

STUDENT VOICES



"I like this program more and more as I am realizing how much I have developed through this program. It is indeed such an unforgettable memory!"

Eun Che, Korea

"I found this to be one of the most enjoyable experiences of my life. I learnt so much more about the EU and about other cultures."

Edward, Australia



"Great program, full of different activities, travelling to various places and making new friends!"

Meline, Armenia



TOWN OF TÜBINGEN

Tübingen does not have a university, it is a university. The picturesque historical town center and its attractive position on the Neckar River offer a high quality of life whether you are studying, working, or taking a break.

Located at the heart of Europe

Located in Baden-Württemberg, a southern German region with strong European traditions, Tübingen is close to Strasbourg, France, seat of the European Parliament, and equally close to Frankfurt, seat of the European Central Bank. Stuttgart airport nearby serves many international destinations, putting Tübingen just a stone's throw away from cities in Europe like Paris, London and Barcelona.

Close to Stuttgart – a high-tech region

Stuttgart, the capital of Baden-Württemberg, can be reached in just 30 minutes by train. With over 5 million inhabitants, the Stuttgart Metropolitan Region is one of the biggest in Germany. Home to companies such as Bosch, Daimler and Porsche, it has been a center of technological innovation for over a century. Stuttgart has very good rail connections, putting it just a few hours away from Munich, Berlin and Hamburg.

UNIVERSITY OF TÜBINGEN

Innovative. Interdisciplinary. International. Since 1477. These have been the University of Tübingen's guiding principles in research and teaching ever since it was founded. With this long tradition, the University of Tübingen is one of the most respected universities in Germany. Recently, its institutional strategy was successfully selected for funding in the Excellence Initiative sponsored by the German federal and state governments, making Tübingen one of Germany's eleven universities distinguished with that title of excellence. Tübingen has also proven its status as a leading research university in many national and international competitions – in key rankings Tübingen is listed among the best universities for the Humanities and Social Sciences as well as for Science and Medicine.

With its broad spectrum of subjects, the University of Tübingen provides a wealth of opportunities for interdisciplinary collaboration. And such cooperation extends beyond the University and around the world. The University of Tübingen has joint research projects at all levels with other institutions of higher education, with research institutes and with industry.

The University's excellence in research offers optimal study conditions to students who come to Tübingen, combined with the opportunity to emphasize individual interests along the way. The attractive study environment is reinforced by many additional services, such as the Language Centre, interdisciplinary lectures in the Studium Generale and the state-of-the-art University Library. The University motto speaks for itself: *attempto – I dare!*

We look forward to welcoming you!

University of Tübingen

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*Study Europe
in Germany*



Summer Programs 2016

6 June - 1 July

18 July - 26 August

Introductory courses on Europe
and the EU at the University of Tübingen





STUDY EUROPE



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

SUMMER PROGRAMS 2016

Study Europe and the EU at Germany's top University: The University of Tübingen!

The short-term programs "International & European Studies" offer seminars on relevant European matters as well as courses on German language and culture at the University of Tübingen, one of Germany's few universities in the top "Excellent" class.

The IES-Programs offer:

- Academic courses taught in English by University of Tübingen faculty
- Study trips and visits of European institutions
- German language class
- Workshop "Intercultural Competence"
- Various social activities
- Buddy Program: The buddy program promotes intercultural exchange and will allow you to get to know German student life first-hand.

For full details and registration, see www.uni-tuebingen.de/european-studies

Summer Program I: 6 June - 1 July 2016 (4 weeks) Summer Programm II: 18 July - 26 August 2016 (6 weeks)

Academic introductory courses

- The European Union: Institutions, Politics, and History
- European Foundations of the Legal Order
- European Politics of Human Rights
- Doing Business in Europe

You will visit Strasbourg, Berlin and Stuttgart, take a tour of the European Parliament, interview EU-politicians, and visit influential companies (like Mercedes, Ritter Sport) in the economically strong region of Baden-Württemberg.

Admission

The summer programs are designed for undergraduate and graduate students with different academic backgrounds interested in a general introduction to International & European Studies. Students must be at least 18 years old.

Number of Places: 24

Credits and Transcript

After successful completion of the courses, students will obtain ECTS credits and will receive a certificate of attendance and an official transcript.

Summer Program I: 8 ECTS credits
Summer Program II: 12 ECTS credits

Accommodation

Participants will be housed in a University residence hall or in selected host families. There is free internet access in the accommodation as well as on campus.

Program fee

Summer Program I: 2,000 Euro (early bird: 1,600 Euro)
Summer Program II: 2,800 Euro (early bird: 2,400 Euro)

Fees cover costs for courses, study trips, accommodation, many social activities and a bus ticket in Tübingen.

Application Deadline

Summer Program I: 31 March 2016
Summer Program II: 30 April 2016