

Factsheet 2015/2016

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APPLYING AND STUDYING:

Semester Dates:	autumn semester: 1 st October 2015 to 29 th January 2016 summer semester: 29 th February 2016 to 26 th June 2016 (semester break: 30 th January to 28 th February 2016) Academic calendar 2015/16: http://www.ufg.ac.at/fileadmin/media/akademischer_kalender/2015_16.pdf
Deadlines for Application:	winter semester OR full year: 1 st of May summer semester: 1 st of November
Application Documents:	Partner must nominate candidates by email. Required application documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- application form (stamped and signed by the partner institution)- portfolio – printed version is appreciated- letter of motivation (in german or english)- curriculum vitae- copy of passport from NON-European-applicants

Admission Decision:	Notes of acceptance will be sent within 6 weeks after deadline by e-mail to the students and their coordinators.
Language Requirements:	Basic knowledge of the German language is strongly recommended as lectures are usually held in German. At least we expect a profound knowledge of English from the students and it is strongly recommended to attend a German course during the exchange in Linz.
German-Language-Courses:	<p>Interested exchange students can take part at German courses offered by KUNI Linz. For that purpose there will be a classification meeting with the coordinator of the courses in the beginning of the semester. http://www.ufg.ac.at/Language.8884+M54a708de802.0.html</p> <p>German as a Foreign Language / Basic Course (Winter- and Summer term) 500.030 W - 4 ECTS 500.030 S - 4 ECTS German as a Foreign Language / Advanced (Winter- and Summer term) 500.031 W - 2 ECTS 500.031 S - 2 ECTS</p> <p>Further German courses are also offered at 3 institutions in Linz – please see the link. These courses are not free of charge! All these institutions are located in Linz and reachable by tram. http://www.ufg.ac.at/uploads/media/NachweisDeutsch_01.pdf</p>
Orientation day/s:	<p>At the beginning of each semester we offer orientation day/s for our exchange students for general introductions, for ufg-online system and classification meeting for German classes.</p> <p>Students will receive an invitation email in time.</p>
Credit point System:	<p>ECTS</p> <p>Austrian Grading Scale - Definition</p> <p>1 - EXCELLENT: outstanding performance 2 - GOOD: above the average standard but with some errors 3 - SATISFACTORY: generally sound work with a number of notable errors 4 - SUFFICIENT: performance meets the minimum criteria 5 - UNSATISFACTORY: Substantial improvement necessary; requirement of further work</p> <p>Successfully completed – positive performance, where a strict differentiation is not adequate Not completed – negative performance, where a strict differentiation is not adequate</p>
Curricula and courses for learning agreements:	<p>http://www.ufg.ac.at/Learning-Agreement.8893.0.html</p> <p>The active course program can be found soonest at the beginning of each semester!</p>
Documents for admission:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - valid travelling document - print out of pre-registration with ID-Code - form "Registration mobility"

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Accommodation: Our university does not have on-campus accommodation. To help students find accommodation for their needs, we offer a cheap lodging service under: www.housing.oead.at (service fee / about 20 Euro per month)

A list of recommended **student residences** in Linz and more websites can be found under: <http://www.ufg.ac.at/Accommodation.8891.0.html>

If students will find residences in direct way you can contact our Incoming-students-mentor, member of Austrian students union, under mailto: OEH.Internationals-Referat@ufg.at or see: <http://findaflatinlinz.wordpress.com/>

Practical Information: Erasmus Students:
<http://www.ufg.ac.at/Incoming-Students-Erasmus.9373.0.html>

Bilateral Exchange-Students:
<http://www.ufg.ac.at/Incoming-Bilateral-Agreement.9382.0.html>

**Students-Network
Facebook:**

Exchange-students can also become a member of our facebook-group which will help to communicate with all exchange students.
<https://www.facebook.com/ExchangeINLinz>

Visa information Students have to make visa arrangements by themselves!
www.oead.at/welcome_to_austria/legal_practical_issues/entry_to_austria

information in German language:
www.bmi.gv.at/cms/bmi_fremdenpolizei

Entry to Austria: detailed information please find under:
<http://www.ufg.ac.at/Entry-to-Austria-and-Residence.8903+M54a708de802.0.html>

Health insurance Students are obliged to have a sufficient health insurance valid in Austria during their stay as exchange students. Students have to take care of appropriate health insurance by themselves.

