

## FACT AND DATA SHEET ACADEMIC YEAR 2020/21

## INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

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## ACADEMIC INFORMATION 2020/ 2021

Academic Information		
Academic year	30 weeks of classes and 4 weeks of exams (6 weeks of exams – Faculty Civil Engineering)	
Academic programs	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/studies/academic-programmes/	
Course types	Semester course: duration of one semester (summer or winter semester). Full Year course: duration from start of winter to end of summer semester	
Credit system	30 ECTS for 1 semester (about 22 semester hours per week)	
Course catalogue	The online course catalog for the next semester is only available a few weeks before the semester begins at: http://www.uni-weimar.de/vorlesungsverzeichnis	

Academic Calender 2020/21		
	Term 1   Winter semester 2020/21	Term 2   Summer semester 2021
Semester dates	01 October 2020 – 31 March 2020	01 April 2021 – 30 September 2021
Lecture period	10 October 2020 – 05 February 2020	05 April 2021 – 16 July 2021
Examination period (Planned dates; depending on your faculty!)	08 February 2020 – 19 February 2020	19 July 2021 – 30 July 2021
Non-lecture periods	21 December 2020 – 03 January 2021 Christmas break	26 July 2021 – 04 September 2021 Summer break 02 April 2021 – 05 April 2021 Easter 24 April 2021 Pentecost 13 & 14 May 2021 Ascension Day
Dates of arrival	10 & 11 September 2020	04 & 05 March 2021
Welcome Events	12 September 2020 – 04 October 2020	06 March – 28 March 2021
German intensive course	14 September 2020 – 02 October 2020	08 March – 26 March 2021

## INFORMATION FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Academic Information		
Nomination deadline	Winter semester: 15 May	Summer semester: 15 October
Nominations by E-Mail through an international coordinator to:  evelyn.beyer@uni-weimar.de	Nominations details:  Last name, first name  Email of nominated student  Field of study & level at Home university   BA  Desired field of study at our university  Desired exchange semester   winter/summer	
Application period	Winter semester : 01 April – 01 June	Summer semester : 01 October – 01 November
Online application exchange students	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-students/applicati- on-for-exchange-students/	
Application documents Application documents should be sent as one PDF-file via email to: incoming@uni-weimar.de	<ol> <li>Cover Sheet with photo, confirmed by the home university</li> <li>Online application form</li> <li>Certificate of German and English language competence (depending on the study program)</li> <li>Confirmation of German intensive course registration (if German language level is below B1!)</li> <li>Letter of motivation (Art and Design)</li> <li>Confirmation for Bachelor's Degree in case of Master application</li> <li>Portfolio necessary for a program at the faculty of Art &amp; Design (includes Media Art &amp; Design as well)</li> </ol>	
Language competence	Most classes are in German; some programs are available in English. Please note that the faculties of the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar require A1 to B1 knowledge of German language requirements depending on the study programs.	
Portfolio	Exchange students applying for Fine Arts, Product Design, Visual Communication and Media Art and Design have to send portfolios together with the application to the International Office.	
Website	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-students/applicati- on-for-exchange-students/	

Social Activites		
Welcome Events	The Exchange program starts with special Welcome Events offering an overview of the City of Weimar and its surroundings, of the University and faculties, and organizing first contacts with foreign students. This program takes place at the same time as the German intensive course during March (summer semester) or September (winter semester).	
University Sports Center	The University Sports Centre offers different sport courses during the semester.  https://www.uni-weimar.de/de/universitaet/struktur/zentrale-einrichtungen/universitaetssportzent-rum/	
Student initiatives	Many students participate in initiatives like »Baushaus Internationals«, »BeBuddy« and »CultureTalk«. There are also activities that inform the university's unique profile with publications like »Port« and »horizonte«. The central venue is »m18«—the Haus der Studierenden - the home of the Student Government, the Faculty Student Council, initiatives, and Café s140. <a href="http://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/profile/student-initiatives/">http://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/profile/student-initiatives/</a>	

Accommodation	
Student residence	The International Office offers support in finding accommodation. The Studierendenwerk  Thüringen (student service) administers approximately 1100 apartments. The university does not have its own accommodation.  Normally up to 5 students share living quarters. Students have single rooms, while the kitchen and the bathroom are shared. The overall rent is from about 220€ to 350€ per month including electricity, heating and water.  Application online: https://tl1host.eu/SWJ/#home
Private residence	Many students in Weimar live in shared flats and houses rented from private landlords. Depending upon room size and comfort the prices range between 250€ and 450€ per month.
Website	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-students/before-arri-val/accommodation/

Health Insurance	
Health insurance regulations	Health insurance for students from Asia, Australia, Canada, the USA or Eastern Europe (non-EU/EFTA residents) may be arranged in Weimar and costs about 100 € per month. Students from EU countries need to have an European Health Insurance Card issued by a health insurance company of their home country.

Language	
Requirements	The faculties of the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar require A1 to B1 knowledge of German, depending on your study program. If your German language competence is very basic, please attach a certificate of your English language competence (as a non-native speaker) in addition. If the study program has been entirely agreed in English, no German certificate is required.
Summer School	Bauhaus Summer School is a project of the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar taking place every year in August. It offers German language courses and academic projects for German and international students and graduates.  Further information and the online registration form can be found at:  https://www.uni-weimar.de/summerschool/en/home/
German intensive course	The University's Language Centre offers a <b>three-week German intensive course</b> (60 hours) in September and March on condition that a placement test will be taken at the first day of the course. The first German language course is free of charge for exchange students from our partner-universities.
	Course dates:  • Winter semester   September
	Summer semester   March
	The University's Language Centre offers various foreign language courses and regular semester courses in German as a Foreign Language during the semester as well
	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/structure/central-university-facilities/language-centre/