

## UNIVERSITY OF ERFURT

### International Office - Information for exchange students 2024/25

#### Contact [as at: August 2024]

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#### Summer semester 2025: Important dates

<b>Application period:</b>	01/09/ - 30/11/2024
Arrival if you are taking part in the <b>Intensive German language course:</b>	<b>Arrival:</b> 06/03/ - 09/03/2025 The <b>Intensive course</b> takes place from <b>10/03/ - 04/04/2025</b> .
Arrival time if you are taking part in the <b>orientation week:</b>	<b>Arrival:</b> 27/03/ - 30/03/2025 The <b>Orientation Week</b> takes place from <b>31/03/ - 04/04/2025</b> .
<b>lecture period:</b>	07/04/ - 11/07/2025, examinations to follow
You will take part in either the intensive course <u>or</u> the orientation week.	

#### Intensive German language course

Free language and orientation course to improve your German language skills. Listening and reading comprehension, written and oral expression, German culture, history and politics. <b>Language levels: A1-B1.1 (aimed levels)</b> . Online placement test shortly before arrival, organized by the Language Centre.	
Participants / Requirements:	Basic knowledge of the German language is recommended but not essential. Students with an intermediate knowledge of German or students in their second year of German Studies will not be admitted to the intensive course.
Duration:	4 weeks, Monday to Friday, approx. 80 hours of German language lessons
<b>Course summer semester 2025:</b>	<b>10/03/ - 04/04/2025</b>
The course is part of the preparation weeks, which also include matriculation and registration. The course will be <b>credited</b> with <b>6 ECTS</b> if successfully completed. Please report your arrival date ( <b>arrival times</b> see above) to the International Office and keep us informed of any changes to your arrival plan.	

#### Bachelor degree programmes

(a completed first degree is required for access to courses in the Master's degree programmes)

<b>Faculty of Philosophy</b> (Courses are largely taught in German, <b>at least B1 required for courses taught in German</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communication Sciences</li> <li>• English Studies (most courses are taught in English)</li> <li>• German Studies</li> <li>• History (some courses are taught in English)</li> <li>• Literary Studies</li> <li>• Philosophy</li> <li>• Religious Studies</li> <li>• Romance Studies</li> <li>• Slavic Studies</li> </ul>
<b>Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences</b> (Courses available in English)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Economics</li> <li>• Law</li> <li>• Social Sciences</li> <li>• International Relations</li> <li>• Management (minor subject only)</li> </ul>

<b>Faculty of Education</b> (Courses are largely taught in German, <b>at least B1 required for courses taught in German</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arts (generally not accessible to exchange students)</li> <li>• Educational Science</li> <li>• Mathematics (minor subject only)</li> <li>• Music (usually not accessible for exchange students)</li> <li>• Sport (usually not accessible for exchange students)</li> <li>• Primary Education</li> <li>• Protestant Theology</li> <li>• Teaching, Learning and Training psychology</li> </ul>
<b>Faculty of Catholic Theology</b> (courses are largely taught in German, <b>at least B1 required for courses taught in German</b> )	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catholic Theology</li> </ul>

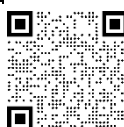
### ECTS: The recognition of achievements

Workload:	30 credit points should be earned per semester. One ECTS point corresponds to one <i>credit point</i> (CP) at the University of Erfurt.
The courses on offer can be found in the <a href="#">course catalogue</a> , which is published 2-3 months before the start of each semester. The course catalogues of previous semesters can serve as a rough guide to the courses on offer for the preparation of initial Learning Agreements (especially Erasmus+). Please use the <b>course catalogue guide</b> .	




### Accommodation

Erfurt's residential homes also offer accommodation for exchange students. You can find more information <a href="#">here</a> . Short-term contracts are possible for 6 and 12 months. Residence applications are <b>possible from 1 October 2024</b> and must be submitted <a href="#">online</a> (form in German language and English). Please send the application confirmation (PDF) together with your application to the International Office! <b>We recommend an early application.</b>
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### Formalities

<b>application:</b>	<b>Deadline: 30 November 2024; <a href="#">application</a> (4 application steps)</b>
<b>Health insurance:</b>  	<b>EU countries/Turkey:</b> Exchange students must present the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) / an AT11 (Turkey) that they have received from their national insurance company shortly before arrival.  <b>Other countries without a bilateral agreement (non-EU):</b> Health insurance/travel insurance <u>is not recognised and is not sufficient for matriculation and registration</u> . Students up to the age of 30 must take out <b>statutory</b> health insurance in Germany, for example through AOK Plus. Costs for statutory student health insurance: approx. 125 € per month.
<b><a href="#">semester contribution:</a></b>	approx. 300 € per semester. To be paid by each student.



### Canteen/Mensa

The university's cafeteria (Mensa) offers lunch at reasonable prices from Monday to Friday. Vegetarian/vegan food is also available. All student residences have cooking facilities.
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### Note

You will receive further information about the exchange programme together with your admission letter and then further information a few weeks before your arrival. Please contact us via <a href="mailto:io.incoming@uni-erfurt.de">io.incoming@uni-erfurt.de</a> if you have any questions!
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