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INFORMATION FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

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Dormitories

Although there are several dormitories, space is very limited. Exchange students will be informed individually about the application procedure after their acceptance.

Private Accommodation

It can get quite difficult to find an affordable place to live in Berlin. Students planning to live off campus should therefore arrive in Berlin at least two weeks before the (early bird) orientation takes place to have sufficient time to find suitable housing.

Estimated Living Expenses

Private Room 250-400 Euro/month Dormitory Room 200-355 Euro/month Food and Drink 200 Euro/month
Public Transportation approx. 190 Euro (included in the semester contribution of approx. 230 Euro)

TUB Scholarship for Overseas Students

A small number of project scholarships of 250 Euro/month for a period of four months will be available for selected overseas students on exchange at TU Berlin.



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The University

The Technische Universität Berlin (TU Berlin) can proudly look back on a more than 200-year-old tradition of preeminence in scientific and engineering training. Today, with nearly 30,000 students, seven Schools and more than 100 study programs, TU Berlin is the largest University of Technology in Germany. Compared to most German technical oriented institutions it offers a wide range of subjects.

TU Berlin also is a member of the TU 9 Consortium of German Institutes of Technology, a group of nine traditional German universities with an excellent reputation in the fields of engineering, technology and natural sciences. The university will continue to attach a high level of importance to international cooperations as well as close contact to industry and commerce. Currently TU Berlin cooperates with more than 200 higher education institutions all over the world. About 5,800 of TU Berlin's students are international. Our main campus is centrally located in the western part of the city, i.e. it is well-placed for anyone interested in Berlin's rich cultural life, offering concerts, exhibitions, sports events and the infamous „Kneipen“. On campus students have a wide range of opportunities for leisure-time and recreational activities, with numerous societies, initiatives and several cafes. The university sports program ranges from Aikido to Yoga.



The city of Berlin

With a population of 3.4 million people from 180 different countries, Berlin is Germany's largest, most vibrant and multi-cultural city and attracts visitors from all around the world. The rich panoply of traditional theatres, museums and galleries co-exists with a flourishing avant-garde and alternative scene in Berlin's cultural landscape. Berlin offers a liberal and friendly environment for residents and visitors alike and is a fascinating place to be, especially while being young and an international student.

Winter Semesters

Preparatory German course and early bird enrolment session
Orientation for exchange students
Lecture Period
Holiday Break
Examination period

October 1st– March 31st

In the beginning of September
In the beginning of October
From the middle of October to the middle of February
From around December 20th to the first days of January
End of February

Summer Semesters

Preparatory German course and early bird enrolment session
Orientation for exchange students
Lecture Period
Public Holidays
Examination period

April 1st – September 30th

In the beginning of March
In the beginning of April
From the middle of April to the middle of July
May 1st, Ascension Day and Pentecost
End of July