



Welcome to the bachelor's study program
academic orientation:

International Business and Economics (IBE)

International Study Program (ISP)



Welcome & Introduce yourself 😊

ALUMNI Feedback

- Andreas Knabe
- 1998: MANEC (IBE)
- 2023: Professor @ OVGU Magdeburg,
Germany



We are proud of the careers of our ISP ALUMNI!

Content:

- Facts, Contacts
- Academic Dates
- Study Program Details:
program structure, schedules, vocabulary, study + examination regulations (SPO)
language studies, study abroad, ...
- Overview links for downloads etc..



Facts

- ✓ First enrollment 01.10.1997
- ✓ Unique in Germany (Bachelor -> Master -> PhD)
- ✓ Bachelor: IBE
Master: IMME, FINEC, ORBA, EPA
- ✓ Ca. 200 currently enrolled **IBE students**,
65% internationals from more than 45 countries
- ✓ Exchange students (ERASMUS, worldwide)
- ✓ ISP buddy program “SIMP-SON”
- ✓ International Guest Lectures

B. Sc. IBE



Study Program Contacts

IBE Study Program Director:

Prof. Dr. Andreas Knabe
Department/ Chair: Public Economics
Appointments by email

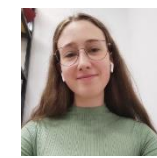
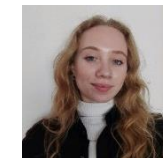


Lectures: Microeconomics, Economics Policy

IBE Advisor: Grit Voigt
SIMP-SON Team Coordinator: Alina K. + Maria D.



Counseling: Tuesdays + Thursdays 10:00 – 11:30
Thursdays 14:00 – 15:00
Zoom + in-person



Office: G. 22, B-006, ISP Office

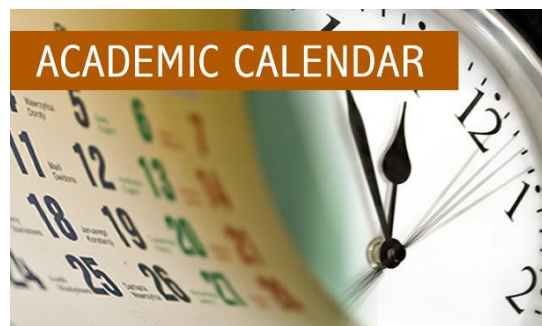
ISP Mailing List: ISP Office & SIMP-SON

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Website: www.isp.ovgu.de
Instagram: [ispofficeovgu](https://www.instagram.com/ispofficeovgu)



IBE's Study Program ABCs:
Calendar, Program Structure,
Schedules,...

Academic Calendar



DATES AND DEADLINES – WINTER TERM 2023/24*

BEGIN AND END OF CLASSES

October 09, 2023 – January 26, 2024
(14 semester weeks)

HOLIDAYS

December 21, 2023 – January 03, 2024
October 31, 2023 and January 06, 2024

EXAMINATIONS

- Written Examinations: January 29 – February 17, 2024

REGISTRATION FOR EXAMINATIONS**

- for oral / written Examinations: **November 15 – November 30, 2023**
- for Seminars and Projects: according to chair guidelines

WITHDRAWAL FROM EXAMINATIONS**

- Deadline for Withdrawal: up to 3 days before the respective
(oral / written) examination date

RECOGNITION OF STUDY AND EXAMINATION OUTCOMES**

- Deadline for Application: November 30, 2023

* Subject to, short-term changes of the university time-schedule or general regulations.

**Attention: Please mind the deadlines! No registrations or withdrawals afterward.

Language Registration:
02/10 – 20/10

Don't miss!
OVGU's student
RE-Enrollment: January 2024

No Re-Registration =
Ex-matriculation =
No right to take any exam!



Academic Calendar

Registration for Examinations: **15/11 until 30/11/23**

Exclusion Period! **Ausschlußfrist** –
Don't miss deadlines!

Recognition of previous gained credit points:
@ Exam Office **until 30/11/23** – just during the 1st semester

Apply in written form and review the information @ website first:
<http://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Faculty/Examination+Office-p-7422.html>

Semester break: **March, August, September**

IMPORTANT: **Examination System and Regulations at FEM INFO SESSION :**
November 10th 2023, 13:00, PD Dr. habil. Toni Richter
Zoom: <https://ovgu.zoom.us/j/67218552014>; Code: 706599



The Bachelor of Science (B. Sc.) in IBE degree:

- ✓ Analytically, theoretically, internationally
- ✓ **180 ECTS** = degree
- ✓ Language studies included with 25 ECTS
- ✓ **2nd foreign language**
- ✓ **English** certificate on level **Unicert IV**
- ✓ Compulsory modules (95 ECTS)
- ✓ Project seminar (15 ECTS)
- ✓ Electives (30 ECTS) in the 5/6th semester
- ✓ Bachelor's thesis + final seminar (15 ECTS)
- ✓ No internship included
- ✓ Study Abroad optional



