



VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME (VIP) Overview of recurring courses

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE
FOR STUDENTS FROM PARTNER UNIVERSITIES OF JLU GIESSEN

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TAILORED TO THE NEEDS OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FROM PARTNER UNIVERSITIES OF JLU GIESSEN



1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Virtual International Programme (VIP) launched in the winter semester of 2020/21 provides an additional exchange opportunity for students from our partner universities twice a year. The programme includes a range of courses that are revised on a semester basis, as well as a selection of regular courses that are available continuously. VIP courses form part of JLU's curriculum, enabling JLU and international students to collaborate within a digital classroom.

The virtual exchange programmes welcome up to 350 virtual exchange students each semester. Students have the opportunity to select from approximately 50 courses offered by all 11 faculties of JLU, open to Bachelor's, Master's, PhD and Teacher Training students. Recently, the course catalogue included courses taught in English, German and Spanish.

In the context of remote internationalization, VIP presents an opportunity to gain an international experience from the comfort of home, with a focus on inclusivity and sustainability.



2. INSIGHTS AND ADVANTAGES

- VIP serves as the ultimate gateway to explore JLU 's academic environment from the comfort of home
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- Dynamic and flexible online curriculum, featuring:
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- International Collaborative Teaching: breaking barriers, elevating academic experiences
- Academic Recognition: VIP alumni receive a Transcript of Records, including Credit Points/ECTS
- VIP is completely free of charge for students within JLU 's partner network



Find the current course offerings for the upcoming VIP semester online on our [Digital Campus](#) or ask us for the brochure *A Student's Guide to the VIP Galaxy*.






3. VIP COURSE PROGRAMME

VIP provides a varied catalogue featuring both traditional, recurring courses and an innovative, semester-changing curriculum. Students and doctoral candidates can select up to five courses.


- **RECURRING COURSES** – Always on offer: our regular courses are recurring, either available in the summer and/or winter semesters. High-quality teaching on fundamental topics.
- **COURSE CATALOGUE** – Current Topics & New Perspectives: we offer a semester-changing course programme to give our lecturers and students the opportunity to focus on current academic, political, and economic topics and trends.
- **INTERDISCIPLINARY SEMINARS** – Led by faculty members from diverse disciplines, fostering cultural and academic exchange. Through academic dialogue and interactive learning, students acquire intercultural and digital competencies, along with teamwork skills, enhancing their virtual study experience.
- **INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL COLLABORATIVE TEACHING** – Seminars offered in collaboration with universities worldwide. Developed and co-taught by JLU lecturers and instructors from partner universities, these seminars see professors and lecturers aligning their research interests, pooling resources, and jointly designing the course curriculum.

4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses




Overview of the regular courses offered in the VIP for the winter and/or summer semester. Find the current course offerings for the upcoming semester online on our Digital Campus or in the brochure A Student's Guide to the VIP Galaxy.

		Period					Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summerterm (April - July)	winterterm (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Law									
Caminos hacia la paz en Colombia: Discutiendo el legado del Informe Final de la Comisión para el esclarecimiento de la Verdad			x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, Tatiana Quintero (CAPAZ), Alexandra Koball	x	Spanish
Critical Development Studies in Times of Global Turmoil			x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Peters	x	English
Comparative European Constitutional Law		x		x	x	seminar	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Feminism and Peacebuilding in the Global South		x		x	x	seminar	Juliana González Villamizar	x	English
Individual and socio-economic rights: A comparative perspective			x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Metodologías críticas y decoloniales para la investigación social		x			x	seminar	Tatiana Quintero, Andrea Neira	x	Spanish
Migración, Mujeres y Desigualdades Sociales			x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Laura Rivera Revelo	x	Spanish
Peace and Conflict Studies		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters		English
Peacebuilding and Human Rights		x		x	x	seminar	Rosario Figari Layus	x	English
Sachenrecht			x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Elena Dubovitskaya		English
The Language of Law: A Comparative Study of Polish, German, and European Union Legal Systems		x		x		seminar/lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jás-Nowopolska		English