The Austrian Student Union's fee (compulsory for all students enrolled at Austrian Universities) covers a liability insurance and an accident insurance for damages and accidents in the University's sites and on the way from home to the University.
<http://www.ufg.ac.at/Health-Insurance-Care.10761.0.html>

See: www.oead.ac.at: Life in Austria: Insurance

Helpful information and links

www.erasmusplus.at
www.oead.at
www.bmeia.gv.at
www.studyinaustria.at
www.oeh.at

and under: <http://www.ufg.ac.at/Helpful-Information-Links.8901+M54a708de802.0.html>

Living costs

http://www.oead.at/welcome_to_austria/legal_practical_issues/life_in_austria/EN/

Living costs

In the following table you will find an estimate of the monthly living costs for students. The figures only serve as a guideline. Accommodation costs are based on a place in a student hall of residence.

Living Costs	
Accommodation costs (including heating and electricity)	€ 310
Food (excluding luxuries and tobacco)	€ 220
Study and personal requirements, books, culture, recreation	€ 270
TOTAL	€ 800

The Austrian [representative authorities](#) (embassies, consulates) abroad, the Austrian cultural forums abroad, the Austrian tourism authorities and Austrian commercial attachés provide general information about Austria.

See the OeAD and Austrian Student Union (Österreichische Hochschülerschaft) brochures to find out more about studying in Austria. The various educational institutions' websites are another useful source of information.

Degree programmes at University of Art and Design Linz:

<http://www.ufg.ac.at> - [Studies: Study & Admission](#) → [All Curricula](#)

www.ufg.ac.at - [Studies: Degree Programmes](#)

Art Studies

Fine Art

Sculpture – Transmedial Space

Experimental Design

Painting & Graphic Art

[Diploma Programme](#)

Graphic-Design and Photography

[Bachelor Programme](#)

Visual Communication (Graphic-Design and Photography)

[Master Programme](#)

Interface Cultures

[Master Programme](#) - **held in English language**

[Sculptural Conceptions / Ceramics →→](#)

[Bachelor Programme](#)

[Master Programme](#)

Space&Designstrategies

[Bachelor Programme](#)

[Master Programme](#)

textile-art-design

[Bachelor Programme](#)

[Master Programme](#)

Time-based and interactive

Media

[Bachelor Programme](#)

Time-based Media

[Master Programme](#)

Art and Technical Studies

[Architecture →→](#)

[Bachelor Programme](#)

[Master Programme](#)

[Industrial Design scionic® →→](#)
[Bachelor Programme](#)
[Master Programme](#)

Our **[Department Industrial Design scionic®](#)** (Bachelor and Master degree-programmes) does only accept exchange-students during **summerterm** (beginning of March to the end June).

A list of recommended courses can be found here: <http://www.ufg.ac.at/Incoming-Students-Erasmus.9373.0.html>

Fashion Design & Technology

PLEASE NOTE: – we do not accept applicants in 2015/16 as fashion design moves from Vienna to Linz; due to that matter there cannot be accepted exchange student. ([Bachelor Programme](#))

Cultural Studies

Media Culture and Art Theories

[Master Programme](#)

Applicants must have a very good knowledge in German language!

Programmes for Teachers (Diploma Study Programme)

Exchange students do have to choose 2 programmes of teacher training programmes:

[Art Education](#) / Teacher Training Programme

[Textile Design](#) / Teacher Training Programme

[Design & Technology](#) / Teacher Training Programme

[Media Design](#) / Teacher Training Programme

PhD Programme

PhD Study