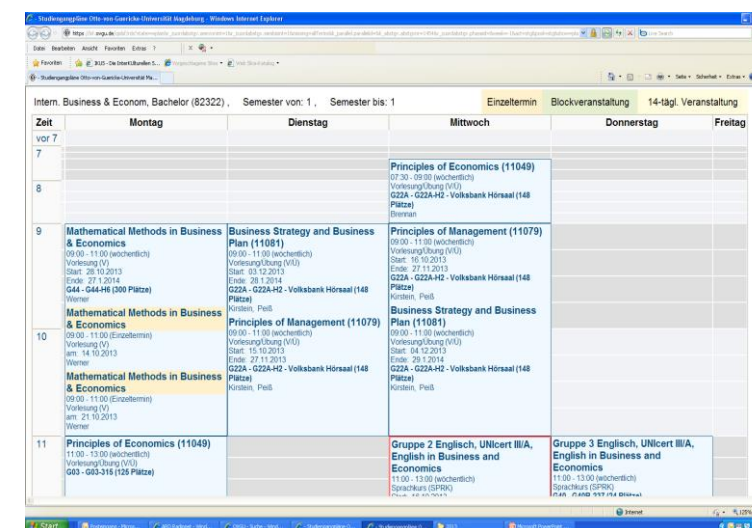
Study Program ABCs

LSF (Lehre, Studium, Forschung)

<https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?state=user&type=0&noDBAction=y&init=y>

the OVGU's online information resources for teaching, study, research

- ✓ Course, study program overview
- ✓ Personal class schedules
- ✓ Chairs, Teachers (email, phone, place)
- ✓ Lectures, modules, CP
- ✓ Rooms at the OVGU
- ✓ Exam registration
- ✓ Module assignment to study programs, specializations
- ✓ Module code, number, teacher, room,...



Zeit	Montag	Dienstag	Mittwoch	Donnerstag	Freitag
vor 7					
7					
8			Principles of Economics (11049) 09:30 - 10:59 (wöchentlich) Vorlesung/Stunde (VU) G22A - G22A-H2 - Volkbank Hörsaal (148) Plätze Brenner		
9	Mathematical Methods in Business & Economics 09:00 - 11:00 (wöchentlich) Vorlesung (V) Start: 26.10.2013 Ende: 27.11.2013 G44 - G44-H2 (300 Plätze) Werner	Business Strategy and Business Plan (11081) 09:00 - 11:00 (wöchentlich) Vorlesung/Stunde (VU) Start: 26.10.2013 Ende: 27.11.2013 G22A - G22A-H2 - Volkbank Hörsaal (148) Plätze Körber, Peß	Principles of Management (11079) 09:00 - 11:00 (wöchentlich) Vorlesung/Stunde (VU) Start: 26.10.2013 Ende: 27.11.2013 G22A - G22A-H2 - Volkbank Hörsaal (148) Plätze Körber, Peß		
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11	Principles of Economics (11049) 11:00 - 13:00 (wöchentlich) Vorlesung/Stunde (VU) G03 - G03-316 (128 Plätze) Werner		Gruppe 2 Englisch, UNICert IIIA, English in Business and Economics 11:00 - 13:00 (wöchentlich) Sprachkurs (SPRK) Körber, Peß	Gruppe 3 Englisch, UNICert IIIA, English in Business and Economics 11:00 - 13:00 (wöchentlich) Sprachkurs (SPRK) Körber, Peß	

LSF instructions: video @ www.isp.ovgu.de

Program Structure:



FACULTY OF ECONOMICS
AND MANAGEMENT



Bachelor of Science in International Business and Economics

Compulsory Studies

Compulsory Elective Studies

1. Semester Winter term		2. Semester Summer term		3. Semester Winter term		4. Semester Summer term		5. Semester		6. Semester	
Principles of Management	5	Management Accounting	5	Marketing Performance Management	5	Business Decision Analysis	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics Semester Abroad*	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics	5
Financial Accounting	5	Game Theory	5	Financial Management	5	Principles of International Management	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics Semester Abroad*	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics	5
Microeconomics	10	Mathematical Methods II	5	Macroeconomics	10	Introduction to International Economics	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics Semester Abroad*	5	Compulsory Elective International Business/Economics	5
		Introduction to Probability and Statistics	5			Economic Policy	5	Compulsory Elective IBE Project Seminar Semester Abroad*	15	Bachelor's Thesis Paper + Presentation)	15
Mathematical Methods I	5	Academic Skills English (C1)	5	Statistical Methods	5	Introduction to Econometrics	5				
2nd Foreign Language <small>German, French, Spanish, Italian, ...</small>	5	2nd Foreign Language <small>German, French, Spanish, Italian, ...</small>	5	English UNicert IV/ Academic Writing (C2)	5	English UNicert IV/ Academic Presentation (C2)	5				

Find program structures online:
www.isp.ovgu.de

Note:

Lectures of compulsory modules only in the summer or winter in regard of the program structure.

Stundenplan: Bachelor IBE 1. Semester

	Montag	Dienstag	Mittwoch	Donnerstag	Freitag
07:00					
09:00	Principles of Management (41079) Vorlesung (V) 09:00-11:00, wöch. von 09.10.2023 bis 22.01.2024 G22A-H2 - Volksbank Hörsaal (148 Pl.) Kirstein, Kirstein		Math Vorlesung (V) 09:00-11:00, wöch. von 11.10.2023 bis 24.01.2024 G05-H4 (G05-303) (120 Pl.) Friedrich	Principles of Management (41079) Übung (Ü) 09:00-11:00, gKW von 19.10.2023 bis 25.01.2024 G22A-H2 - Volksbank Hörsaal (148 Pl.) Kirstein	
11:00					
13:00	Financial Accounting (41087) Vorlesung (V) 13:00-15:00, wöch. von 09.10.2023 bis 22.01.2024 G05-H4 (G05-303) (120 Pl.) Schönhuber-Pirchegger	Microeconomics (41062) Vorlesung (V) 13:00-15:00, wöch. von 10.10.2023 bis 23.01.2024 G05-H4 (G05-303) (120 Pl.) Keldenich		Microeconomics (41062) Vorlesung (V) 13:00-15:00, wöch. von 12.10.2023 bis 25.01.2024 G22A-H2 - Volksbank Hörsaal (148 Pl.) Keldenich	
15:00		Financial Accounting (41087) Übung (Ü) 15:00-17:00, wöch. von 10.10.2023 bis 23.01.2024 G03-106 (78 Pl.) Felsner		MaMe1 Übung (Ü) 15:00-17:00, wöch. von 12.10.2023 bis 25.01.2024 G03-315 (125 Pl.) Friedrich	Microeconomics KG (41062) Tutorium (TU) 15:00-17:00, wöch. von 13.10.2023 bis 26.01.2024 G22A-111 (40 Pl.) Deter
17:00	Microeconomics KG (41062) Tutorium (TU) 17:00-19:00, wöch. von 09.10.2023 bis 22.01.2024 G22A-020 (70 Pl.) Deter		MaMe1 Übung (Ü) 17:00-19:00, wöch. von 11.10.2023 bis 24.01.2024 G05-H4 (G05-303) (120 Pl.) Friedrich	Microeconomics (41062) Übung (Ü) 17:00-19:00, wöch. von 12.10.2023 bis 25.01.2024 G22A-H2 - Volksbank Hörsaal (148 Pl.) Deter	
19:00					

