

Research Centres

- Centre for Legal Questions on Modernisation in Higher Education and Administration (ReH..Mo)
- Centre for Basic Research in Cultural Studies
- Centre for Educational Research (German Comenius Society)

Where the University makes its mark

- International focus and foreign language competence
- Law and Economics
- Cultural Studies
- Computer Studies and Information Technology
- Teacher Training
- Communication and Media Studies

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The University – At a Glance

Facts and Figures

Statistics

Winter term 2010/2011

The student body consists of **9,177 students** (latest figures, 10/14/10); of these, **665 are foreign students** (7,25 %) from e.g.: Austria 97, the Russian Federation 79, the Czech Republic 45, China 41, Ukraine 32, Bulgaria 31, France 28, Hungary 26, Spain 20, Poland 18, Romania 18, Turkey 18, Italy 17, Brazil 13, Croatia 12, Slovakia 12 and the USA 10.

Faculties	Full Professors	Professors	Associate Professors	Research and Teaching Assistants		Students	first-semester students
				permanent positions	members of staff **		
Law	17	3		32	72	1,760	*** 567
Economics	18		1	46.5	69	1,495	*** 599
Humanities*	30	27		56.5	123	5,267	1,491
Faculty of Computer Science & Mathematics	12	3	1	36	109	416	118
Ph.D. Students						239	37
	77	33	2	171	373	9,177	2,812

(The number of students enrolled in each faculty is based on students’ chosen courses of studies and in which faculty a given course of studies is offered. The modularisation of bachelor’s and master’s degrees along with the course offerings in the Dept. of Education make it possible for different faculties to be involved in a given course of studies.)

* Faculty of Humanities with five departments:
- Department of Catholic Theology
- Department of Education
- Department of Cultural Studies
- Department of Governance and Historical Studies
- Department for Languages, Textual Analysis and Media

** Non-permanent teaching/research staff, including positions financed through third-party funds and tuition fees.

*** These degree courses offer only admission for the winter term.

Demographic Breakdown of Students from Germany:

Bavaria	6,344	(69.1 %)
Lower Bavaria	3,397	(37.0 %)
Passau and surrounding area	1,745	(19.0 %)

Students from other German States:

Baden-Württemberg	701	(7.6 %)
North Rhine Westphalia	436	(4.8 %)
Hessia	208	(2.3 %)
Lower Saxony	186	(2.0 %)

(percentages based on a total of 9,177 students)

Total Staff Size: 1,305
tenured teaching staff: 814

Part-time, non-tenured teaching staff: 237

(updated: 10/15/10)



Central Institutions

Computer Science Research Campus

Centre for Graduate Studies

Computer Centre

Recreation Centre

Language Centre

University Library:
Main library & faculty libraries
(2 million books, based on figures from 12/31/09)

Center for eLearning and Campus Management (InteLec)

Centre for Excellence in Subject-Specific Teacher Training, in primary through higher education (ZLF)

Centre for Key Skills (ZfS)

Courses of studies

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Faculty of Law

Law
Master’s degree in German Law, for foreign law school graduates (LL.M)
Master’s degree in European Law, for law school graduates (LL.M.)

Faculty of Economics

Bachelor’s degree in:
Business Administration and Economics (B.Sc.)
Business Computing (B.Sc.)
Master’s degree in:
Business Administration (M.Sc.)
International Economics and Business (M.A.)

Faculty of Humanities

Bachelor’s degree in:
European Studies (B.A.)
European Studies Major (B.A.)
Governance and Public Policy (B.A.)
Historical Cultural Studies (B.A.)
International Cultural and Business Studies (B.A.)
Media and Communication (B.A.)
Language and Text (B.A.)

Master’s degree in:
Caritas Science (M.A.)
European Studies (M.A.)
Geography: Culture, Environment and Tourism (M.A.)
History (M.A.)
Governance and Public Policy (M.A.)
Cultural Studies/International Cultural and Business Studies (M.A.)
Media and Communication (M.A.)
North and Latin American Studies (M.A.)
Russian and East Central European Studies (M.A.)
Teaching and Learning Processes in Primary and Secondary Education (M.Ed.)
Southeast Asian Studies (M.A.)
Semiotics of Texts and Culture

Courses of Studies

Teaching degree in Primary Education
Teaching degree for *Hauptschule* (non-academic 5-year secondary school preparing students for practical vocational work)
Teaching degree for *Realschule* (selective 6-year secondary school qualifying students for higher level jobs or vocational higher education)
Teaching degree for *Gymnasium* (selective 8-year secondary school preparing students for university study)

Faculty of Computer Science and Mathematics

Bachelor’s degree in Computer Science (B.Sc.)
Bachelor’s degree in Internet Computing (B.Sc.)
Master’s degree in Computer Science (M.Sc.)
Master’s degree in IT-Security (M.Sc.)

Special Courses of Studies

- Double bachelor’s degree with the State University of Management in Moscow within the scope of the bachelor’s degree in Business Administration and Economics
- Double degree in collaboration with the Universidad Del Salvador in Buenos Aires within the scope of the bachelor’s degree in International Cultural and Business Studies
- Double master’s degree in collaboration with Strasbourg/ Aix-en-Provence within the scope of the M.A. in International Cultural and Business Studies (ICBS) at the University of Passau
- Double master’s degree in collaboration with Strasbourg/ Aix-en-Provence and Malaga within the scope of the M.A. in European Studies at the University of Passau
- Double degree with the State University of Stirling within the scope of the M.A. in International Cultural and Business Studies
- Double degrees in collaboration with the University of London, the University Castilla-la-Mancha in Toledo and the University Toulouse 1 Capitole within the scope of the German degree in Law
- Languages for Special Purposes (FFA) in Law and Business offered in: Chinese, English, French, Italian, Polish, Portugese, Russian, Spanish, Czech; FFA in Cultural Studies: English, French, Indonesian, Italian, Polish, Spanish, Thai, Czech (Bohemicum in cooperation with the University of Regensburg) and Vietnamese; for foreign students; German as a foreign language
- International Graduate School: Incentives – Bavarian Graduate Programme in Economics affiliated with the Bavarian *Elitenetwork*
- Bachelor’s degree in Education – a pilot project enabling students to gain admission to the state examination for teachers preparing for *Realschule* (selective 6-year secondary school qualifying students for higher level jobs or vocational higher education)