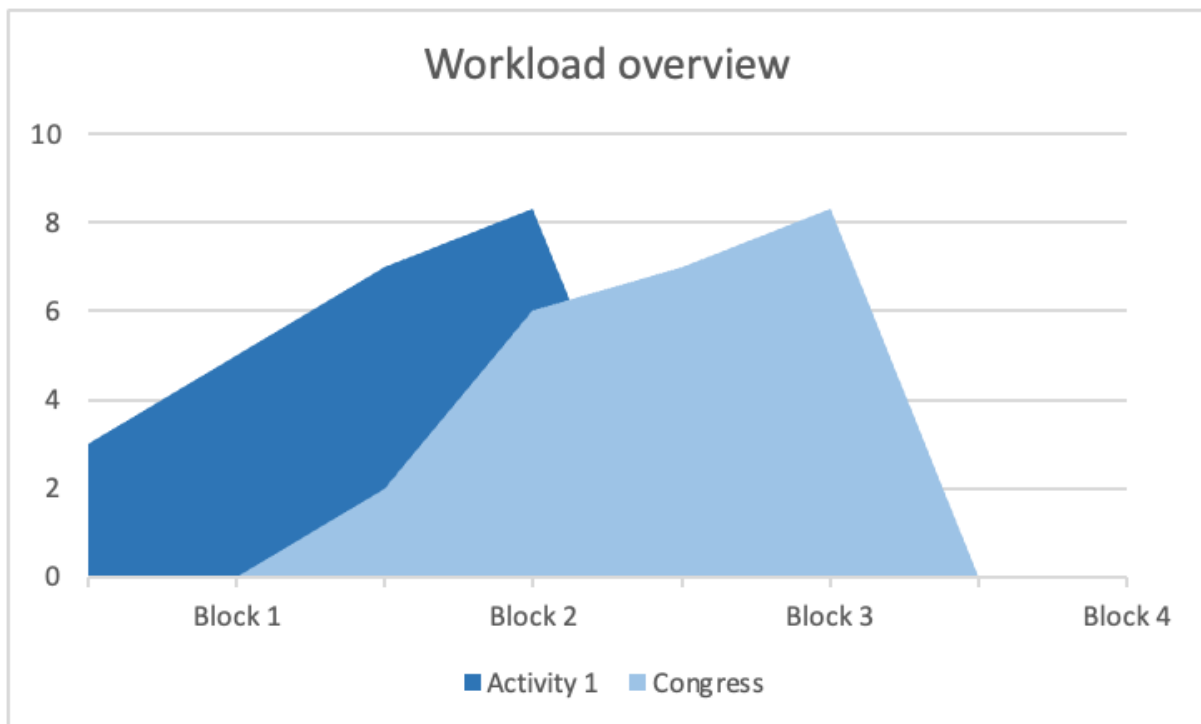
The Member Weekend Committee oversees organizing a fun weekend for the members of POLIS, consisting of games and other fun activities. This weekend is always centred around a theme, which the committee can choose themselves. If you want to contribute to creating a legendary weekend which is sure to create long-lasting memories, this is the committee to go to!