Attention IBE students!
Add second foreign language
classes!

Tutorial?
Select the one which fits in
your personal class schedule.

Can be subject to changes. Please check the OVGU's LSF for updates.

Study Program ABCs

How to read my class schedule?

ukw = *ungerade Woche*/ odd week / 15. KW e.g. 09/10/23;

gkw = *Gerade Woche*/ even week / 16. KW e.g. 16/10/23

wöch= *wöchentlich*/each week

There are so many tutorials, should I attend them all?

No, please pick the one which best fits your schedule.

Tutorials will start in the 2nd or 3rd week of classes.



In-person or online classes?

Check LSF, and register on the e-Learning portal for modules and the lecturer will inform you! **Password: FWW23-24**

Is a registration for lectures, tutorials required? Yes, please register at LSF portal.

Note: Follow the program structure. Some modules require pre-knowledge of successfully passed subjects, overlapping of subjects may occur.

Questions?

✓ Video:

How to create my personal class schedule?



Study Program ABCs

OVGU's e-learning Portal

- ✓ Login with OVGU account (*activate it before*)
- ✓ Go to WS 23/24 section, password: FWW23-24
- ✓ Find modules, and register
- ✓ Get course materials, tasks, videos, etc..
- ✓ Check module formats
- ✓ Receive email information from lecturers
- ✓ Register for the ISP info & Study Deans Office (*reminders by courtesy*)
- ✓ And much more....

Virtual OVGU's digital portals tutorials:

<https://www.isp.ovgu.de/Welcome+Hall/Quick+Guides.html>

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<https://elearning.ovgu.de/course/index.php?categoryid>



23-24 WiSe Planning

→ Stay up-to-date....

Enroll at the section WiSe 23/24
- FWW - International Study
Program (ISP Office) to receive
study program information!

The screenshot shows the FWW website interface. At the top, a breadcrumb trail reads: Startseite / Meine Kurse / WiSe 2021/22 / FWW. Below this, the 'Kursbereiche:' section displays 'WiSe 2021/22 / FWW'. A large blue arrow points from the 'FWW' link in the breadcrumb to the 'Planung Wintersemester FWW 21-22 / 21-22 FEM Winter Semester Plan' link in the 'Fakultät für Wirtschaftswissenschaft (FWW)' section. Below this, there is a search bar labeled 'Kurse suchen' with a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar is a link 'Alles aufklappen'. At the bottom, a list of courses is shown, each preceded by a right-pointing triangle:

- ▶ Angewandte Mikroökometrie (Jun.-Prof. Dr. Sabrina Jeworrek)
- ▶ Angewandte Wirtschaftsforschung / Applied Economics (Prof. Dr. Michael Kvasnicka)
- ▶ Banking and Financial Systems (Prof. Dr. Felix Noth)
- ▶ Behavioral Accounting (Jun.-Prof. Dr. Max-Frederik Neubert)

Study Program ABCs

Let's get started!

- ✓ Activate OVGU student email account!
(instruction details on OVGU website: study - first steps, dates)
- ✓ Create your personal class schedule (LSF)
- ✓ Register for 2nd Foreign Language classes
- ✓ Register for modules on e-learning: <https://elearning.ovgu.de/?lang=en>
Password: FWW23-24





✓ Video: OVGU's Digital Portals

- * myovgu
- * e-learning
- * LSF

Questions?



Study Program ABCs Vocabulary



A. What is a so called “**Module**”?

Modul

- ✓ Teaching unit with a certain amount of credit points
- ✓ 1 lecture + 1 tutorial
- ✓ Overview of modules – Module Handbook



Compulsory Modules: 1-4 semester = 120 ECTS

Pflichtmodule

- ✓ Basic courses that must be taken by all students
- ✓ Modules are offered only summer or winter term *(see module handbook for details)*

Compulsory Elective Modules? 5-6 semester = 60 ECTS

Wahlmodule

- ✓ Modules of the faculty which are chosen by students from a list of offered modules for IBE
- ✓ Following interests, project seminar, foreign language classes
- ✓ Bachelor thesis + final seminar

