

JUSTUS-LIEBIG-UNIVERSITAT GIESSEN

JLU AND YOU – Opportunities for International Exchange Students

1.02

NEW PATHS. SINCE 1607.

FINDING YOUR PATH OF SUCCESS

As a differentiated comprehensive university with more than 400 years of history, we offer a broad range of traditional and modern subjects in all fields of knowledge. We create study and research opportunities for young people, promote diversity and help you to achieve your goals.

AT JUSTUS LIEBIG UNIVERSITY GIESSEN (JLU), WE ENABLE YOU TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE BY FOSTERING ADVANCEMENT THROUGH EDUCATION.

Peace, Justice and with more than the second s

JLU AT A GLANCE

- 11 faculties, two interdisciplinary centres for teaching and research, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
- About 25,700 students, more than 3,100 international students
- More than 600 international doctoral students in cutting-edge research
- Among the top 400 universities worldwide (THE and QS Ranking), 22nd in Germany
- Founding member of the European University for Peace, Justice and Inclusive Societies (EUPeace) with more than 250,000 students





GIESSEN: OPEN-MINDED STUDENT TOWN. YOUR CAMPUS, YOUR CITY.

- 94,000 inhabitants and home to four higher education institutions with 44,000 students
- Surrounded by the romantic Lahn valley and the rolling tree-topped hills of the Vogelsberg mountains
- Very centrally located in Germany: wherever you want to go, it is never far away!
- Affordable cost of living and a safe place to stay
- Rental bikes and free local public transport for students
- Frankfurt/Main: international transport hub and European metropolis, only 40 minutes away
- Vivid cultural life and broad range of affordable leisure time activities for students: public theatre with drama, ballet and opera for free, public swimming pool for free, pubs and clubs, summer open air concerts, green areas, university orchestra, Gleiberg Castle, JLU Botanical Garden







Every Campus Area with a Character of its Own: Join our virtual campus tour with JLU student ambassadors https://wise.justus.digital/lageplan/



Explore Your Academic Journey: Experience JLU – The Film on YouTube https://kurzelinks.de/jlu-film

YOUR OPPORTUNITIES

- Become part of our vibrant and international student community, which comprises students from over 110 different countries
- Choose from an exceptionally broad range of subjects in over 100 courses of study in all areas of knowledge, such as Natural and Life Sciences, Law and Economics, Social and Educational Sciences as well as Language and Cultural Studies
- Virtual, blended and physical mobility for students from partner universities – choose your grade of immersion in an international exchange!
- Further your academic career through multiple international degree programmes and structured PhD opportunities at four international graduate centres



ECTS Course Catalogue www.uni-giessen.de/de/ internationales/ce



Apply now! www.uni-giessen.de/apply



» STUDYING AND LIVING IN GIESSEN HAS ALLOWED US TO EXPLORE OUR ACADEMIC INTERESTS IN CURRENT TOPICS AND DEVELOP OUR PERSONAL SKILLS – ALL WHILE BEING WELL ABLE TO TRAVEL AFFORDABLY, LEARN GERMAN AND MAKE THE MOST OF OUR TIME HERE!«

María Angélica, Adriana and Claudia from Colombia

MORE REASONS FOR YOUR EXCHANGE AT JLU

- 1. No tuition fees
- 2. Guaranteed accommodation in the halls of residence for students from partner universities
- 3. Second-largest university in the state of Hesse
- 4. Free German-language evening courses for exchange students
- OWIS Orientation Week for International Students: Everything you need to know for studying and living in Giessen and your chance to connect with fellow students
- 6. Lokal International: the most diverse place in Giessen with dance nights, international cooking, board games and a beer garden right next to Giessen's biggest student dorm
- Academic Sports Services (ahs): Choose from more than 80 different sports
- 8. Open lecture series, guest lectures and panel discussions on selected topics around sustainability, peace and democracy, medicine and more
- Language courses, tandem learning and key competencies
 Become part of our international alumni network



CONTACT

Justus Liebig University Giessen – International Office Goethestrasse 58 35390 Giessen

Support Services

- for student mobility within the EU: europa-aaa@admin.uni-giessen.de
- for student mobility outside the EU: mobility@admin.uni-giessen.de
- for the Virtual International Programme (VIP): VIP@admin.uni-giessen.de

www.uni-giessen.de/international-pages



Cover photo: Rolf K. Wegst, Photos inside: 1) Katrina Friese, 2) Universitätsstadt Gießen, 3) Rolf K. Wegst, 4) Michael Schepp, 5) Ann-Kathrin Lauer; Published 2024