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Faculty of Economics and Business Studies									
Accounting		x	x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Corinna Ewelt-Knauer, Prof. Dr. Arndt Wöhrmann		German
Competition Policy and Strategy		x	x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Daniel Lücke		English
Economics of Innovation		x			x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Economics of Regulation		x			x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Einführung in die Mikroökonomie		x	x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		German
Empirical economic research and econometrics			x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Peter Winker		English
Industrial Organization			x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
International Economics			x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Meckl, Kathrin Stock		English
Rechnungslegung nach HGB			x	x	x		lecture	Prof. Dr. Corinna Ewelt-Knauer	
Virtual Summer School in Economics		x			x	lecture/ block course	Prof. Vesely (UWM), PD Dr. Mandler (JLU), Prof. Dr. Meckl (JLU)	x	English
Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies									
Climate Change & Society in Botswana & South Africa		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Jörn Ahrens		English
Dwelling: Financialization, Political Strategy, Camp		x	x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Regina Kreide	x	English
Exploring Digital Pedagogy: Integrating Technology in Schools			x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Global Governance, Peace and the Crisis of Liberal World Order		x	x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Helmut Breitmeier	x	English


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Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies									
Open Data Fundamentals			x		x	seminar	Ievgen Bilyk	x	English
Introduction to Academic Writing			x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Multi-professional Collaboration and Digital Innovation		x	x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Theory of Property and Housing			x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Regina Kreide		English
Virtual Intercultural Exchange Worldwide: Advancing Intercultural Learning, Inclusion, Peace and Justice			x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Annika Brück-Hübner		English
Faculty of History and Cultural Studies									
Jüdische Erinnerung an jüdisches Leben und Holocaust: Die Yitzkor-Bücher in Polen und Ostmitteleuropa			x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Hans-Jürgen Bömelburg; Prof. Dr. Krystyna Radziszewska		German
Peripheral Histories of Internet: How Eastern Europe (Re)Connected with the World		x		x	x	seminar	Dr. Tatsiana Astrouskaya	x	English
Language, Literature and Culture									
Dimensiones glotopolíticas de las lenguas y las literaturas			x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Falk Seiler		Castellano
Grammatik im DaZ-Unterricht		x		x	x	seminar	Dr. Lena Bien-Miller		German
Grammatik in Deutsch als Zweit- und Fremdsprache		x		x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Jana Gamper (JLU), Dr. Polina Yatsenko, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German
Grammatik, Text und Wandel				x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig (JLU), Dr. Polina Yatsenko, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic	





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Faculty of Language, Literature and Culture									
Extractivismo en América Latina desde la Colonia hasta la actualidad: oportunidades y desafíos		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Verena Dolle, Prof. Laly Peralta, Collaborative Teaching: Universidad del Rosario	x	Spanish
Funktionale Grammatik		x		x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig / Dr. Anna Bratytsya, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German
Helden und Heilige in Handschriften: Mittelalterliche deutsche Literatur im mittel-osteuropäischen Kontext			x	x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Cora Dietl, Dr. Elzbieta Kapral (Lodz)	x	German
History of the English Language		x	x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Barbara Güldenring	x	English
Intercultural Communication in Linguistic Interactions		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Anna Ladilova (JLU), Prof. Dr. Ulrike Schröder, Collaborative Teaching: Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais	x	English
Introduction to English Linguistics (Group A)		x	x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Barbara Güldenring	x	English
Introduction to Gender and Sexuality, Critical Race Theory and Anti-Racism, to Decolonial Thought, and Disability		x	x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Greta Olson	x	English
Kinder- und Jugendliteratur verstehen und vermitteln: Theorie trifft Praxis			x	x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Juliane Dube, Olha Dobrynychuk		German
Nominalstil			x	x		block seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig / Dr. Anna Bratytsya, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German

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Nuevas formas de justicia transicional: crímenes de guerra y justicia restaurativa		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Verena Dolle, Prof. Laly Peralta, Collaborative Teaching: Universidad del Rosario	x	Spanish
Praxisorientierte Einführung in die französische Literaturwissenschaft – ein Projektkurs mit der Autorin Nirina Ralantaoritsimba		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen, Nirina Ralantaoritsimba		German/ English
Schreibkompetenz in Deutsch als Zweit- und Fremdsprache			x	x	x	blockseminar	Prof. Dr. Jana Gamper (JLU), Dr. Ganna Bratytsya, Collaborative Teaching: Kamianets-Podilskyi Ivan Ohienko National University (Ukraine)	x	German
Sprachlernberatung macht Schule		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
The United States in the 21st Century with a Focus on the 2024 Presidential Elections		x		x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Greta Olson		English
Wortschatz lernen und lehren im Deutschen als Fremdsprache		x		x	x	blockseminar	Prof. Dr. Karin Madlener-Charpentier, Dr. Anna Bratytsya		German
Faculty of Psychology and Sports Sciences									
Current Topics of Exercise Physiology		x	x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Karsten Krüger		English
The Female Athlete - SHE			x	x	x	block seminar	Svenja Nolte, Claudia Lenz		German