B. Sc. in IBE Degree? = 180 ECTS

Study Program ABCs

B. What is a Module Handbook?



- ✓ Module Handbook =
description, content, format of courses

Module:
Microeconomics
Applicability of the module:
- IBE compulsory 1 st semester
Semester:
- IBE: Compulsory 1 st semester
Module objectives and intended study results:
The students
- Acquire knowledge of the functioning of the market economy, the role of prices in determining the allocation of resources, the functioning of the firm in the economy and the forces governing the production and consumption of economic goods.
- Become acquainted with microeconomic models.
- Develop an understanding of real world microeconomic problems.
- Develop the ability for critical thinking about economic matters.
Contents:
- Consumer Theory: Household choice, Preference revelation, Decomposition Endowment Economies, Market demand, Consumer Surplus.
- Producer Theory: Technology and Production, Optimization, Market Supply, Producer Surplus.
- Market Equilibrium.
- Welfare Theorems.
- Imperfect competition.
References:
- Varian, H. (2006): Intermediate Microeconomics. 7th edition, W.W. Norton: New York. (main reference)
- Varian, H. (1992): Microeconomic Analysis. 3rd edition, W.W. Norton: New York. (used occasionally)
Forms of instruction and credit hours:
4 credit hours lectures, 2 credit hours exercises
Language of instruction:
English
Prerequisites for attending:
- none
Previous knowledge recommendations:
- none
Work load and credits:
84 hours attendance time and 116 learning hours / 10 CP
Frequency
Each winter term
Assessments/Exams:
Written final exam (120 min)
Responsible for the Module:
Professorship of Economic Policy

Credit Points and self studies

= ECTS for the workload = quantitative and Grades = knowledge

Workload includes: lectures, tutorials, homework, exam preparation,..
1 ECTS = 30h workload -> 5 ECTS = 150h -> 10 ECTS= 300h

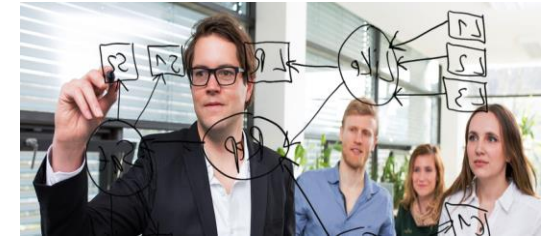
Example:

15 lectures 2x 15h = 30h plus

15 tutorials 2x 15h= 30h → 90h for independent studying, preparations, etc.

Importance of self studies is very high for a successful study program.
Math, Microeconomics,.... library studies, study groups,....

ECTS = European Credit Transfer System (*Bologna 1999*)





Study Program ABCs: Study and Examination Regulations (SPO 2019)



Faculty of Economics and Management
International Study Program

WELCOME HALL | BACHELOR | MASTER | FAQs | STUDY ABROAD | STUDENTS' DOCUMENTS

Home > Students' Docume... > Bachelor > Schedules, Module Descriptions

IBE's Study Documents

Please note the following rule for given information, and translations:

No guarantee taken for any mistakes or changes. The German version of the study documents is always legally binding. All study documents are available at the >OVGU website

Faculty's Introduction > WS 2021/22 IBE Academic Introduction > WS 2021/22

>Examination Regulations and Registration, Recognition Matter WS 2020/21
(11/2020) WiSe session 13/10/21 19:00 Zoom



Last Modification: 04.10.2021 - Contact Person: Webmaster

Download: <http://www.isp.ovgu.de/Documents+.html>

Study Program ABCs

The regulations of the examinations and the study program are legally binding.

- ✓ admission requirements, registration, withdrawal & process of exams, program structure, semester break, study abroad, degree requirements, module explanations, internship and thesis requirements, retake of exams, foreign language studies, etc.

<http://www.isp.ovgu.de/Documents+.html>

Study Regulation (SPO)

- Courtesy Translation -
The German version is legally binding

20/2018

published: 23/04/2018

Study Program ABCs

1.0 to 1.5	= A = Very Good
1.6 to 2.3	= B = Good
2.6 to 3.5	= C = Satisfactory
3.6 to 4.0	= D = Sufficient
below	= E = Not Sufficient

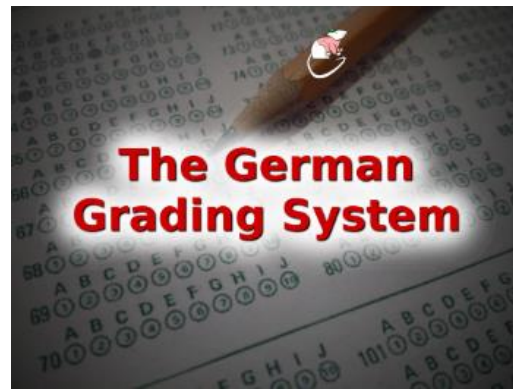
Grade 5.0 for...

any *fraudulent behavior* or disorderly interference:
cheating, plagiarism, talking during the exam ... and not taking part, missing the exam.

I failed an exam, is the retake 2 weeks later?

Repeating examinations will be offered summer and winter term.

A retake of already passed examinations, for example passed with 3,3, -> not possible.



Study Program ABCs

- ✓ For each passed **examination** → Credit Points (ECTS)

Durations: 60 min up to 5 ECTS
120 min up to 10 ECTS

- ✓ Winter or summer term

- ✓ Two retakes of compulsory module examinations are allowed!
3 examination altogether for a compulsory module. Strict rule!

- ✓ *You failed the 3rd compulsory module examination? You lost the right to take further examination of this study program! Counseling necessary. Contact the ISP!*

B. Electives and Compulsory Electives?

There is no counting of failed module examinations. Just chose another elective module. 😊

See the IBE SPO for details and regulations.



Study Program ABCs

Recognition of previous credits

SPO 2019, §16

Application Deadline: 30/11/23

Details?

