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The Breakdown: A Game of Risk & Crisis Management

Six scenarios testing strategy under system failure

Simulation Games at Innovative Dutch

Innovative Dutch designs simulation-based learning environments that make strategic trade-offs visible under pressure. Participants do not study theory — they experience the consequences of their decisions in systems that are pushed to failure. For over 15 years, our simulations have been used in universities and executive settings worldwide to explore how organisational systems perform when uncertainty, resource constraints and external shocks converge.

All simulations are designed to test structural capability — not just strategic intent.

Academic Simulation Game: The Breakdown

Designed for business schools, engineering programmes and executive MBA cohorts, The Breakdown: A Risk & Crisis Management Game can be played with 10 to 250+ participants simultaneously. Teams of 3–5 manage organisations operating under increasing systemic pressure. Participants build organisational capacity by allocating resources across key domains such as detection, risk analysis, mitigation, response and recovery.

Across multiple competitive rounds, teams detect early signals, reduce exposure to risk, respond to emerging crises, and limit severity and systemic damage. A proprietary algorithm processes decisions and provides real-time feedback on exposure reduction, severity mitigation and total impact avoided. The simulation makes the relationship between risk management (before the event) and crisis management (after the event) tangible, and exposes the structural trade-offs behind organisational resilience and failure. Formats include on-site, online and hybrid delivery.

Executive Simulations: The Breakdown

Executive simulations are high-intensity, 3-hour decision labs for leadership teams (5–20 participants). They focus on stress-testing a specific innovation capability under realistic constraints.

Available simulations include:

- The Breakdown (risk & crisis capacity under system pressure)
- Leadership Under Pressure (decision-making under incentives and risk)
- System Failure & Recovery (coordination under breakdown conditions)
- Strategic Response to Disruption (adapting under external shocks)

Participants engage in structured decision rounds and receive immediate feedback on the impact of their decisions on system performance, exposure and damage mitigation.



Risk & Crisis Management Simulator



Teams playing the game on location

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Pricing

Please find our pricing structure below. All prices exclude VAT and possible travel, and accommodation costs. The prices include all preparations, sessions, access to the simulation and materials. We'll always send you a detailed quotation first for your approval. The invoice will be sent 2 weeks prior to the first day of the training program.

Executive Simulation

Participants	Executive Simulation	Simulation + Executive Debrief	Simulation + 90-Day Capability Sprint
Focus	Stress-test risk & crisis capability under system failure		
Format	3-hour high-intensity session (5–20 leaders)	3-hour session + executive memo & debrief	Simulation + debrief + 2–3 follow-up sessions
Outcome	Visibility of exposure, vulnerabilities and response gaps	Concrete improvements in risk mitigation and crisis response design	Measurable reduction in exposure and impact within 90 days
Investment	From: €4999	From: €7999	From: €12999

Academic Simulation Games

Format	Day Simulation (1 day)	Extended Simulation (5 days – 7 weeks)
Setup	5-round competitive simulation under increasing system pressure, including live guidance by a risk & crisis expert	Multi-round simulation embedded in curriculum, including guided sessions focused on risk, crisis and system dynamics
Learning Depth	Tactical risk & response decisions under pressure	Strategic management of exposure, severity and system resilience
Price	Participants: 1-20: €1799 21-30: €2199 31-50: €2699 >50: tailored pricing	Participants: 1-20: €2699 21-30: €3299 31-50: €3999 >50: tailored pricing

Pricing includes simulation, facilitation and all materials. Final pricing depends on format and group composition.

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