



INSTITUTIONAL FACT SHEET

LEIPZIG UNIVERSITY

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www.uni-leipzig.de/en/international/study-and-internships-abroad/erasmus-contacts

DATES AND DEADLINES

Academic Year

Winter Semester: 01 October – 31 March Summer Semester: 01 April – 30 September

www.uni-leipzig.de/en/studying/current-students/academic-calendar

Application deadlines for inbound exchange students

For Winter Semester

Erasmus+ Europe: 30 June (nomination requested until 30 May)
Erasmus+ International Credit mobility: 15 June (nomination requested until 15 May)

For Summer Semester

Erasmus+ Europe: 15 January (nomination requested until 15 December)
Erasmus+ International Credit mobility: 01 December (nomination requested until 01 November)



INFORMATION FOR INBOUND STUDENTS

Website for exchange students

Requirements for becoming an exchange student

Course catalogues

Module catalogues for each semester list all planned modules for each of the 14 faculties and their institutes including information on module title, instructor, language of instruction, and teaching period.

Further catalogues list:

- electives in the Humanities, Social Sciences and Arts
- inter-faculty key qualification modules open to all fields
- extracurricular language acquisition

Registration for modules will be open after successful enrollment at Leipzig University.

Courses of study and study guides

(English website only lists degree programmes offered completely in English. For a complete list of programmes, please switch to German website.)

For each degree programme, the following details are available:

- Links to faculty/institute (information on faculty staff on those websites)
- Requirements and contents (programme overview and structure, list of modules and ECTS credits)
- Downloads of programme-specific study guides
- Further details at a glance (field of study, degree type and degree, language of instruction)

Required language skills in language of instruction

Regulations set in the inter-institutional Agreements - predominantly German and/or English, each of minimum proficiency:

- B2 (CEFR) for the language of instruction, especially for Master programmes and doctorates
- B1 (CEFR) minimum acceptable if approved on an individual basis

Preparatory German language and orientation course

Transcript of Records procedure

The departmental coordinator (see above) is the contact person for the Transcript of Records at the end of your exchange stay.



ACADEMIC SYSTEM

Bachelor Degree

Years of study (full time course load): 3 years (6 semesters)

Minimum credits per semester: 30 ECTS
Minimum credits per academic year: 60 ECTS

Master Degree

Years of study (full time course load): 2 years (4 semesters)

Minimum credits per semester: 30 ECTS
Minimum credits per academic year: 60 ECTS

Work load and credits according to the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)

1 ECTS credit equals 25-30 study hours (including self-study and contact hours)

Semester

Weeks per Semester: 26 to 27 weeks total Regular teaching schedule: 17 weeks of teaching

Examination period: 2 – 3 weeks at the end of each teaching period

Self-study period/lecture-free time: 6-7 weeks after examination period



LOCAL GRADING SYSTEM

 Local Grade
 Grade Definition

 1.0/1,3/1,5
 "Sehr gut" – Very good

 1,7/2,0/2,3/2,5
 "Gut" – Good

2,7/3,0/3,3/3,5 "Befriedigend" – Satisfactory 3,7/4,0 "Ausreichend" – Sufficient

5 "Unzureichend" – Failed



COSTS

Cost of Living

Semester fee

(This is not a tuition fee. You will receive a versatile student ID valid for libraries, cafeterias, copy stations, and regional public transport.)

• Semester fee (due each semester): €265.50 (may vary)

• Student ID fee "UniCard" (due once): €10.00



HEALTH, INSURANCE, VISA AND HOUSING

Health and Insurance

Visa

Accommodation

Pre-arranged housing is not offered by the university but a wide range of reasonably-priced apartments and rooms can be found in Leipzig.

Student accommodation offered by the Studentenwerk Leipzig

Studentenwerk Leipzig rents fully-furnished rooms to students of Leipzig University. Please check their website for detailed information on rents and application procedures.



MOBILITY FOR EVERYONE

Information for students with special needs

Information for parents

Further information on child care services

For a wide range of information on different options of care, make sure to check for benefits that are made available to you as studying parent: www.uni-leipzig.de/en/equality/studying