Info Session Exam System and Rules (10/11/23) + website: Exam Office

1. Written application to the Board of Examiners *Prüfungsausschuss* and ask for recognition of previous studies, transfer of credits.

plus

2. Originals or certified copies of required documents in English or German.

Documents:

Application letter with statement which credits would like to be recognized and transferred for which module at OVGU, grade transcript, module description for each module, translations...

Anerkennung

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Study Program ABCs

Applications must be submitted completed, before deadline
to the **Examination Office** (FEM), B-003.

See for application information:

<http://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Faculty/Examination+Office-p-7422.html>

The applicant is responsible for providing the adequate information.

Grades from abroad will be transferred to the German grading system and automatically transferred to the grade transcript of the applying student.

Advice:

Please register for all examinations during the registration period. In case of recognition the grade will be transferred automatically to the examination administration system by the Examination Office.



Study Program ABCs

Examination Registration:

1. Register for modules in e-learning portal & LSF registration
2. Check out + keep the exam registration deadline:
15/10 - 30/11
3. Register online @ LSF before 30/11:
<https://lsf.ovgu.de/qislsf/rds?state=user&type=0&noDBAction=y&init=y>
4. Sign up for study groups and prepare for exams latest from **end of November**.
5. You would like to reduce the number of exams?
Withdrawal possible, cancel it not later than... **three days before the exam date**



Study Program ABCs

Examination Registration: At a Glance Checklist

- Go the LSF: www.lsf.ovgu.de
- Log in
- Click on Administration for exam
- Click on Apply for exam
- Click on Accept
- Click on course of study
- Verify with yes!



You will receive a verification of all registrations you have done.

Make sure that you register for every exam separately, keep a copy (proof) of your registration confirmation.

Check out the exam location before the day of your examination. Locations vary!

Strict deadline for exam registration: 31/10 – 30/11/23

Study Program ABCs

Examination Registration: Technical Problems

Note:

In case of technical problems caused by the OVGU (must proof it!) during the **last 3 days before the deadline**, it is possible to register for the exams via e-mail to the examination office. The e-mail must be sent from the student OvGU address (*vorname.nachname@st.ovgu.de*) and contain the following information:

Matriculation number, first and last name, the exam(s) to be registered incl. exam number, examiner and the reason must be given why a registration on your own via the LSF is not possible.

Strict deadline for exam registration: 15/11 – 30/11/23



Study Program ABCs

Emails and Applications @ OVGU

E-mails from OVGU students will be only processed, answered if they were sent from the student OVGU mail address (firstname.lastname@st.ovgu.de).

Always mention in your email/ letter/application:
Student number *Matrikelnummer* full name, study program, semester.

Email example:

Dear / Prof. Dr. *add full name*,

.....

With kind regards,
Franz/ Franz Schuster



Study Program ABCs

Examination Office *Prüfungsamt*

Examinations:

A registration for an examination is an act by law and absolutely binding.

Not taking part in the examination, seminar (regularly), handing over the written paper (thesis) after the deadline: **grade 5,0**

Strict deadline for withdrawal of the exam registration:
latest three days before the exam date

Modules for language studies?
The regulations (SPO) from the Language Center
Sprachenzentrum will apply.
Check the Language Center website.



Study Program ABCs

Examination Office *Prüfungsamt*

Examinations + Grades

✓Online:

<http://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Faculty/Examination+Office/Program.specific+Examination+Issues-p-3492.html>

✓Exam **inspection**: start of the following semester
(dates professor´s homepage, info boards)

Attention:

Any *objection* to a grading or the decision upon an application by the Examination Board or Office *Widerspruchsrecht* must be submitted in written form to the Examination Office and handed over in time.

Presentation by PD habil. Dr Toni Richter:

Examination Regulations + Recognition: 10/11/23, 1 pm

Zoom: *link on website*



Study Program ABCs

Examinations + Grades



Examination Office *Prüfungsamt*

A module examination is passed if the student obtained at least the grade “sufficient” (4,0).

The module examination is failed “not sufficient” with: 4,1 and *fraudulent behavior* or disorderly interference, like: *cheating, plagiarism, talking during the exam, not following the instructions of the exam supervisor*

Retake of module examination? *(next semester examination period)*

* **Compulsory** modules: 2 retakes only possible

Note: A second retake with the grade 4,1 and below -> “Ex-Matriculation”: student’s de-registration and taken automatically by the Examination Office -> information in written form to students

* **Elective** modules: no counting of fails. *(5th+ 6th semester modules)*

Choose another elective module and pass it.

* No retake of already passed examinations will be possible!

Examination, Study Regulation



IMPORTANT: SPO 2019 §8 (2) + (3)

(2)Examination which are part of the 1st semester in regard of the program structure (SPO 2019) and not have been taken until the end of the third semester will be counted as failed.

(3)Examinations of the 1st semester which are not taken by the end of the 3rd semester must be taken latest in the 4th semester and if failed in the following semester. Here an automatically registration by the Examination Office for these modules will apply.

Please be informed that for any 1st semester exam, for which students have not registered until the 3rd semester, will be graded with “Not Sufficient” automatically!

Attention!

The *postponing of courses* into a higher semester *cannot be recommended*, language classes including, possible time conflicts with higher semester’s schedules and missing basics may occur.

Examination, Study Regulation

Bachelor Thesis and Electives?

Modules and regulations of the 5th and 6th semester?