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Faculty of Biology and Chemistry									
General Chemistry		x	x	x		lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen		English
Introduction to Sustainability		x	x	x	x	lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen	x	English
Organic Materials		x	x	x	x	lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen		English
Scientific Writing and Data Dissemination		x	x	x	x	lecture/ seminar	Prof. Dr. Peter R. Schreiner		English
Sustainable Materials Chemistry: Energy Materials		x	x	x	x	lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen		English
Sustainable Organic Chemistry		x	x	x	x	lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen		English
Sustainable Water Treatment		x	x	x	x	lecture	Project DigiChem, Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen		English

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Applied Statistics		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Matthias Frisch		English
Resource Economics and Sustainable Management	x			x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Michael Hübler		English
Theory and Practice of Economic Development		x		x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Martin Petrick		English
Transdisciplinary Sustainability Research		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Jasmin Godemann / Vera Lange		English
Faculty of Veterinary Medicine								
One Health in Infection Biology	x	x		x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Sascha Knauf		English
3R Principles and laboratory animal welfare		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stephanie Krämer		English
Faculty of Medicine								
Basic Books - Global Health	x	x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Sascha Krannich		English
German Language Courses								
German Language Course: A0 Taster Course (Beginners)	x	x	x	x	language course	Filippa Buda	x	German
German Language Course: A1.1+ in-depth course	x	x	x	x	language course	Angelique Hertzl	x	German
German Language Course: A1.2+ in-depth course	x	x	x	x	language course	Angelique Hertzl	x	German
German Language Course: B1+ in-depth course	x	x	x	x	language course	Filippa Buda	x	German
German Language Course: B2+ in-depth course	x	x	x	x	language course	Filippa Buda	x	German
Language learning in (online) tandem	x	x	x	x	language course	Dr. Johanna Lea Korell	x	open



5. E-MENTORING TEAM & ACCOMPANYING PROGRAMME

The E-Mentors are JLU students from various faculties who assist international virtual students by providing personal advice on student-related matters via email and video calls, as well as offering technical support.



- **ONLINE ORIENTATION WEEK FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (OWIS):** At the beginning of each semester, JLU hosts a virtual orientation week tailored for international students. Various online sessions offer essential information about the university's structure, along with guidance on the IT tools and administrative systems used at JLU.



- **ONLINE INFORMATIONAL & SOCIAL EVENTS:** Throughout the semester, we organize a range of online meet-ups and social gatherings to address academic inquiries and encourage student connections. Every first and third Monday of the month, Question Monday offers insights into relevant topics related to studying at JLU. Additionally, every Wednesday, we host a relaxed Online Get-Together, providing students with the chance to socialize outside of academic settings. Participants can join discussions, ask questions, engage in online games, or even find a Tandem partner.



6. DIGITAL CAMPUS

All information about the programme, including application deadlines, forms, and course descriptions, can be accessed on the [Digital Campus](#).

DEADLINES: The application deadline for the summer semester (April-July) is at the end of February, and for the winter semester (October-February), end of July/ mid-August.

Please check the website for up to date information.



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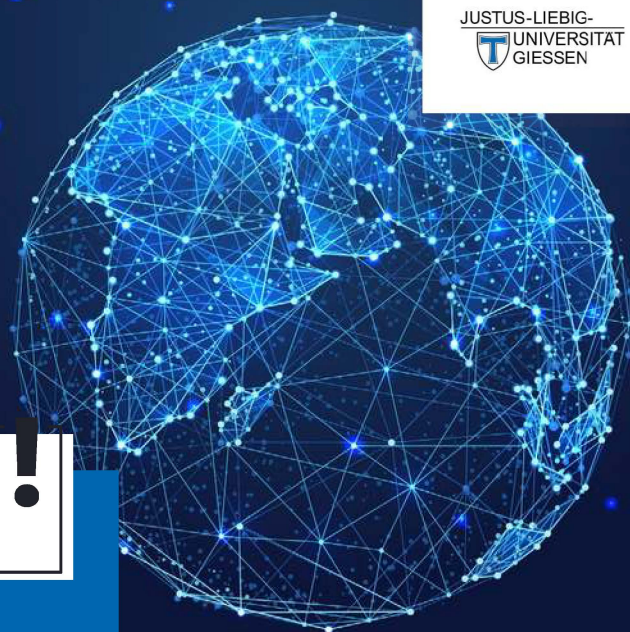
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1. ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

