

JLU

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JUSTUS-LIEBIG-
UNIVERSITÄT
GIESSEN

**WELCOME
TO GIESSEN**

**INTERNATIONAL SPRING
AND SUMMER COURSES**

2023/2024



DIE STADT

Die Universitätsstadt Gießen liegt in der Mitte des Bundeslandes Hessen, ist eingebettet in die Metropolregion Frankfurt/Rhein-Main und hat mit rund 85.000 Einwohnern und rund 40.000 Studierenden die höchste Studierendendichte in Deutschland. Dementsprechend bietet die Stadt ein reichhaltiges kulturelles Angebot für Studierende.

Forschung und Lehre, kurze Wege, schnelle Informationen und vielfältige Medien sind die Grundlagen des kulturellen Lebens dieser Stadt. Offenheit, Liberalität und Internationalität spiegeln sich in dem einzigartigen Spektrum aller Gießener Aktivitäten.



THE CITY

The university town of Giessen is located in the heart of the Federal State of Hessen and is situated in the metropolitan region of Rhine-Main. With about 85,000 inhabitants and about 40,000 students, Giessen has the highest student density of all German university towns. Therefore, the city offers a wide range of cultural activities for students.

Teaching and research, short distances, fast information and a diverse media landscape are the basis of the city's cultural life. The open-mindedness, liberal attitude and internationality of Giessen are reflected in the city's unique spectrum of activities.





DIE UNIVERSITÄT

Die Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen (JLU) ist eine moderne Hochschule mit über 400-jähriger Geschichte. Mit der Medizin und der Veterinärmedizin, den Agrarwissenschaften sowie den Umwelt- und Ernährungswissenschaften verfügt die JLU über eine einzigartige Fächerkonstellation im Themenbereich Lebenswissenschaften. Daneben bietet sie das komplette Spektrum von den Naturwissenschaften über die Rechts- und Wirtschaftswissenschaften, die Gesellschafts- und Erziehungswissenschaften bis hin zu den Sprach- und Kulturwissenschaften. Einen besonderen Schwerpunkt legt die JLU auf ihre internationalen Kooperationen in Forschung und Lehre sowie den weltweiten Austausch auf allen Ebenen.



DATEN UND FAKTEN

- über 28.000 Studierende
- 11 Fachbereiche
- rund 100 Partnerschafts-, Kooperations- und Austauschabkommen weltweit
- rund 215 Erasmus-Partnerhochschulen in Europa



THE UNIVERSITY

Justus Liebig University Giessen (JLU) is one of Germany's top research universities featuring an extraordinarily broad range of subjects. Both rich in tradition – with a history of more than 400 years – and highly innovative, JLU is host to a number of projects which are beacons of German research. JLU's unique profile in the Life Sciences and its highly successful graduate programmes in the humanities shape the university: medicine, veterinary medicine, agricultural sciences as well as environmental studies and nutrition make for a very special constellation of disciplines in the area of life sciences. The natural sciences, law and economics, social and educational sciences as well as cultural studies all add up to a great variety of subjects.

JLU maintains a strong international network with strategic partners around the world to ensure that academic exchange and cooperation take place at all levels throughout the university.

FACTS AND FIGURES

- more than 28,000 students
- 11 faculties
- around 100 formal agreements for partnerships, cooperative programmes, and exchanges worldwide
- around 215 Erasmus partner institutions within Europe





SPRACHE – STUDIUM – LANDESKUNDE

INTERNATIONALER HOCHSCHULSOMMERKURS



31. August bis 29. September 2023

Deutsch-Intensivkurs und Vorbereitung für internationale Studierende, Promovierende und Forschende der Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen (JLU) und der Technischen Hochschule Mittelhessen (THM).

SPRACHKURSE:

- verschiedene Niveaustufen
- 100 Unterrichtsstunden
- 4 ECTS-Punkte

ANMELDESCHLUSS:

15. JULI 2023

KURSGEBÜHR: EUR 770,-

(reduzierte Kursgebühr für Austauschstudierende: EUR 570,-)

UNTERKUNFT:

- in Studierendenwohnheimen
(Mietkosten sind nicht in der Kursgebühr enthalten)

**BETREUUNG DURCH STUDENTISCHE MENTORINNEN UND
MENTOREN | WORKSHOPS | AUSFLÜGE | ABHOLSERVICE**

LANGUAGE – STUDY PREPARATION – GERMAN CULTURE

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER COURSE



August 31 – September 29, 2023

German intensive course, integration and preparation for international students, postgraduates and visiting researchers of Justus Liebig University Giessen and the THM University of Applied Sciences.