Info Session in June 2025



Quizz



https://quizizz.com/admin/quiz/651b2a87dc08152c0a9dba95?source=quiz_share

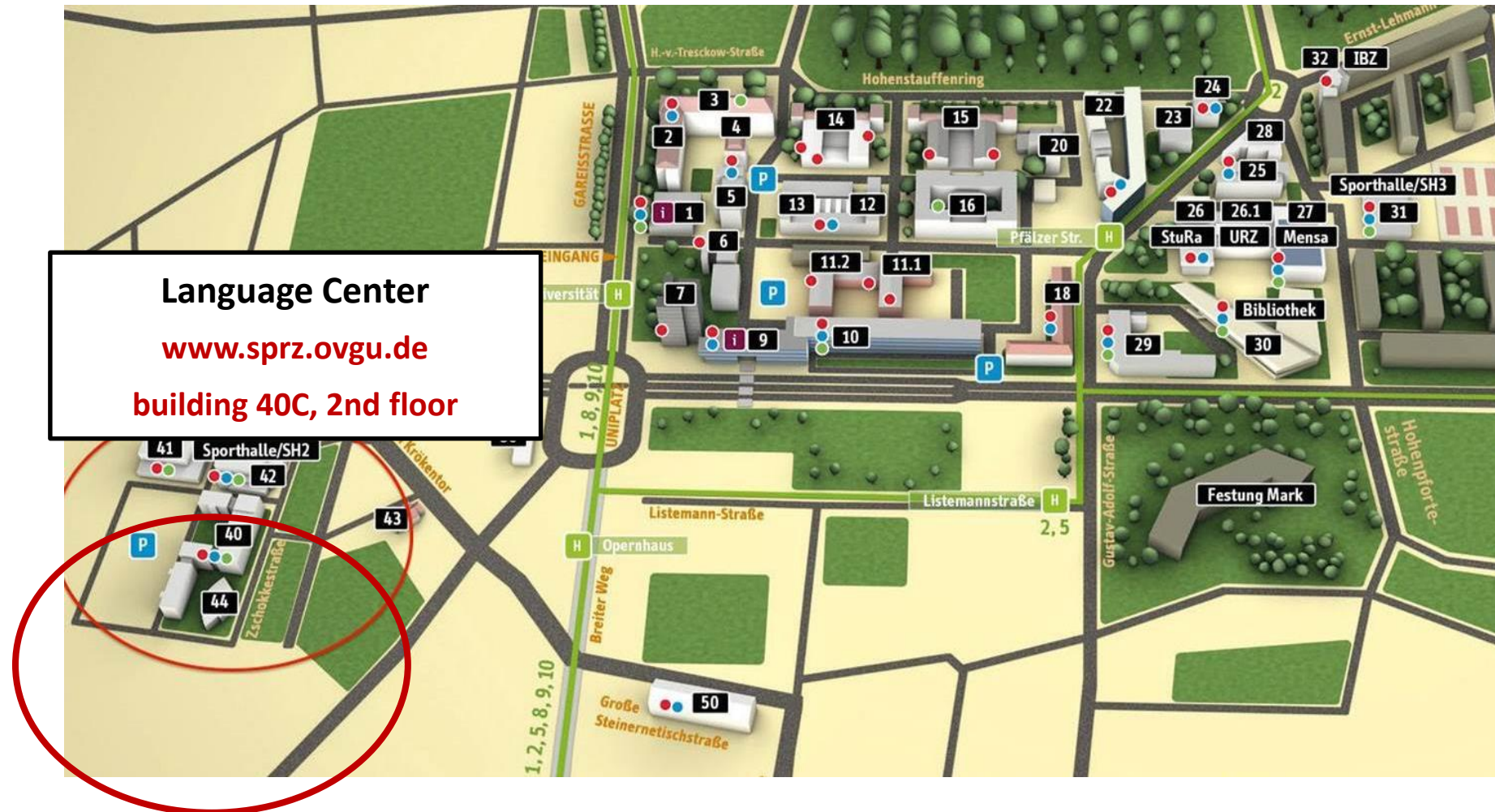


Study Program ABCs: Part 3: Language Studies & Study Abroad



- ✓ Video: English Studies
Michael Calabranno-Perez, English Teacher

Language Center



Language Studies

English Academic Skills:

- ✓ 2nd Semester (summer) module
- ✓ Compulsory for all IBE students
- ✓ Register via Moodle (Language Center website)
- ✓ Choose the group which fits in your schedule
- ✓ List booked out? Put your name on ONE waiting list
- ✓ Teacher will contact you
- ✓ Requirement for the Unicert IV participation



Video: English Studies

<https://www.isp.ovgu.de/Welcome+Hall/Quick+Guides.html>

Module:
English C1, Academic Skills IBE
Applicability of the module:
Compulsory module IBE (Bachelor)
Semester:
2nd semester
Module objectives and intended study results:
The students will <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - be able to critically evaluate and distinguish academic and non-academic materials, - gain insights into academic methodology and argument structure, - acquire the skills to present an argument in an appropriate written and oral form according to accepted norms, - develop their linguistic competence in subject-specific language.
Contents:
Introduction to the development of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) academic writing, (2) presentation techniques.
References:
Materials are subject to change and will be provided by the teacher.
Forms of instruction and credit hours:
4 credit hrs/ <u>wk</u>
Language of instruction:
English
Prerequisites for attending:
N/A
Previous knowledge recommendations:
At least B2 level (CEFR)
Work load and credits:
56 hours attendance time and 94 learning hours incl. exams, 5 CPs
Frequency
Each summer semester
Assessments/Exams:
Regular (at least 75%) attendance required for each course; if less, the courses cannot be successfully completed. The final grade comprises <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Written critique (1,200 words), 50%, (2) Oral presentation (10 minutes), 50%.
Note:
A withdrawal of the exam registration is not possible for this module.
Responsible for the Module:
Language Center

English UNIcert® IV

Part A: 3rd semester

ACADEMIC WRITING

4 hrs/wk

Academic Paper
(3,000 words)

Part B: 4th semester

PRESENTATIONS

2 hrs/wk

Presentation
(30 + 15 min)

EXAM PREPARATIONS

2 hrs/wk

Final Exams:
Listening (60 min)
Reading (105 min)
Writing (120 min)

UNIcert =
 certificate by German universities = C2 level

1st semester module 2nd foreign language

DAF & Second Foreign Language

Academic Skills

English Unicert IV

Check the offer, register for the group which fits in your schedule.