At JLU, our foremost objective is to provide an outstanding virtual learning experience. As a VIP student, you will not only benefit from exceptional online education but also:

- Gain Insight into JLU and the German Education System from Anywhere: Dive into the world of JLU and grasp the specifics of the German education system, all from the comfort of your home.
- Customize Your Learning Experience: Enjoy the freedom to select courses that align with your personal interests from our diverse course catalogue, ensuring your academic journey is tailored to your goals.
- Connect with German Students and Professors: Forge valuable connections with both fellow German students and experienced professors, fostering cross-cultural dialogues and enriching your educational experience.
- Online Support: Access robust online support structures specifically designed to cater to the needs of international students at JLU, ensuring a smooth and successful educational journey.

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Faculty of Law								
Development Studies in Times of Political Disruption		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters	x	English
Educación en tiempos inciertos: diálogos entre la educación histórico-política y para el desarrollo sostenible de cara a las desigualdades sociales		x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, Dr. des. Andrea Cagua Martínez, MA Lorena Díez	x	Spanish
Individual and socio-economic rights: A comparative perspective		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Migración, Mujeres y Desigualdades Sociales		x	x	x	seminar	Dra. Laura Rivera Revelo	x	Spanish
Política Exterior Feminista en Europa y América Latina		x	x	x	seminar	Luisa Salazar, Indira Murillo, Andrea Neira, Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters	x	Spanish
Faculty of Economics and Business Studies								
Accounting		x	x		lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Ewelt-Knauer, Prof. Dr. Arnt Wöhrmann		German
Competition Policy and Strategy		x	x		lecture/tutorial	Daniel Lüke		English
Einführung in die Mikroökonomie		x	x		lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		German
Empirical economic research and econometrics		x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Peter Winker		English
Industrial Organization		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
International Economics		x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Jürgen Meckl, Kathrin Stock		English


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Artificial intelligence and the democratic public sphere		x		x	seminar	Prof. Regina Kreide		English
Building Bridges on Rising Waters: Climate Change and International Disaster Management		x		x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Helmut Breitmeier, Prof. Dr. Sandra Schwindenhammer, Katrin Strobehn	x	English
Environmental Justice		x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Sandra Schwindenhammer	x	English
Global Governance, Peace and the Crisis of Liberal World Order		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Helmut Breitmeier	x	English
Introduction to academic writing		x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal		English
Multi-professional Collaboration and Digital Innovation		x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Open Data Fundamentals		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Ievgen Bilyk	x	English
Peace, Migration and Democratic Development in Europe		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Sascha Krannich, Prof. Dr. Asil Ilgit, Prof. Dr. Romina Venturi, Prof. Dr. Cecilia Estrada Villaseñor		English
Virtual Intercultural Exchange Worldwide: Advancing Intercultural Learning, Inclusion, Peace and Justice		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Annika Brück-Hübner		English
Europäisierung im Vergleich		x	x		lecture	Lea Konrad		German




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Faculty of History and Cultural Studies								
Jüdische Erinnerung an jüdisches Leben und Holocaust: Die Yitzkor-Bücher in Polen und Ostmitteleuropa – eine bisher vernachlässigte Perspektive (Schwerpunkt Lodz)		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Hans-Jürgen Bömelburg, Prof. Dr. Krystyna Radziszewska		German
Re-reading Samizdat: New Approaches to the Study of Cultural and Political Opposition in the Soviet Union		x		x	seminar	Dr. Tatsiana Astrouskaya	x	English
Faculty of Language, Literature, Culture								
Dimensiones glotopolíticas de las lenguas y las literaturas		x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Falk Seiler	x	Castilian
Gesture Across Cultures		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Anna Ladilova	x	English
Grammatik, Text, Wandel		x	x		block seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig		German
History of English Language (Group A)		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Barbara Ann Güldenring	x	English
Introduction to English Linguistics (Group A)		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Barbara Ann Güldenring	x	English
Introduction to English Linguistics (Group D)		x	x		seminar	Dr. Tobias Bernaisch	x	English