LANGUAGE CLASSES:

- different levels
- 100 hours of instruction
- 4 ECTS points

REGISTRATION

DEADLINE: JULY 15, 2023

COURSE FEE: EUR 770.-

(reduced course fee for exchange students: EUR 570.-)

ACCOMMODATION:

- in Halls of Residence
(room rates are not included in the course fee)

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SPRACHE – STUDIUM – LANDESKUNDE

INTERNATIONALER FRÜHLINGSKURS



29. Februar bis 22. März 2024

Deutsch-Intensivkurs und Vorbereitung für internationale Studierende, Promovierende und Forschende der Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen und der Technischen Hochschule Mittelhessen (THM).

SPRACHKURSE:

- verschiedene Niveaustufen
- 60 Unterrichtsstunden
- 3 ECTS-Punkte

ANMELDESCHLUSS:

15. JANUAR 2024

KURSGEBÜHR: EUR 570,-

(reduzierte Kursgebühr für Austauschstudierende: EUR 370,-)

UNTERKUNFT:

- in Studierendenwohnheimen
(Mietkosten sind nicht in der Kursgebühr enthalten)

BETREUUNG DURCH STUDENTISCHE MENTORINNEN UND MENTOREN | WORKSHOPS | AUSFLÜGE | ABHOLSERVICE

LANGUAGE – STUDY PREPARATION – GERMAN CULTURE

INTERNATIONAL SPRING COURSE



February 29 – March 22, 2024

German intensive course, integration and preparation for international students, postgraduates and visiting researchers of Justus Liebig University Giessen and the THM University of Applied Sciences.

LANGUAGE CLASSES:

- different levels
- 60 hours of instruction
- 3 ECTS points

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
JANUARY 15, 2024**

COURSE FEE: EUR 570.-

(reduced course fee for exchange students: EUR 370.-)

ACCOMMODATION:

- in Halls of Residence
(room rates are not included in the course fee)

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Important information on visa application and health insurance

Application documents:

First step to take is your Online Application. It is very important to send your application documents in due time to JLU Giessen. For your **visa** you require a **Confirmation of Acceptance**, which we can only issue after having processed your documents entirely. In order to receive your Confirmation of Acceptance in time to get your VISA, please send your completed documents as soon as possible.

Visa:

You have to apply for a student [visa](#) as a non-EU citizen– the status of your visa cannot be changed in Germany. A tourist visa is unfortunately not sufficient. This applies to anybody, who is not citizen of an EU country and can present a corresponding passport (e.g. incoming students from Turkey).

Students with a non-EU citizenship studying in an EU-country with a student residence permit fall under a specific guideline, called REST. If this applies to you, please get in touch with us as soon as possible.

The current amount of a required proof of subsistence is 934€ per month starting 1st of January 2023. The total amount needed will be the number of month times 934€.

Health insurance:

For your period of stay in Germany, you should definitely contract a German statutory health insurance.

Please also check our [Website](#) for further information. Most private health insurances do not cover all medical treatments in Germany so that you would have to pay these high costs yourself. That is why we recommend contracting a German statutory health insurance for students in Germany right after your arrival (and cancelling e.g. your Turkish insurance in order not to have double insurance costs). Remember, medical treatment in Germany is comparatively expensive when you are not sufficiently insured. You might also wish to get an insurance providing for the transport home (often offered by automobile associations) in case of serious illness. These insurances are usually quite inexpensive. We also recommend a travel insurance before your arrival, so you are safe and insured while contracting a German insurance. When enrolling as a student at JLU, your confirmation of insurance is obligatory.

In case you have a **European Health Insurance Card**, this is a sufficient proof of Health Insurance. You will get information on how to provide your Confirmation of Insurance to JLU at a later point.

Turkish students can also get a Confirmation of Insurance through the A/T 11. In case of questions, let us know.



Although this may seem a lot to organize, we will try our best to support you at our International Office and you can contact us anytime via e-mail: europa-aaa@admin.uni-giessen.de. Do not hesitate to ask, whenever you have questions or concerns.

Here are some addresses of health insurance companies in Giessen:

Die Techniker (TK): Liebigstraße 14; TK university advisor: Till Heppe; Phone: +49(0)175 - 584 09 48
Opening hours: Mon, Thurs: 09:00 - 17:00 Tue & Wed: 09:00 - 15:00 Fri: 09:00 - 13:00

Barmer: Westanlage 7; Student advisor: Martin Keßler; Phone: +49(0)800 333 004 301-239 (free of charge from landlines and mobile phones); E-mail: service@barmer.de
Opening hours: Mon - Wed: 09:00 - 18:00 Thu: 09:00 - 19:00 Fri: 09:00 - 16:00, (or by appointment)

Deutsche Angestellten Krankenkasse (DAK): Johannesstr. 17, 35390 Gießen; Phone: +49(0)641 9790480; E-mail: service754300@dak.de
Opening hours: Mon - Wed: 08:00 - 16:00 Thu: 08:00 - 17:00 Fri: 08:00 - 13:00
According to the DAK service centre in Gießen, it is currently not possible to take out health insurance and obtain the digital M10 certificate without providing a German residential address.