# Profession Committee (ProfCom)

Formal

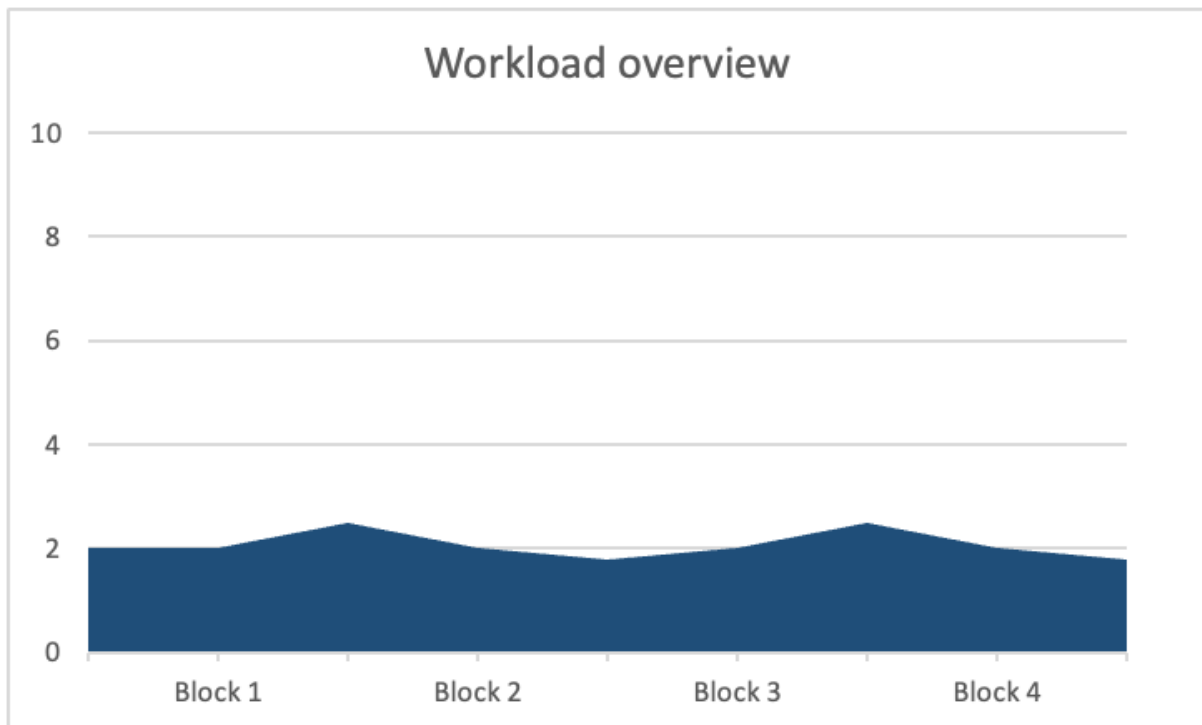
The ProfCom has the goal to get students in touch with the working field of Organization and Management Studies and Global Management of Social Issues. You and your fellow committee members will organize two career-oriented activities that will cover both fields of study in at least one of the activities. One of them will be a workshop, and the other event will be a one-day congress. This committee offers a great opportunity to get in touch with companies related to Organization and Management Studies and Global Management of Social Issues.



# Poster pool

## Informal

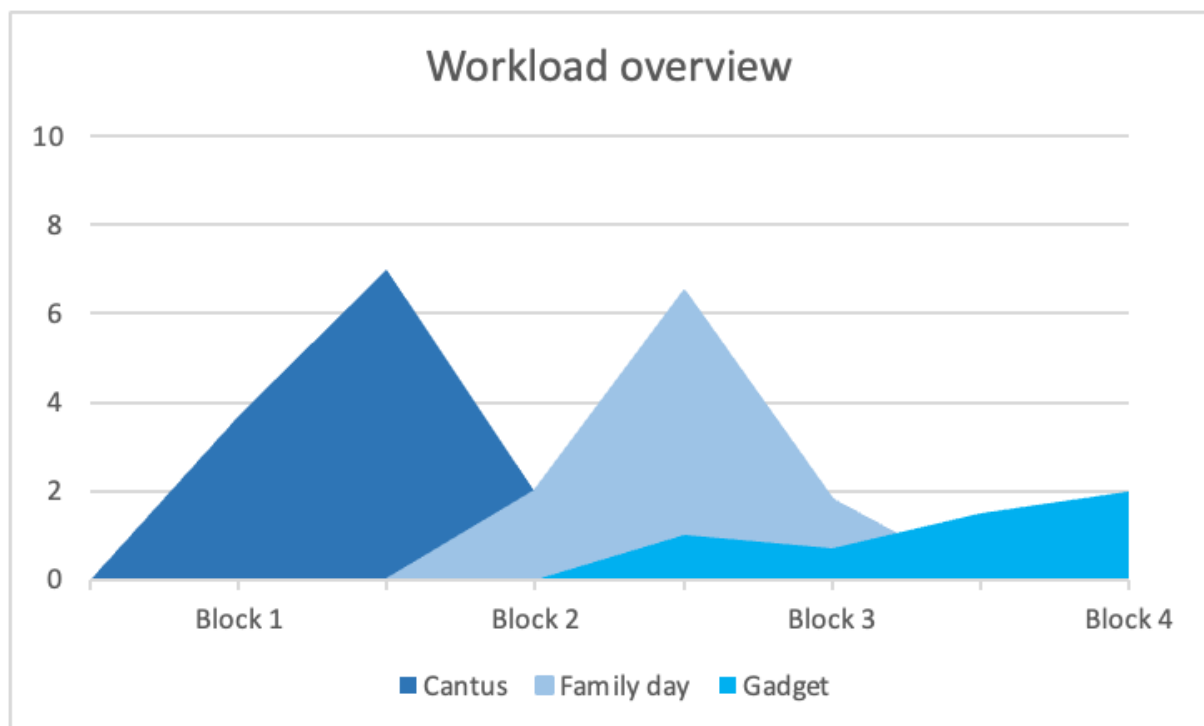
Are you creative and do you like designing? Then the Posterpool is looking for you! The Posterpool is an extra role you can commit to outside of your committee where you design the posters for our events. In the Posterpool you can also help committees with the logo on their t-shirts. The Posterpool is a great way to get to know more people and use your creativity!



