



Hessen:ISU  
International Summer Universities  
in Hessen, Germany  
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# 2014

## International Summer Universities

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#### ISU KASSEL

June 21 – July 19, 2014

University of Kassel

#### Environment & Technology

**Module:** Adaptation Strategies to Climate Change, Environmental Engineering and Integrative Environmental Studies, Earthquake Engineering // **Culture Module:** German History and Politics, German Fairy Tales: Looking-glass of Society, Intercultural Communication // **Nano Module:** Nano Science, Intercultural Communication

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#### ISU MARBURG

July 19 – August 16, 2014

University of Marburg

#### Peace and Conflict. Near and Middle East – A European Perspective.

These issues will be approached from the angle of political sciences, sociology, and history as well as cultural and regional sciences.

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#### ISU FRANKFURT

July 20 – August 16, 2014

Goethe University and University of Applied Sciences Frankfurt am Main

#### European Studies or Finance

– choose one out of two seminar tracks. Seminar topics include: European Integration, European Central Banking, European Economic and Social Policy, Money and Macroeconomics, Finance and Law, Financial Markets

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#### ISU GIESSEN

July 19 – August 26, 2014

Justus Liebig University Giessen

#### Intellectual Property and Biotechnology – Linking Law, Business and Science.

Seminar topics include: Economics, Law, Biotechnology, Intellectual Property, Patent Protection, Banking and Financing, Business Start-Ups

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#### ISU FULDA

July 19 – August 16, 2014

Fulda University of Applied Sciences

#### Advancing Sustainability – Economic, Social and Ecological Dimensions from a Global Perspective.

Seminars from the fields of Business, Culture and Society, Public Health, Social Work

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# What makes Hessen:ISU so special?

Study Program  
taught in English or  
German



German Language  
Courses



Cultural and  
Excursion Program



Credits

## The Study Program

The content of the study program varies according to the profile of each university. Courses are taught in English, some ISU programs also offer seminars in German.

## The Faculty

ISU faculty consists of experts from the participating Hessen universities and international partners with expertise their respective fields.

## The Credits

Upon successful completion of the courses, you will receive credits based on the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS). For each seminar as well as for the German language course, participants receive 3 credits. Thus, after studying in Germany for four weeks, you have not only spent an exciting time in Germany, but have also earned credits that will transfer home and can contribute to your academic career at your home university.

## The Language Courses

ISUs provide the opportunity of gaining German language skills in addition to the study program. Studying German in Germany and practicing these skills in everyday life is a very effective way to improve one's German. ISUs offer German language classes at different levels including beginners.

## On Accommodation

Depending on the individual program, you will be accommodated in dormitories, shared apartments, hotels, or host families that have been carefully selected by the ISU team.

## Personal Aspects

A highly motivated team will take good care of you. You will be assisted with organizational questions as well as social matters. Reliable academic counselling during the ISU and advice about possible study opportunities in Hessen will be available.

## The Cultural Program

All ISUs offer exciting excursions so that you will have the opportunity to see more of Hessen and Germany and to get to know the people, the cultural heritage, and the beautiful landscape. In addition, going out in the evening to bars and cafés or going to the movies offers a good opportunity for practicing the language in an authentic setting!

## Who can participate?

The ISU program is designed for students as well as people working in the fields of politics, economics, law, culture, technology, and media, who want to learn more about the German and European dimension of their respective subject. Furthermore, ISUs offer a great opportunity to start learning German or refresh your language skills by participating in an intensive language course.

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