Akademisches Auslandsamt International Office

> JUSTUS-LIEBIG-UNIVERSITÄT GIESSEN

Welcome to Justus Liebig University Giessen



ERASMUS Information Sheet

ERASMUS Code:

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ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator:

Julia-Sophie Rothmann

ERASMUS Departmental Coordinators:

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

www.uni-giessen.de/cms/internationales/erasmus/in/kontakt

Academic Calendar:

Winter semester 2012/13: 01/10/2012 – 31/03/2013 Summer semester 2013: 01/04/2013 – 30/09/2013

Lecture Period:

Winter semester 2012/13: 15/10/2012 – 15/02/2013 Summer semester 2013: 15/04/2013 – 19/07/2013

Lecture Timetable:

Please ask our departmental coordinator or click on "Veranstaltungen" of the respective department at: http://vv.uni-giessen.de/

All Classes/Modules taught in English at JLU: http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/internationales/ce

Application forms:

All necessary application forms and up-to-date information for incoming ERASMUS students can be found on http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/internationales/erasmus/in

Application Deadline for the winter semester 2012/13: June 15th, 2012

Application Deadline for the summer semester 2013: December 15th, 2012

Accommodation:

Our ERASMUS Students usually stay in one of our halls of residence. A room is guaranteed for all ERASMUS Students for the entire period of their stay. If you want to accept this offer, please fill in the application form ("Wohnheimantrag"). Please keep in mind that you can move in the hall of residence before the start of the semester (i.e., if you participate in the introductory language course). You can move in either on the 1st or 15th day of each month. The prices for rooms (all with internet access) vary according to the duration of your stay. Please see our website for prices and the application form:

http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/acc

Alternatively, you might like to check our website for private rooms from ERASMUS students of JLU for incoming ERASMUS students:

http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/acc

Info-Desk/Introductory Week:

At our Information Desk (Info-Desk) our mentors will give you information concerning your studies in Giessen. They will help you with enrolment and inform you about all important dates which should not be missed.

The Info-Desk usually starts three weeks before the start of lectures in the winter semester and two weeks before the start of lectures in the summer semester.

Our mentors welcome you during that period every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning. For more details please see your letter of acceptance which you will receive by regular mail or have a look at:

http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/international-pages/study/

German Language Courses:

We offer evening classes in German (free of charge) during the semester. Before each winter semester, you 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 ERASMUS students pay only a reduced fee of € 400.

For the International Spring Course ERASMUS students pay only a reduced fee of € 150.

For more information please see:

http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/sprachkursein

Language Requirements:

There are no language requirements for ERASMUS students. However, we strongly recommend German language skills of at least B1 level in order to being able to follow classes and communicating in everyday life!

Please check the list of courses for your corresponding department and ask the departmental coordinators regarding the required German language skills in advance!

ERASMUS Information brochure:

You will receive our Information brochure together with the letter of acceptance. The information package is also available online; please follow the link on our homepage: www.uni-qiessen.de/cms/erasmusinfobrochure

Average Living Expenses:

Expect approx. € 550 per month. A registration fee of around € 190,- for your student ID card, including the "semesterticket" (free public transport within Hessen) and a contribution to the students' union in order to profit from cheaper prices in the mensa, halls of residence, etc. This fee has to be paid at the beginning of the semester (can be done in Giessen).