# Promotion Committee (Promo)

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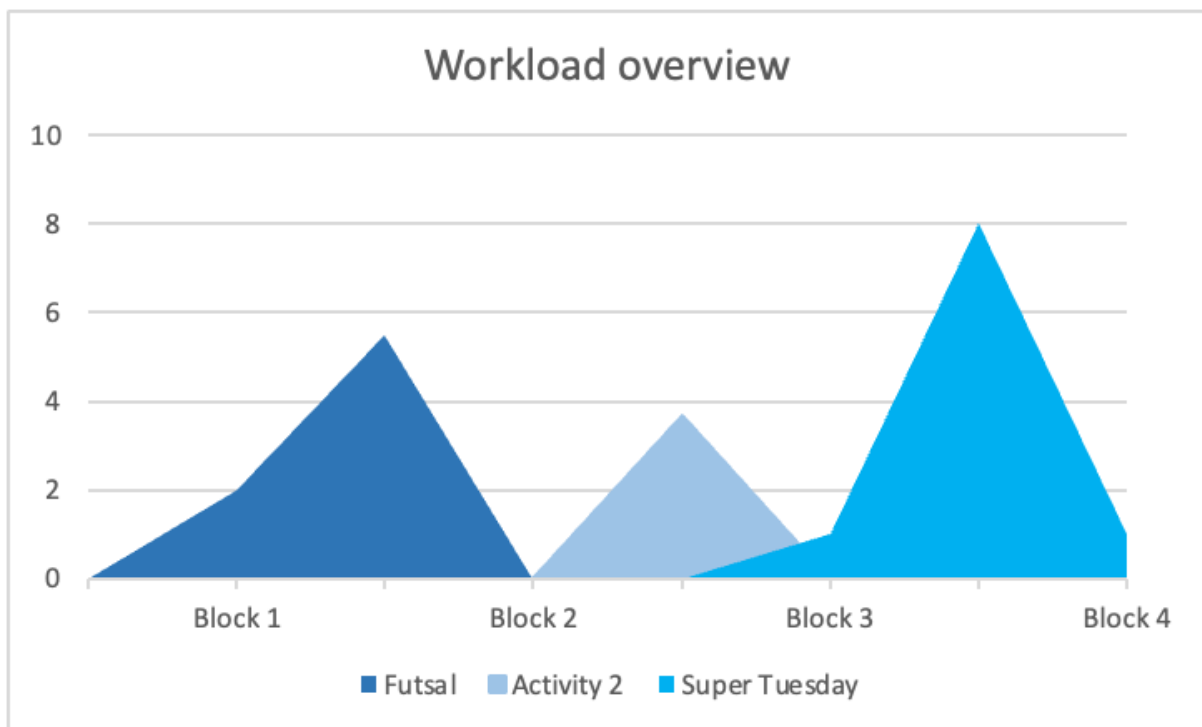
The Promotion Committee (Promo) will show your friends and family what it's like to study Organization and Management Studies or Global Management of Social Issues and to be a member of POLIS. You will organize a family day, and a bring-your-friends cantus. At the end of the year, you will also create a POLIS-gadget that all the members of the association can order.



