



Offers for Refugees Preparing to Study at the Goethe University Frankfurt and in the Surrounding Region

- 1) Goethe University Frankfurt (GU): „Academic Welcome Program for highly qualified refugees“
 - Offers: Intensive German courses B1-C1, subject specific preparatory courses for any subject area except engineering, opportunity to visit lectures and seminars, professional advising and support
 - Contact: awp@uni-frankfurt.de; Office hours: Tuesday 9 – 12 am, Wednesday 1 – 4 pm
 - www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/58246604/Academic-Welcome-Program?
- 2) Frankfurt University of Applied Sciences (FRA-UAS): “Welcome Year Mechanical Engineering, Architecture or Computer Science”
 - Offers: Intensive German courses B1.2-C1, subject specific modules of the first semester are spread out over two semesters
 - Contact: willkommen@io.fra-uas.de, Office hours: Tuesday and Thursday 10 – 12 pm
 - www.frankfurt-university.de/de/studium/international-office/das-willkommensjahr/
- 3) Technical University Darmstadt (TUD)
 - Offers: Campus orientation, certificate validation, proficiency exam and preparatory courses with linguistic emphasis
 - Contact: refugees@tu-darmstadt.de; Office hours daily and upon request
 - www.tu-darmstadt.de/international/refugees/index.en.jsp
- 4) University of Applied Sciences Darmstadt (h_da)
 - Offers: preparatory courses and intensive German courses B2-C1, professional advising and support
 - Contact: refugees@h-da.de; Office hours: Tuesday 9:30 – 11:30 am, Wednesday 2:30 – 4:30 pm, Thursday 12 – 2 pm
 - www.h-da.de/studium/beratung/studienberatung/angebote-fuer-gefuechtete/
- 5) Justus Liebig University Gießen (JLU)
 - Offers: German-Tutorials (A0-A1.2 and B1+), preparatory German intensive courses (A1-C1.2), scholarships for German intensive courses (B2-C1.2), free participation in lectures and seminars, Buddy Program
 - Contact: saltanat.rakhimzhanova@admin.uni-giessen.de; Office hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10 – 12 am
 - www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages/buddy-programme
- 6) University Kassel
 - Offers: Guest student program for refugees, professional advising and support, further integration programs
 - Contact: refugee.welcome@uni-kassel.de; Office hours: Monday and Thursday 1 – 3 pm
 - www.uni-kassel.de/uni/en/internationales/international-services/gefuechtete/information-for-refugees-interested-in-studying-at-the-university-of-kassel.html
- 7) Technical College Mittelhessen (THM)
 - Offers: German courses A0-A2 in cooperation with JLU Gießen, pre-study program with participation in lectures
 - Contact: jennifer.brockjan@admin.thm.de; Office hours upon request
 - www.thm.de/site/en/international-en/intercultural-opening/reach-thm-refugee-s-academic-home-thm/prospective-students-and-students-with-refugee-backgrounds.html
- 8) Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz (JGU)
 - Offers: German courses from level B1-C1 at the International Preparatory and Language Center Mainz
 - Contact: Office hours upon request
 - www.issk.uni-mainz.de/deutsch_fuer_fluechtlinge/61_ENG_HTML.php
- 9) RheinMain University of Applied Sciences, Wiesbaden (HSRM)
 - Offers: German courses (B1+ to DSH preparation), program for guest students
 - Contact: international@hs-rm.de; office hours: Wiesbaden: Tuesday 1 – 3 pm, Rüsselsheim: Wednesday 1 – 3 pm
 - www.hs-rm.de/en/international/international/#refugees-welcome-48155



10) Fulda University of Applied Sciences

- Pre-Study Program with German and subject-specific preparatory courses, further support
- Contact: britta.simon@hs-fulda.de; Office hours: Thursday 3 – 4 pm
- www.hs-fulda.de/internationales/international-office/refugees-welcome/informationen-fuer-fluechtlinge/

11) Philipps-Universität Marburg

- preparatory German intensive and subject specific courses
- Contact: refugees@uni-marburg.de; Office hours upon request
- www.uni-marburg.de/en/international/from-abroad/refugees

Overview of other offers for interested refugee students

- All universities and colleges in Hessen: www.hessische-hochschulen-nordsued.de/hochschulenfluechtlinge.html
- Universities and colleges in Rheinland-Pfalz: <http://studium-fluechtlinge-rlp.de/en/>
- Information for studying in Germany: www.study-in.de/en/refugees/
- Search machine for all study subjects offered in Germany: www.hochschulkompass.de/en/study-in-germany.html

Student Initiatives and other Offers at Goethe University

Start into German: www.uni-frankfurt.de/sid

Students of the Goethe University offer German courses for refugees on levels A1, A2 and B1 free of charge. Intensive courses and open courses are offered regularly. The instruction takes place partially on the university campus and partially at refugee housing locations. Contact: start-ins-deutsche@uni-frankfurt.de

academic experience Worldwide e.V.: <http://aeworldwide.de/en/>

aeWorldwide organizes for example projects by and for refugee scholars in Frankfurt. The non-profit organization aims to give refugee scientists an orientation into the scientific profession and organizes an exchange of ideas in an equal setting.

Additionally, “Study Assistants” offer support for the orientation into the German job and professional markets (example: accompaniment to (university) offices and foundational information in the form of workshops).

Contact: frankfurt@aeworldwide.de and study-assistant@abl-uni-frankfurt.de

Goethe-Uni Law Clinic: www.glc.uni-frankfurt.de

At the Goethe Law Clinic law students offer free legal advice on immigration and social law. If you have any questions about your residence in Germany or need help with the application for social benefits, write an email or come to the open office hours. Office hours: Friday 10 am -12 pm, Kleiner Gruppenraum, ESG building Campus Westend, Siolistraße 7 in Frankfurt a. M. Contact: GLC@uni-frankfurt.de.

For questions regarding immigration, asylum and social rights, you can contact the Frankfurter Rechtshilfekomitee for foreigners. See: www.rechtshilfekomitee.de/index.html

Psychological Counseling for Refugees at the Goethe University Center for Psychotherapy:

www.psychologie.uni-frankfurt.de/62374449/95_psychosoz_beratung_fluechtlinge

Offers include individual and group counseling, discussion of cultural differences, help with dealing with difficulties and information on treatment options. If required, those seeking help can be referred to other facilities. Telephone office hours: Wednesday: 10-11, 069-798 25366. Contact: PBF@psych.uni-frankfurt.de

Interdisciplinary Institute of Higher Education:

www.psychologie.uni-frankfurt.de/61297438/20_Fuer-gefluechtete-AkademikerInnen

The institute offers refugee scholars who already have a university degree the opportunity to take part in higher education training events. Thus, the (re-)entrance into the German education system is simplified. Through the exchange of ideas with other teachers and by gaining experiences in a teaching context at Goethe University, refugees can familiarize themselves with the general framework of teaching and research at German universities. Contact: weiterhoch@uni-frankfurt.de

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