and the World Relations", and "Knowledge, Spaces, and Media" are of key importance in shaping the university's diverse research profile. These areas of specialization have been intensified by the creation of graduate schools and centers.

ERFURT IN THE CENTER OF GERMANY
THE CITY OF ERFURT
Erfurt, a city of approximately 200,000 inhabitants and the capital of the free state of Thuringia, looks back over more than 1250 years of history. Located at the crossroads of important medieval trade routes, Erfurt was the region's commercial, political, and cultural center. The biographies of many prominent thinkers, such as Meister Eckhart, Martin Luther, Ulrich von Hutten, Adam Ries, and Wilhelm von Humboldt, were closely connected to Erfurt's history.

The immediate vicinity offers many cultural treasures, too. Weimar, the city of Goethe, Schiller, Herder, Nietzsche and Liszt, as well as Eisenach, birthplace of Johann Sebastian Bach, are among the famous places nearby. Erfurt is located at approx. 2 hours by train from Berlin, Frankfurt/Main, Munich and only 5 hours away from Brussels, Paris, Amsterdam and Prague.

REASONS TO STUDY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ERFURT:

• no tuition fees (except for Public Policy and certificate programs)
• campus university with on-campus accommodation and student restaurants, family-friendly facilities and childcare
• modern, well-equipped library, 6 PC pools, Language Center and self-access area for independent study
• modern Communication and Information Center with PC pools
• German language courses during the semester/ 3-week Preparatory Course for exchange students
• semester ticket: the student ID entitles students to use public transportation within and around Erfurt free of charge
• award-winning support program which enables students to meet German and international students and people outside the university
• affordable cost of living in a centrally located, culturally lively and historically interesting city close by where Johann Sebastian Bach, Martin Luther, Johann Wolfgang von Goethe and Friedrich Schiller lived and worked

FURTHER INFORMATION

• www.daad.de (German Academic Exchange Service)
• www.stw-thueringen.de (Student Services)
• www.erfurt.de (City of Erfurt)
• www.ho-nordhausen.de/en/international-staatliches-studienkolleg (Pre-university Program)
• www.thaff-thueringen.de/en

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Every student is assigned a faculty member as an academic advisor who will support you in planning your personal curriculum. The Student Association International Campus Erfurt (ICE) organizes the International Welcome Program and excellent student-faculty ratio guarantee a high-quality education. Refounded in 1994 the University of Erfurt is characterized by close ties between the four faculties and the Max-Weber-Kolleg as well as numerous interdisciplinary projects. The university-wide areas of specializations are “Education, School, and Behaviour”, “Religion, Society, and Culture”. The reform university for the arts and humanities with a particular focus on cultural and social sciences offers an inspiring atmosphere for studying and conducting academic work. The close ties between the Faculty of Humanities; Faculty of Education; Faculty of Economics, Law, and Social Sciences; Faculty of Catholic Theology and the Max Weber Centre for Advanced Cultural and Social Studies help the university as a whole to forge new paths in teaching and research.

Forward-looking academic programs that combine subject-specific knowledge and professionalization, modern forms of teacher training, and the interdisciplinary general education program guarantee a particular focus on cultural and social studies in Germany and stands out for not charging tuition fees and its certified family-friendly policy.

COURSE OFFERINGS

BACHELOR PROGRAMS

• Art
• Catholic Religious Education
• Communication Science
• Economics, Law and Social Sciences – Economics concentration
• Economics, Law and Social Sciences – Law concentration
• Economics, Law and Social Sciences – Social Science concentration
• Education for Special Needs Pedagogy
• English and American Studies
• German Studies
• History
• International Relations
• Literary Studies

MASTERS PROGRAMS

• Applied Linguistics
• Cognitive and Behavioral Sciences
• Collecting-Based History of Knowledge and Culture
• Communication, Media and Society
• Economics, Law and Social Sciences
• Educational Science
• Health Communication
• Transcultural History
• Literary Studies
• Middle Eastern Sociology/Anthropology
• Music Education
• Philosophy
• Psychology
• Public Policy (in English; tuition fee)
• Management (minor only)
• Mathematics (minor only)
• Music Education (minor only)
• Music Mediation
• Philosophy
• Physical Education (minor only)
• Primary and Elementary Education
• Protestant Religious Education (minor only)
• Religious Studies
• Romance Studies (minor only)
• Social Science concentration
• Technology Education for Secondary Schools
• Technology Education for Special Needs Pedagogy
• Teaching, Learning and Training Psychology
• Teaching and Learning Psychology
• Worldwide Studies

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