Special rules of participation in classes for exam
registration required!

Registration: 02/10 – 20/10

<https://sprachenzentrum.ovgu.de/>

Fremdsprachen		
Arabisch	Chinesisch	Deutsch als Fremdsprache ★
Englisch (UNICert®) ★	Französisch (UNICert®) ★	Italienisch (UNICert®) ★
Japanisch	Russisch (UNICert®)	Spanisch (UNICert®) ★
Sprechwissenschaft		

Spanish three semesters for one level = 10
ECTS. Program structure only 2 semester.

Language Studies German

International IBE students: **German** as a 2nd foreign language

A1.1, A2.1., B1.1., B2.2. classes in regard of the IBE schedule

10 credit points for one level certificate
(2 semesters DAF)

Registration: 02/10 – 20/10 <https://sprachenzentrum.ovgu.de/> .

Online language level self placement test:

http://www.sprz.ovgu.de/Fremdsprachen/Deutsch+als+Fremdsprache/Welcher+Kurs+passt+zu+mir_-p-652.html

Contact: Dr. Juliane Pomraenke in building 40, part C, room 252,
Office hours: Thursday, 13:00 – 15:00
Email: juliane.pomeranke@ovgu.de

B. Sc. IBE

Sprachenzentrum

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Language Studies

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I can not register online because I am not enrolled yet, but classes will start tomorrow. What should I do?

Go to the first class and talk to the teacher.

The class is full. What should I do?

Put your name on the waiting list. But choose only one waiting list!

I can not attend the first class, because...

Write the teacher an email and explain your absence.

I don't know in which level I belong.

Register for the one you think you belong and go to the first class.

The teacher will advise you. The Language Center also offers a placement test.

Study Abroad

B. Sc. IBE



“Study + Internship Abroad 2024”
Winter Semester Info Session *in German*

October 6th, 2023 11:00 – 12:00
building 22, lecture hall 2 (H2)

Speaker: Sylvia Seela, International Office

Year around: Check the website from the OVGU's International Office

Contacts @ OVGU: International Office (IO)

- ✓ Study Abroad (Incomings, Outgoings)
- ✓ Visa advice for international full degree students

Contact:

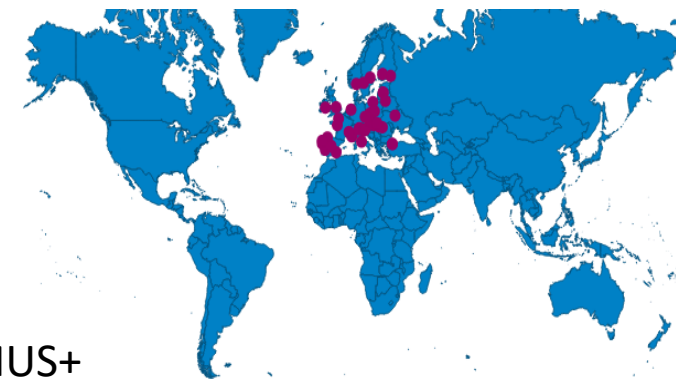
Visa: eva.boehning@ovgu.de

International Admission Office:

enrollment, application: ulrike.schmidt@ovgu.de

Website:

https://www.ovgu.de/unimagdeburg/en/International/Incoming+_Ways+to+the+University/International+Students/Advice+and+Support/Your+Primary+Contacts-p-46536.html



ERASMUS+

 Finnland-LUT University	 Finnland-Tampere University	 Frankreich-Universität Côte d'Azur
 Frankreich-Universität d'Angers	 Frankreich-Universität du Havre	 Frankreich-Universität Grenoble Alpes
 Irland-Institute of Technology Carlow	 Italien-Libera Università di Bolzano - Freie Universität Bozen	 Italien-Università degli Studi di Trento
 Italien-Università degli Studi di Trieste	 Italien-Università degli studi Internazionali di Roma	 Lettland-Rīgas Ekonomikas Augstskola
 Lettland-Rīgas Tehniskā Universitāte	 Litauen-VILNIUS TECH	 Niederlande-Universiteit Twente
 Polen-Uniwersytet Gdanski	 Norwegen-Universitetet i Sørøst-Norge	 Polen-Uniwersytet Ekonomiczny we Wrocławiu
 Polen-Uniwersytet Łódzki	 Polen-Uniwersytet Łódzki	 Polen-Wyższa Szkoła Nauk Społecznych z Siedzibą w Lublinie
 Portugal-Universidade do Porto	 Rumänien-Universitatea Babeș-Bolyai din Cluj-Napoca	 Rumänien-Universitatea din Oradea
 Schweden-Högskolan i Gävle	 Schweden-Karlstads universitet	 Slowenien-Univerza v Ljubljani
 Spanien-Universidad de Extremadura	 Spanien-Universidad de Murcia	 Spanien-Universidad de Oviedo
 Spanien-Universidad de Vigo	 Spanien-Universidad de Vigo	 Spanien-Universidad Rey Juan Carlos
 Tschechien-Newton College Vancouver - NCV	 Tschechien-Universität Karlova	 Türkei-Bogaziçi Üniversitesi
 Ungarn-Budapesti Műszaki és Gazdaságtudományi Egyetem	 Ungarn-Miskolci Egyetem	 Ukraine-National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (NaUKMA)
		 Vereinigtes Königreich-The University of Nottingham

