

These Summer Schools are hosted by the **University of Osnabrück**, a young and lively university which is well known for its research and teaching programs in the Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Law and Business. **Osnabrück is a beautiful and safe city**, situated in the north-west of Germany. Due to its eventful history, Osnabrück is one of the 14 members of the "Historic Highlights of Germany" association.

Every summer participants from more than 20 different countries come to Osnabrück to take part in the International Summer Schools. The programs run for 3 weeks and are a unique combination of academics, German language classes and a rich cultural program.

In 2016 the program includes:

1. Intercultural Competencies
2. International Perspectives on Health Care
3. Biomembranes & Cellular Mircocompartments

All subject-specific courses are taught in English.

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All courses are taught by subject-specific specialists and combine lectures, workshops, time for preparation and revision, as well as several excursions. Additionally, the participants take part in one of the up to 16-hour German language and culture courses for beginners offered by the university's Language Center. Upon successful completion of the whole program, participants will receive a certificate (up to 6 ECTS credits).

Participants take part in a wide variety of cultural, social and outdoor activities, including an extensive excursion program to sights in Osnabrück (e.g. the Felix Nussbaum museum) and in other cities in Germany. We also offer a spectacular guided mudflat hiking tour from the East Frisian mainland to the island Baltrum, an international barbecue picnic, German movies and much more. The International Summer School team will tend to your academic and personal needs throughout the program.

Furthermore, participating students will have their own counterpart. Getting in touch with Osnabrück students in advance to the program will give the participants the opportunity to get to know the city from a student's perspective, as well as having a personal contact. This part of the program offers an insight in German culture and daily life.

*"The summer school experience has changed my life forever.
It has changed my mind about a lot of different things;
the way I look at the world, people and cultures.
It has helped me to grow as a person and in what I want to achieve in future."*

Lema, Summer School Participant from Pakistan



Requirements Highly qualified and motivated students who have completed at least two years of undergraduate study in the relevant degree program. Interest in German culture, language and lifestyle. No previous knowledge of German is required. Minimum age of 18.

Program Cost €1,250: Include tuition, German language and culture course, course materials, housing, meal subsidy, free local transport, health and liability insurance, excursions and the cultural program. Additionally, you can take part in an optional excursion to our capital in Berlin in the end of the program (24 – 26 July, 2016). In this case there will be extra costs of €240.

How to apply The application form is available on the program's website at www.uni-osnabrueck.de/summerschools.
Application deadline: 01 April, 2016.

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