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Faculty of Language, Literature, Culture								
Introduction to Gender and Sexuality, Critical Race Theory and Anti-Racism, Decolonial Thought, and Disability Studies and Activism		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Greta Olson	x	English
Kurzformen des Erzählens - Die Novelle		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German
Nominalstil		x	x		block seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Henning		German
Praxisorientierte Einführung in die französische Literaturwissenschaft – ein Projektkurs mit der Autorin Nirina Ralantaoritsimba		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German
Romantik		x	x	x	block seminar	Dr. Kirsten Prinz	x	German
Sprachlernberatung macht Schule		x	x		block seminar	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
Faculty of Biology and Chemistry								
General Chemistry		x	x		lecture	Prof. Dr. Richard Göttlich, Prof. Dr. Siegfried Schindler		English
Introduction to Sustainability		x	x	x	lecture	Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen	x	English
Organic Materials		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Bernd Smarsly, Prof. Dr. Arthur Mardiyukov		English

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Scientific Writing and Data Dissemination		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Peter R. Schreiner		English
Sustainable Materials Chemistry: Energy Materials		x	x	x	lecture	Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen	x	English
Sustainable Organic Chemistry		x	x	x	lecture	Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen	x	English
Sustainable Water Treatment		x	x	x	lecture	Lecturers from Ljubljana, Padua, Zagreb and Giessen	x	English
Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Nutritional Sciences and Environmental Management								
Applied Statistics		x		x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Matthias Frisch		English
Theory and Practice of Economic Development		x		x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Martin Petrick	x	English
Transdisciplinary research for sustainability		x		x	seminar	Vera Lange		English
Faculty of Medicine								
Basic Books - Global Health		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Sascha Krannich		English

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Language Courses							
German Language Course: Schnupperkurs A0 - Taster course A0	x	x	x	language course	/		German
German Language Course: Vertiefungskurs A1.1+	x	x	x	language course	/		German
German Language Course: Vertiefungskurs A1.2+	x	x	x	language course	/		German
German Language Course: Vertiefungskurs B1+	x	x	x	language course	/		German
German Language Course: Vertiefungskurs B2+	x	x	x	language course	/		German
Italiano B2.1	x	x	x	language course	Grazia Caiati		Italian
Pomeriggio italiano: comprensione e produzione orale ai livelli B1/B2	x	x	x	language course	Grazia Caiati		Italian
Language learning in (online) tandem	x	x	x	language course	Dr. Johanna Lea Korell		open



5. APPLICATION PROCESS AND DEADLINES

The application process is conducted online, and the application form is accessible from now until the 10th of August, 2025. Detailed course descriptions, along with additional information regarding the application process and requirements, can be found on the [Digital Campus](#).



Question Time for Applicants

Thursday, 10th of July 2025 at 2 p.m (CEST)

<https://uni-giessen.zoom-x.de/j/66442114951>



6. ONLINE ORIENTATION WEEK FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (OWIS)

The online OWIS occurs every semester in the week prior to the start of lectures and provides various sessions to assist in preparing for the semester. These include an introduction to the electronic system landscape at JLU, tips on how to use it, access to the library system as well as interactive Question & Answer sessions. Additionally, the OWIS is an excellent opportunity to socialize. For instance, attending the online Welcome Session at the beginning of the week allows you to meet the VIP team at JLU, and the Ultimate Get-together provides a chance to network with your peers. Be sure to mark your calendar for OWIS!

Summer Semester: 14th to 17th April 2025
Winter Semester: 6th to 10th October 2025



7. ACCOMPANYING PROGRAMME

The International Office organises the Ultimate Get-together, weekly student-to-student online meetings, and a twice-monthly Question Monday. The programme is published monthly and invites you to get to know each other and network. You'll have the opportunity to meet JLU students and other international students in an informal setting at the Online Language Café or at the Quiz Night. Our Student Assistants are always keen to hear from enthusiastic students, so you are very welcome to contribute your own ideas to the programme planning during the semester!



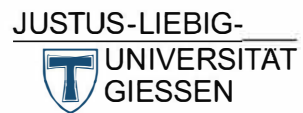
- Throughout the application process and the semester, we provide online consultations. In Stud.IP (Teaching and Learning Platform), we establish a Group that provides the option to chat using Blubber, enabling virtual exchange students to connect with each other regardless of their chosen courses.



- Weekly Newsletter featuring information about studying at JLU, important online events and quirky anecdotes about cultural peculiarities of Hessians and Germans.

So gear up, future Virtual Exchange Students! Let's shoot for the stars, break through boundaries, and make history together.

🚀☀️ See you in the Virtual Exchange Galaxy!



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