# Sports Committee (SportsCom)

Informal

The SportsCom is a committee which has the goal to organize three sport- related activities. The SportsCom combines sport with informality and/or formality, this makes the committee very diverse. The SportsCom has become an icon within our association, because the events are very popular. During the year, you will organize a futsal tournament in which the department of OS also participates, an event in the evening and of course the famous Super Tuesday, which is the very last activity of the year!

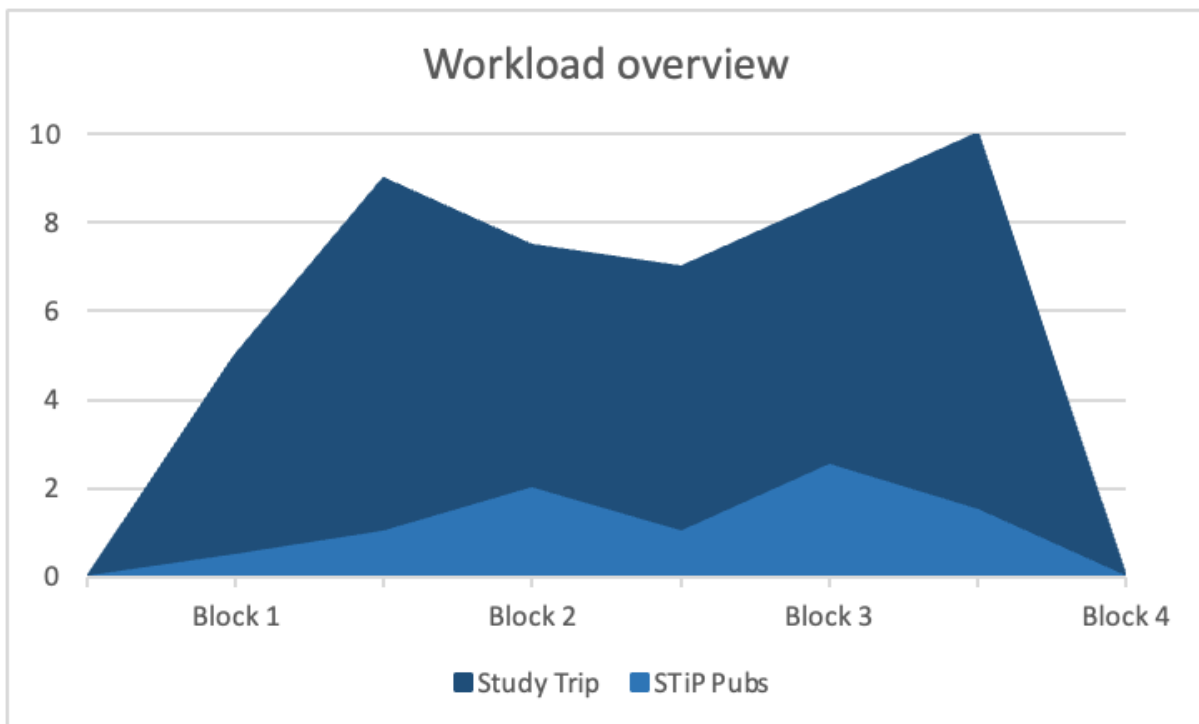




# Study Trip Committee (STiP)

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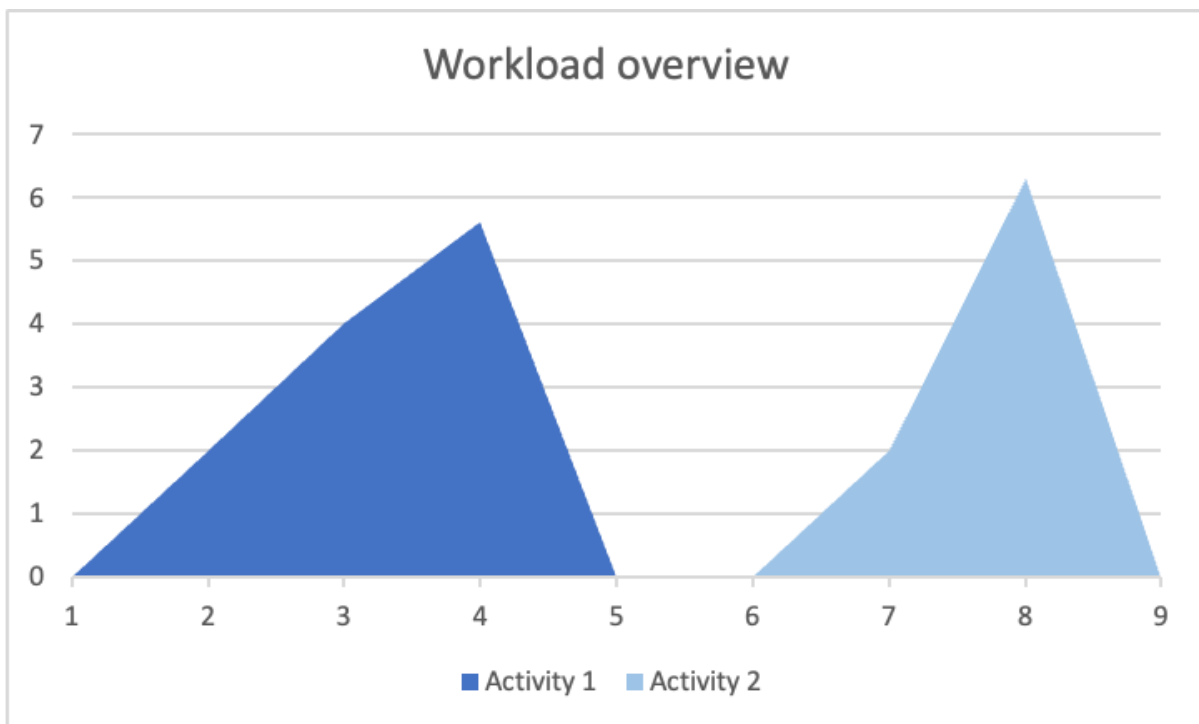
The Study Trip Committee (STiP) is one of the most popular committees to be part of. The Study Trip Committee will organize a trip to a place which the committee can choose, this year to a country in Europe. This committee takes more effort, but gives lots of appreciation. During the trip, some companies and the local university will be visited, but the most important element is to see as much of the destination in a small amount of time.



