



Study abroad at Constructor University

Academic year 2025–2026

Constructor University (formerly Jacobs University), based in Bremen, is Germany's #1 private university and home to more than 2000 students from over 120 countries.

We are a highly ranked, research-oriented, state-accredited campus university with a broad portfolio of pre-degree, undergraduate, and graduate study programs, including natural and social sciences, engineering, etc.

All undergraduate programs are taught in English. Extensive extracurricular activities on a vibrant residential campus support and strengthen our students' personal development.

Check our
academic calendar



Fall semester

- Arrival: August 26, 2025
- Orientation Week:
August 26 – August 29, 2025
- Classes start: September 1, 2025
- Classes end: December 21, 2025

Spring semester

- Arrival: January 26, 2026
- Orientation Week:
January 26 – January 31, 2025
- Classes start: February 2, 2025
- Classes end: May 31, 2026



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Excursions – discover Germany & Europe!

To provide students the opportunity to fully experience their time in Germany, we have organized several courses with faculty-led excursions. In Fall the courses offered are “European Welfare States and Health Systems”, including trips to Berlin (Charité) and the “Bauhaus” which includes trips to Weimar and Dessau. In spring, students can take “Art in Germany “ with almost weekly excursions to museums in Bremen, Hannover and Hamburg.

To further set students up for success and navigate the exceedingly high level of diversity at Constructor University, all exchange students attend a tailor-made Intercultural Competence and Culturally Sensitive Communications Course.

* Excursions may be subject to additional fees.





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Undergraduate programs

Bachelor of Science

- [Applied Computer Science](#)
- [Computer Science](#)
- [Software, Data and Technology](#)
- [Electrical and Computer Engineering](#)
- [Robotics and Intelligent Systems](#)
- [Biochemistry and Cell Biology](#)
- [Chemistry and Biotechnology](#)
- [Earth Sciences and Sustainable Management of Environmental Resources](#)
- [Mathematics, Modeling and Data Analytics](#)
- [Medicinal Chemistry and Chemical Biology](#)
- [Physics and Data Science](#)
- [Management, Decisions and Data Analytics](#)
- [Industrial Engineering & Management](#)
- [Integrated Social and Cognitive Psychology](#)

Bachelor of Arts

- [Global Economics and Management](#)
- [International Business Administration](#)
- [Industrial Engineering & Management](#)
- [International Relations: Politics and History](#)
- [Integrated Social and Cognitive Psychology](#)

Application deadline



- Fall Nominations: March 15
- Applications: April 15
- Spring Nominations: October 15
- Applications: November 15





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Application process

Once students are nominated, they will receive an email from our platform after a staff members review, notifying them to apply through the application



Course catalogue

You can find Constructor course catalogues on the following website (make sure to click on Fall/Spring respectively): <http://campusnet.constructor.university>

The Fall Semester course catalogue usually gets published on March 31st. The course catalogue for the Spring Semester is published on September 30th.

Tuition fees

For study abroad students from exchange partner universities, the tuition is waived. Other fees are to be covered by students themselves.

For study abroad students from visiting partner universities, the fees are covered by sending institutions according to individual university agreements.





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Application package

1. General Information

- Contact information
- Academic information
- Preliminary course information
- Program approval / nomination form
- Study abroad participation agreement
- Letter of recommendation from faculty (for free movers from non-partner universities only)

2. University Transcripts

Applicants must upload a copy of an official transcript from the university they are currently attending. Constructor requires students to hold a GPA of at least 3.0 in American numerical value (letter grade B or equivalent).

3. Proof of English proficiency

All non-native English speakers are required to prove the CEFR B2 level of English proficiency (IELTS score 5.5 – 6.5; TOEFL iBT score 80; TOEIC score 650 – 800; Cambridge FCE). The only exception is if students are native speakers, or come from a university where English is the language of instruction and examination.



Health insurance



EU citizens must present proof of their health insurance when coming to Constructor University and verify that their health insurance meets the German standard. It is strongly recommended for non-EU members to acquire German Public health insurance.



Visa



All study abroad students who need a visa to enter Germany should apply for a student visa. A visitor's visa or any other type of visa cannot be changed into a student visa upon arrival to Germany. Visa support is available at visa@constructor.university. It takes six to eight weeks for visa applications to be approved.

Check here whether you require a visa:

[Visa Information](#)



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On campus housing [↗](#)

Constructor University's campus offers high-quality housing in our four residential colleges. All study abroad undergraduate students are offered housing on campus for the full duration of their stay.

Undergraduate study abroad students are required to live on campus. The student housing allocation is done by Constructor University upon admission to the study abroad program.

Housing options:

Study abroad students can have a single private room and share a bathroom with a second student (suite-mate). A second option is to have shared room.

“Constructor University housing has not only provided me with comfort and a multitude of facilities, but also a family away from home through the residential college community. I am extremely grateful for the opportunity of On-campus housing because after a long day of classes and work I always have a safe space to return to.”

Jenny Chen, Cornell' 21

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