AOK: Gartenstr. 10; Phone: +49(0)800 0000 255; E-mail: studenten-service.Giessen@he.aok.de
Opening hours depend on the current corona situation

KKH Kaufmännische Krankenkasse: Seltersweg 7-9; Phone: +49(0)641 7954600
Opening hours: Tue & Thu: 10:00 - 12:00 Thu: 14:00 - 16:00

IKK Southwest: Lahnstraße 3 c; Phone: +49(0)641 2655 9300; E-mail: info@ikk-sw.de
Opening hours: Mon - Wed, Fri: 08:00 - 16:00 Thu: 08:00 - 18:00

In addition to these statutory health insurance funds listed here, there are of course others that you can also choose from.

Please note that due to the current situation, opening hours might have changed. Regularly check the insurance companies' websites and contact them first.

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INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

INFORMATION SHEET FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS 2023

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PLEASE NOTE THAT UNDER THE GIVEN CIRCUMSTANCES THE CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE EXCHANGE PROGRAMME IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. THE REALISATION OF STAYS IN 2022 DEPENDS ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC. IF NECESSARY, COURSES COULD BE HELD IN DIGITAL OR HYBRID FORMAT.

Academic Calendar

- **Summer semester 2023:** 01 April 2023 – 30 September 2023
- Lecture period: 11 April 2023 - 14 July 2023
- **Winter semester 2023/24:** 01 October 2023 – 31 March 2024
- Lecture period: 16 October 2023 – 9 February 2024
- **Summer semester 2024:** 01 April 2024 – 30 September 2024
- Lecture period: 15 April 2024 – 19 July 2024

ECTS Course Catalogue / Module Descriptions in English and Classes Taught in English

<https://www.uni-giessen.de/de/internationales/ce>

Lecture Timetable

For further information please ask our departmental coordinators or click on “Lehrveranstaltungen” on uni-giessen.de/evv (all classes taught at JLU, available in German only; updated lecture timetables will be published on 01 March for the summer semester and 01 September for the winter semester).

Exchange/Departmental Coordinators:

For Erasmus+ students:

Please find your departmental coordinator on:

<https://www.uni-giessen.de/en/international-pages/erasmus/europe/in/contact>

For students on other exchange programmes:

Please see our website for the names and contact details of our exchange coordinators:

www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/coop/all

Nomination Deadlines:

Nomination deadline for summer semester 2023: 15 November

Nomination deadline for winter semester 2023/24: 15 May

Nomination deadline for summer semester 2024: 15 November

Application Deadlines and Forms:

Application deadline for summer semester 2023: 15 December

Application deadline for winter semester 2023/24: 15 June

Application deadline for summer semester 2024: 15 December

For Erasmus+ students:

All necessary application forms and up-to-date information for Erasmus+ students can be found on <https://www.uni-giessen.de/en/international-pages/erasmus/europe/in>

For students on other exchange programmes:

Important information and application for students on other exchange programmes can be found on www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/coop/applications/app

Accommodation:

Our exchange students usually stay in one of our halls of residence. A room is guaranteed to all our exchange students for their entire period of stay if the application deadline is met. More information (e.g. prices for rooms) can be found on www.uni-giessen.de/acc. Housing contracts start either on the 1st or 16th day of each month. Alternatively, we publish offers for private rooms from outgoing students of JLU for incoming exchange students on www.uni-giessen.de/acc.

Orientation Week for International Students:

During the orientation week our mentors will give exchange students information on their studies in Giessen and inform them about all important dates which should not be missed. The orientation week usually starts two weeks before the start of lectures in the winter semester and one week before the start of lectures in the summer semester.

The enrolment will take place online. Students will receive an email from the registrar's office with further information.

www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/study/enrol

German Language Courses:

We offer evening classes in German (free of charge) during the semester. Before each winter semester, exchange students can attend our International Summer Course, before each summer semester our International Spring Course. Both courses include intensive German Language Courses, excursions, workshops, and much more.

For the International Summer Course exchange students pay a reduced fee and can gain 4 ECTS. For the International Spring Course exchange students pay a reduced fee and can gain 3 ECTS. Please register online. For registration and more information please see:

www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/language-courses

Language Requirements:

There are no general language requirements for exchange students. Some departments require proof of certain English or German language skills. We strongly recommend German language skills of at least B1 level to be able to follow classes and to communicate in everyday life! Please ask our exchange/departmental coordinators (see above) for required German language skills in advance!

Average Living Expenses:

Expect approx. € 934 per month plus a (re)registration fee of around € 270,- for our student ID card which includes the "semesterticket" (free public transport within Hesse) and a contribution to the students' union in order to profit from cheaper prices in student restaurants, halls of residence, etc. The (re)registration fee has to be paid at the beginning of each semester (details are indicated in the letter of acceptance):

www.uni-giessen.de/semestercontribution

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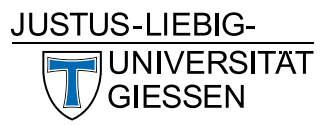
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