# Theme Party Committee (TiPCie)

Informal

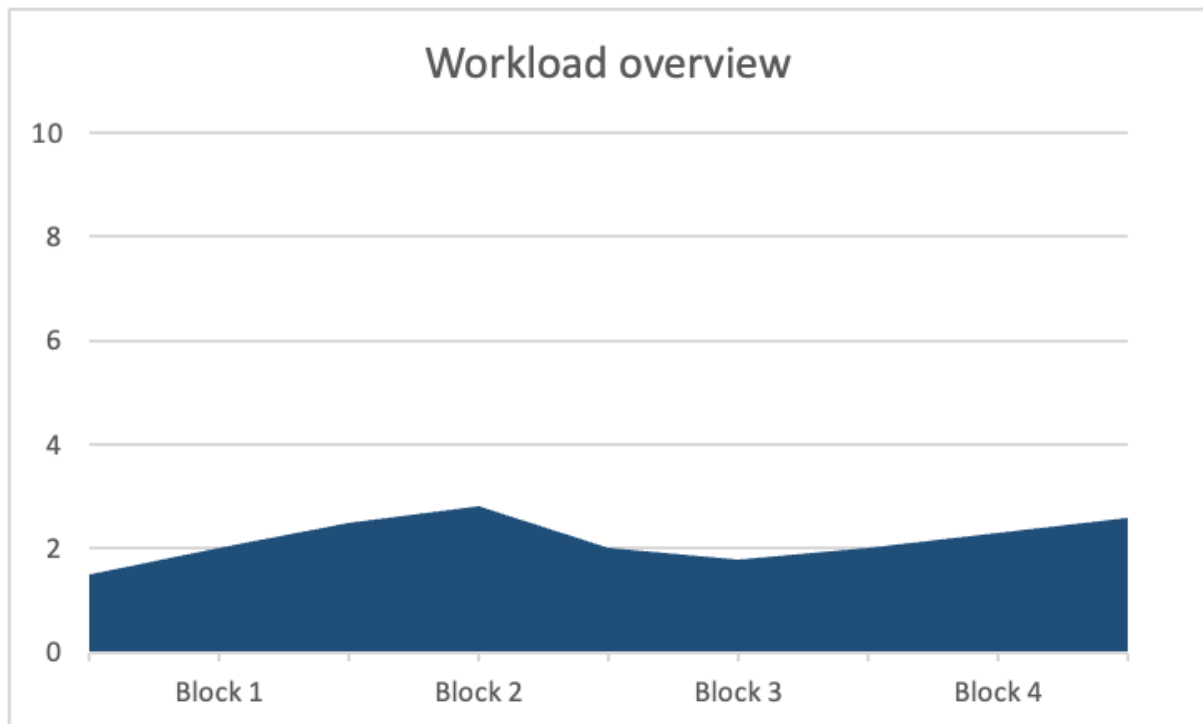
In the Theme Party Committee (TiPCie), you will organize the most famous, most well-visited and notorious parties of Study Association POLIS. You and your fellow committee members will organize one party in collaboration with another association and a pub crawl through Tilburg. You are free to come up with the craziest ideas and themes and transform ‘Café de Boekanier’ completely into the theme. From experience we can tell: nothing is too much or too crazy at TiPCie parties!



