

Technische Universität München

International Office

Partner Information Form

For Prospective Erasmus Incoming Students

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Application Deadline

Deadline for Winter term (or for an entire year at TUM):

Applications 31st of May

> Summer term: 31st of October

Application Procedure

Prospective Incoming Students

The partner university selects students according to performance, commitment and language skills (!) and nominates them for the exchange semester stay via the webbased platform "moveonnet" (= eNomination). After an acknowledgement-email from TUM, the International Office of the home university sends the application documents to TUM. Applications sent directly to the TUM International Office will not be accepted. Nominated Students should submit in the following documents:

- 1) Online application printed and signed by applicant and in addition bearing stamp and signature of the International Office of the home university
- 2) One page letter of Motivation stating the reasons for applying at TUM (in German)
- 3) Curriculum Vitae, also in German
- 4) Study Program (signed and stamped by the departmental coordinator)
- 5) Transcript of records (all grades you have attained at home university so far, signed and stamped by the university)
- Passport Photo (original, no scanned or copied photo)

 $See \ also: \ \underline{\text{http://portal.mytum.de/studium/bewerbung/incomings/Austauschstudenten/Incoming}} \ \underline{\text{Erasmus/document view?}}$



Course Registration and Academic Information

Semester Dates Winter term: October-March

Summer term: April-September

For specific dates please look under:

http://portal.mytum.de/studium/semestertermine

List of Departments http://portal.mytum.de/fakultaeten/index html

Course Catalogue https://campus.tum.de/tumonline/webnav.ini

and Descriptions To access the course catalogue, please select « courses » in the search bar.

Language Proficiency

Applicants should have sufficient command of German to be able to follow lectures

without difficulty.

Language of Instruction Most of the classes are held in German.

Language Courses TUM offers German language courses for international students. Intensive courses are

offered in the two weeks immediate before the start of lectures.

For details please look at:

http://portal.mytum.de/studium/sprachenzentrum/index html

Semester Workload 15-20 ETCS credits suggested

Academic Transcripts Exchange students are responsible for having their grades forwarded to their Erasmus-

Coordinator so that the coordinator can write the transcript and return it to the student.

Accommodation

Accommodation The application for the Erasmus program at TUM does not include an offer

for a room in a dorm. Students have to find a room themselves on the private market with the list of hints on finding accommodation:

http://portal.mytum.de/studium/soziales/wohnen/index html

Orientation Programme

Orientation Program TUMi provides an orientation program designed to help students find their way in

Munich. The program takes place the first two weeks of October (winter term) and the first two weeks of April (summer term) and is divided into about instructional units that are designed to not only help you get through the paper work upon arrival, but also

acquaint you with the cultural possibilities in and around Munich:

http://portal.mytum.de/international/tumi/index html



Estimated Costs of Living

Private Dorms / Apartments: 250 € - 600 €

Food/meals:

300 € per month

Local transportation:

30 € - 65 € per month

Expenses for lecture

Approx. 20 € per month

materials:

Personal expenses:

(telephone, clothes, leisure time, etc.)

150 € per month (according to individual needs)

Health Insurance:

76-78 € per month (not for students with an EHIC-card)

Administrative fee:

42 € per semester

Further Information:

http://portal.mytum.de/studium/soziales/lebenshaltung/document_view?

Visa Requirements/Residence Permit Application

Entry Regulations

Applicants from EU/EWR nations as well as some other nations do not need a visa to study in Germany.

All applicants from Non-EU nations need a visa to study in Germany. In order to get a visa, you must apply for one at the embassy or consulate of the Federal Republic of Germany in your home country. You must apply for your visa at least 2 months ahead of time. Please do not travel to Germany on a tourist visa, since it cannot be changed to a student visa. Students that are in Germany on a tourist visa are not entitled to study there. Students from Switzerland who are allowed to enter Germany without a visa have to fill out a residence permit application, which can be obtained at the local

Foreigner's Registration Authority.

Further Information:

 $\underline{\text{http://portal.mytum.de/studium/bewerbung/incomings/einreisebestimmungen}}$

Health Insurance

Are students required to purchase health insurance?

Yes, in Germany health insurance is mandatory. One cannot register at TUM without proof of a German national insurance. Students originating from countries in the European Union (EU)/EWR nations must obtain the International Health Insurance Certification (former E111 or E128) or EHIC-Card from their insurer in their home country and present it to a German national insurer to receive the demanded proof. Students originating from countries outside the EU must also present a certificate entitling them to German health insurance coverage. Students who are not insured in their home countries, obtain German insurance through a German national health insurer of their choice. Full coverage for students is around € 76-78 monthly.

Further Information:

http://portal.mytum.de/studium/bewerbung/krankenversicherung/document_view?





Banking

Must I open a bank

It is highly advisable to open a bank account in Germany.

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German banks offer accounts free of charge for students. Debit cards from German

banks are accepted throughout Europe.

What are acceptable

studying in Munich?

credit cards in Munich?

In Munich all major credit cards are accepted. However, not all stores take credit

cards; in some shops you are obligated to pay with cash.

In smaller cities and towns outside of Munich credit cards are not widely accepted.

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Website for incoming

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