

About the University of Konstanz, Germany

- studying at an internationally renowned research university with close ties between research and teaching,
- a campus university with a friendly, welcoming atmosphere of more than 11,000 students from more than 90 countries
- cross discipline studies possible
- English taught courses available
- student housing for exchange students (no guarantee, but it is very likely to get a placement)
- successful since 2007 as one of the top 11 research institutions in Germany (University of Excellence)

About the Department of Economics

Profile / Research Focus	Our department enjoys an excellent reputation in research and teaching where students benefit in a number of ways: — Research results continuously influence our teaching which means you are up-to-date on research developments — Small tutorial groups accompany lectures and provide dedicated advising and teaching quality at a high level — Our teaching focuses on theoretical, mathematics and statistics-based knowledge in the department's main research areas: Microeconomics and Decision Making, Macroeconomics, Public Economics and Finance and Econometrics, Business and Economics Education
	B.Sc. Economics – taught in German and English
	B.Sc. Mathematical Finance – taught in German and English
	M.Sc. Economics - taught in English (Double Degree options with University of Essex (UK), University of Nottingham (UK), University of Rome Tor Vergata (IT), University of Florence (IT) Aix-Marseille University (FR))
Degrees	M.Sc. Political Economy - taught in English
	M.Sc. Business and Economics Education – taught in German and English
	M.Sc. Mathematical Finance – taught in German and English
	PhD:
	Graduate School of the Social and Behavioural Science (GSBS)
	Number of professorships: 23 + associates and assistants
Facts and Figures	Number of students: ~ 1240 (internationals 11%)
	Number of outgoing exchange students per year: ~ 100
	Number of incoming exchange students per year: ~ 60
	Number of European exchange partners: 54

General information for international inbound mobility

Lecture Period	Winter Semester 2023/24: 23 Oct 2023 – 10 Feb 2024
	Summer Semester 2024: 8 Apr 2024 – 13 Jul 2024
Examination Period	At the Department of Economics exams usually written in the last week of the lecture period/first two weeks of the lecture-free period (students are recommended to stay until the end of February or beginning of August)
	Papers are usually to be handed in within 2 months after the end of lecture period
Nomination and Application	Nomination: 15 Mar–1 May (for the winter term) & 15 Sept – 1 Nov (for the summer term)
	Application: 15 May (for the winter term) & 15 Nov (for summer term)
Language Pre-Requisites	Exchange students must demonstrate a proficiency in English OR in German, minimum level B2 according to the European reference framework.
	Varies usually each semester to represent current research topics
Course Catalogue	 is usually published 2 month prior to the lecture period (end of July or end of February)
	ZEUS Course Catalogue in English
	 We register students at one department and expect students to visit at least 50% of courses within their major
Flexibility for Incoming Students	 Students are able to visit languages classes at the Language Institute and other interdisciplinary courses
	Winter and summer term may be visited independently
	Welcome for short visits e.g. within the Erasmus Teaching Staff programme
Visiting Academics	upon mutual consent, co teaching possible according to academic host
	Support services available via our Welcome Centre
Visiting Administrative Staff	 Individual Staff Mobilities upon mutual understanding Staff Week organized by International Office (first week of December)
Further Info for Incoming	
Students:	Our updated incoming guide will be available soon on this website.

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