# Volunteer pool

## Informal & Formal

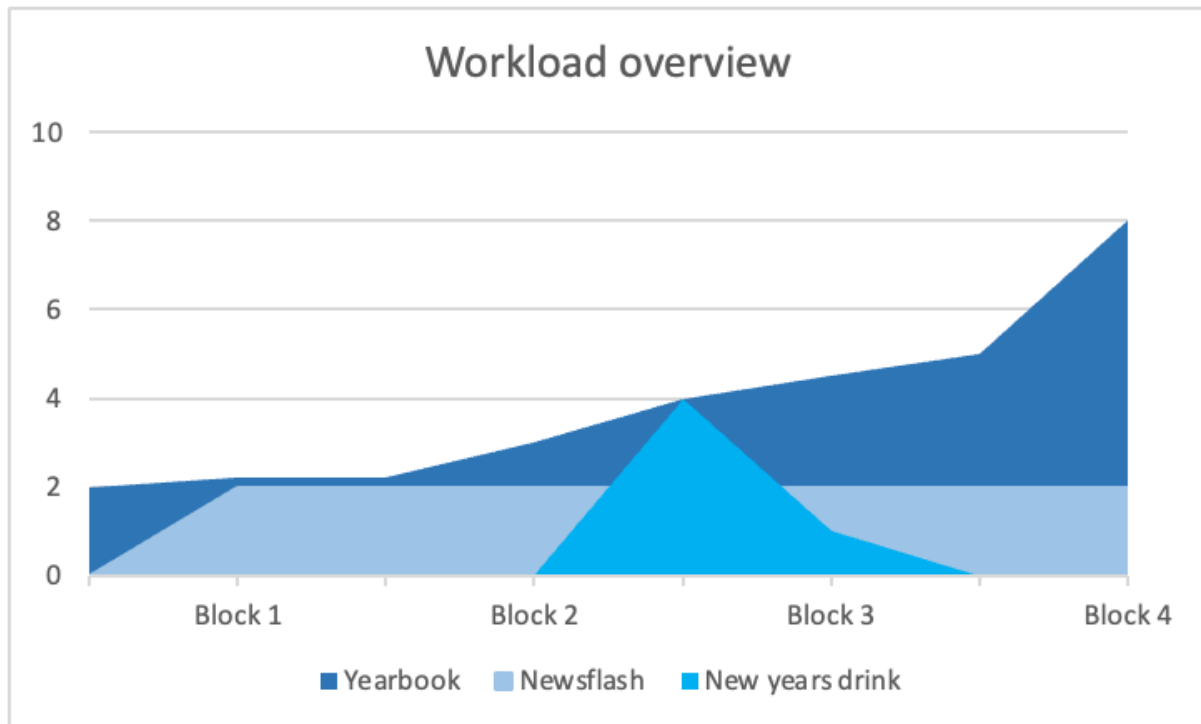
Do you want to start volunteer work but do not know how to start? Join the Volunteerpool! The board will provide multiple opportunities throughout the year which you can join. The Volunteerpool has no obligations and is purely for people who are interested in taking an extra social step! We will be working together with multiple nonprofits and suggestions are always welcome!