International Office: Study & Work Abroad

Worldwide, ERASMUS, or Free Mover

<http://www.ovgu.de/International/Wege+ins+Ausland.html>

<http://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Teaching/DURING+YOUR+STUDIES/Study+Abroad-p-1120.html>

Bachelor: 5th semester – Master: 3rd semester

Worldwide: 01/11 – 01/12 Sylvia Seela

ERASMUS: 01/01 – 01/02

ERASMUS Internship Angela Wittkamp



Website:

<https://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Teaching/DURING+YOUR+STUDIES/Stay+Abroad-p-1120.html>

 Armenien-Yerevan State University	 Brasilien-Universidade Federal de Itajubá (UNIFEI)	 Brasilien-Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina
 Brasilien-Universidade Feevale	 Brasilien-Universidade Tecnológica Federal do Paraná (UTFPR)	 China (VR)-Xiamen university
 Kanada-University of Lethbridge	 Kasachstan-L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University	 Japan-Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University
 Kolumbien-Universidad del Atlántico	 Kolumbien-Universidad EAFIT	 Kirgisistan-American University of Central Asia
 Korea, Republik-Inha University	 Mexiko-Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León	 Mexiko-Universidad Autónoma de La Laguna
 Mexiko-Universidad del Mayab	 Taiwan-National Chung Hsing University	 Taiwan-Chung Yuan Christian University (CYCU)
 Thailand-Chiang Mai University	 Ukraine-National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (NaUKMA)	 Ukraine-National technical university "Kharkov Polytechnic Institute"
 USA-Georgia College & State University	 USA-Georgia Southern University	 USA-Colorado State University – Pueblo
		 Vietnam-Vietnamese-German University

Student Organizations

The unique faculty's buddy program “**SIMP-SON**”

Higher semester students help newly enrolled students.
A friendship program and

OPEN for International, and German Students. Be part of it!

- Get Together, Learn more about Germany, Networking
- Study Groups
- Picture Exhibition in building 22, part A
- Happy Events
- Christmas Party, BBQ, Field Trips
- Examination Presentation January *and much more*

Coordinator: Maria, Alina (IBE)



Coming soon:

Hiking around at the Harz mountains 14/10, Welcome Info 13/10, 11/10 Campus Tour, Christmas Party 08/12 a. m. m.



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2023/24 Winter Semester ISP & SIMP-SON Events



Summarize:

1. Registration for Examinations: 15/11 - 30/11/23
2. FEM Examination Info Lecture:
examination rules, registration, dates, grades, etc.: 10/11, 13:00, Zoom
<http://www.fww.ovgu.de/fww/en/Faculty/Examination+Office.html>
3. International Study Program Office/ ISP: Contact for ISP students
www.isp.ovgu.de
4. IBE Academic Info Sessions during the study program -
will be announced via Email, e-learning, Homepage, Instragam
5. *The OVGU offers several counselling opportunities and workshops, in English or German.*



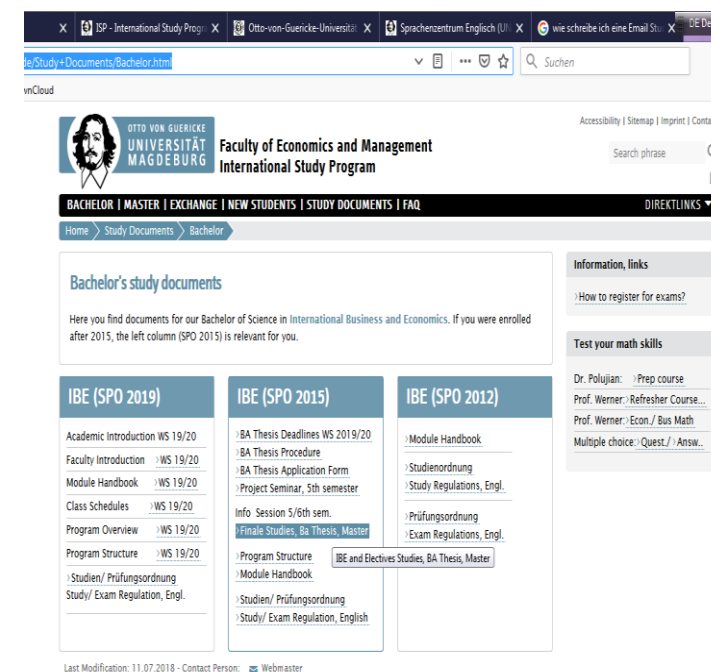
Create your own IBE fellow WhatsApp group – Help each other.

Downloads:

- ✓ Examination + study regulations
- ✓ Module handbook
- ✓ Class schedules
- ✓ Advice and links
- ✓ SIMP-SON
- ✓ ISP presentations
- ✓ Admission requirements
- ✓ News and dates



<http://www.isp.ovgu.de/Study+Documents/Bachelor.html>



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ALUMNI Feedback

- Gaston Lalanne, Uruguay
- 2016 - 2019: IBE
- 2023: Freelance Spanish Teacher & Founder of „Kommt Mir spanisch Vor“



We are proud of the careers of our ISP ALUMNI!

- ✓ FEM's E-learning password: FWW23-24
- ✓ 2nd Foreign Language Classes: Registration open from 02/10
- ✓ Activate your OVGU account

Video Tutorials, Downloads:

<https://www.isp.ovgu.de/Welcome+Hall.html>

Have a great start into the
23/24 WiSe @ FEM!



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