

Fact Sheet for Exchange Students at Hochschule RheinMain

– subject to change –

Nomination by home university: **winter semester: May 15**
summer semester: November 15

Application / Prolongation deadline: **winter semester: May 31**
summer semester: November 30

Institution	Hochschule RheinMain
Institution Identification Code	D WIESBAD01
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Head of the International Office	Judith Hayer
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Erasmus Institutional Coordinator	Eva Bauer
Website	www.hs-rm.de
Information for Exchange Students	https://www.hs-rm.de/exchange
Departmental exchange coordinator	For all questions about specific courses, please contact the departmental international coordinator of the chosen degree

Application documents	https://www.hs-rm.de/en/international/wege-an-die-hsrm/exchange-students/exchange-students-application
Language of instruction and Language Requirements	Language of instruction: mostly German (generally: B1 in German recommended) <u>English Requirements:</u> at least level B1 (B2 is strongly advised!) Level B2 required for: Interior Design Media: Conception & Production Media Management + International Media Management When students want to take <u>courses taught in German</u>, a proof of German showing at least B1 is required
German Intensive Language Course	All exchange students are invited to attend an intensive German language course (no application necessary, free of charge). The course generally takes place during the two weeks before the beginning of semester (Mid-September/ Mid-March; please plan your arrival in Wiesbaden accordingly). Course is approx. 20 hours per week / 4 ECTS credits. → Important note: our intensive course is primarily aimed at beginner to existing A-levels. Students with a higher level in German may be asked to choose a semester-long German offer.

Blended Welcome Weeks for Exchange Students	Digital and analogue offerings preparing students for their stay/studies and help settling into their life in Germany. Our welcome offer include: Online Info Sessions, Welcome Event on campus, Intercultural Workshop, Wiesbaden City Tour, Campus Tours, ...
Accommodation cost	About 450 – 680 EUR per month (depending on acc. type chosen)
Semester fee	Exchange students pay a reduced semester fee (no administration fee), the semester fee includes a ticket for public transport and liability insurance (approx. EUR 320/semester, compulsory)
Costs of Living Expenses/ month	Approx. EUR 1000 (incl. accommodation)
Insurance	Accident and Liability Insurance for enrolled exchange students (costs included in semester fee). Students have to prove sufficient health insurance , either by providing a European Health Insurance Card, or contracting insurance with a German health insurance company (non-EU citizens).
International Student Organisation	Buddy Program organized by RheinMain University. Students will get their buddies' contact details some weeks before the start of the semester. Further information sent after admission.
Sport facilities	RheinMain's University Sports offers a wide range of sport courses for students, some courses at cost (www.hs-rm.de/hochschulsport) Contact: hochschulsport@hs-rm.de
Information about Wiesbaden: Information about Rüsselsheim (Location of Engineering Dept.):	www.wiesbaden.de/en www.ruesselsheim.de

Semester dates	Academic year 2025/26
Winter semester	01 October 2025 – 31 March 2026
Beginning of lectures*	13 October 2025
End of lectures*	31 January 2025 (exams 2-3 weeks after that date)
Summer semester	01 April 2026 – 30 September 2026
Beginning of lectures*	13 April 2026
End of lectures*	19 July 2026 (exams 2-3 weeks after that date)
Lecture free time/bank holidays	03/10/2025 (Friday) German Unity Day 25/12/2025 - 26/12/2025 Christmas, short lecture free period to be confirmed* 01/01/2026 (Thursday) New Year's Day 03/04/2026 (Friday) Good Friday 06/04/2026 (Monday) Easter Monday 01/05/2026 (Friday) Labour Day 14/05/2026 (Thursday) Ascension 25/05/2026 (Monday) Whitmonday 04/06/2026 (Thursday) Corpus Christi

*Please note: faculties may deviate from this times. Exact dates for individual faculties tba.