# Yearbook Committee (RedaCie)

## Informal & Formal

In the Yearbook Committee, you and your fellow committee members will be responsible for creating the famous almanac. The almanac is a yearbook which looks back at the whole year and captures all the beautiful memories. The Yearbook Committee will also Don't worry, it won't be just writing and editing all year! You will also help organize the New Years Drink where all POLIS members can meet again after the winter break and wish each other a happy new year! If you are creative and would like to capture memories of the whole year in a wonderful almanac, you should join the Yearbook Committee!



# Committee Functions

In every committee, members take on different functions. These functions all come with their own, unique tasks and responsibilities.

## **Chairman**

The Chairman has the responsibility of leading every committee meeting. You will have to schedule each meeting and set up an agenda for those meetings. It is your task to call enough meetings and to make sure tasks are divided equally among your committee members. During your committee's event, you have the ultimate responsibility to make sure things run smoothly. Every committee also includes one board member, your coordinator, who will be your right hand in the committee and who will assist you in all of these tasks.

## **Secretary**

The Secretary has the responsibility to write the minutes of each meeting. It is important to document what has been discussed and decided during meetings, so the committee can always reference it later. Being a secretary also means that you are tasked with checking whether your fellow committee members have completed their tasks on time. You also keep track on how many crosses (strikes) each committee member has gotten. Getting too many crosses results in somebody being punished in any way the committee has agreed to.

## **Treasurer**

The Treasurer has the responsibility over the money the committee spends and receives. You will keep track of how much budget the committee has to work with, and you will draw up balance sheets for each of the committee's events, you will also be supported by your coordinator and the board's treasurer.

## **Public Relations**

The Public Relations officer has the responsibility to contact external parties on behalf of your committee. When the committee needs to get in touch with a pub, company, prom venue, etcetera, it is your job to contact them, maintain contact with them, and notify your committee of any updates.

## **Chief of Drinks**

Being in a committee is about more than just organizing events. The Chief of Drinks has the responsibility to organize fun activities, such as drinks, with your committee. This is a great way of getting to know each other and creating a great atmosphere in the committee. You will also be included in a WhatsApp group with all the association's chiefs of drinks, so you can easily reach out to other committees to join you for some fun! As a fun extra, you will also be involved in organizing one Chief of Drinks activity during the year.

If you are planning on signing up as an active member, you don't need to apply for a specific function right away (with exception of the role of chairman). We recommend you just browse through this booklet and get a feel for which committee you'd like to be a part of first!