



Contact Information

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General Information

Academic calendar (1 st and 2nd semester)	First Semester ("Winter Semester"): October – March Second Semester ("Summer Semester"): April – September
Examination periods	First Semester: November – March Second Semester: May - September
Language of instruction	German, more and more classes taught in English
Language requirements	If classes are taught in German: German B2 (CEFR) If classes are taught in English: English B2 (CEFR)/ 85 (TOEFL iBT)/ 6.5 (IELTS)/ Listening/Reading: 865: Speaking: 170; Writing: 160 (TOEIC)
Are there any courses available in English?	Yes. Please refer to the last page of this document.
Study programs	Please refer to the last page of this document
Online Course Catalogue	The current Course Catalogue you find HERE
Typical credit load per course and semester	2-6
Required course load for international students	Depends on home institution. In general, international students are expected to take the usual academic load of 30 credits per semester.
Degrees and titles	B.Sc., M.Sc., Dr.-Ing., Dr. rer. nat., Dr. rer. pol. (equivalent to PhD)
Grading system	1,0 – 4,0 → very good - sufficient; 4,3 – 5,0 → fail
Credit system	Check our Credit System HERE



Exchange Related Information	
Number of students per semester	Please refer to MOU/BA
Language courses available to international students (dates, costs and web link)	<p>There are two kinds of German Language Courses being offered:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) German courses during the semester free of charge for our exchange students. Those courses take place twice a week for about 2 hours each.2) Preparatory intensive German Language Courses prior to each semester. Please note that a fee is due for the Intensive German Language Courses. If you intend to take part in an intensive German Language Course, please contact Mr. Dr. Joerg SCHROEDER (email: joerg.schroeder@tu-clausthal.de) and/or Mrs. Ayse BORCHARDT (email: ayse.borchardt@tu-clausthal.de). <p>For both kind of courses you may obtain credit points. https://www.izc.tu-clausthal.de/en/language-center/german-as-a-foreign-language/ Courses in other languages are also offered: http://www.izc.tu-clausthal.de/en/language-center/other-languages/</p>
Applicable fees	<p>Exchange students are not subject to tuition fees, but will be subject to an administrative fee. The administrative fee for each semester currently amounts to 125 €.</p> <p>In order to get your student ID-card directly after your arrival in Clausthal-Zellerfeld and in order to complete the enrolment process, we recommend to pay the administrative fee prior to your arrival to the university account:</p> <p>Sparkasse Hildesheim Goslar Peine IBAN: DE59 2595 0130 0000 0083 59 BIC: NOLADE21HIK Recipient Clausthal University of Technology Reference: Name of applicant</p>
Scholarships for international students	Depends on availability of funds
Does your university accept graduate students?	Yes
Nomination deadlines	First/"Winter" Semester: April 15 Second/"Summer" Semester: October 15
Application deadlines	First/"Winter" Semester: May 15 Second/"Summer" Semester: November 15
Application procedure	Details HERE
Duration of exchange	1-2 semesters
Course registration	At TUC-Studienportal
Courses	Students have to submit their applications based on the previous year's course catalogue. We cannot guarantee that all modules/classes shown for the previous year will be offered in the upcoming term.
Are there any courses/classes restricted for international students?	No. Exchange students should, however, mainly choose courses/classes within their field of study stated in the bilateral exchange agreement signed between home university and TUC. Some classes have restrictions in terms of number of participants.
Internships	Internships at the university are currently not available.



Transcripts	Students need to apply for the transcript at the Examination Office (the university does not automatically send transcripts).
Campus facilities	Center for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, Graduate Academy, Sports Institute, International Center Clausthal, University Library, Computing Center, Students' Canteen https://www.tu-clausthal.de/en/university/facilities

Arrival and Orientation

Recommended arrival dates	Semester 1 ("Winter"): Beginning of October Semester 2 ("Summer"): End of March
Pickup service from the airport available?	No. Information on how to come to us: HERE
Orientation sessions for incoming students (dates and costs)	A Welcome Week takes place and does not cost any kind of a fee. Semester 1: Beginning of October Semester 2: End of March
Buddy Program (optional)	Yes, there is an optional buddy program .

HOUSING INFORMATION

Is on-campus housing available?	Most of the students' dormitories are located near institutes
Is there any assistance in finding housing?	You get an overview HERE
Housing Information	Shared Apartment (Single room, shared kitchen and bathrooms) Single Room (including kitchenette and bathroom) Also private housing is available. Monthly rent depending on apartment's size and location.



Visa

Do international students need a student visa?	Unless EU-nationals yes
Restrictions	www.izc.tu-clausthal.de/en/ways-to-clausthal/practical-information/prior-to-arrival/visa/
Are international students allowed to work?	https://www.daad.de/en/study-and-research-in-germany/first-steps-germany/side-jobs/

Medical Insurance

Is international insurance sufficient?	Exchange students are required to obtain medical insurance according to German standards (ca. 90 €/month). Exemption is possible, if medical insurance from home country does comply with German standards. www.izc.tu-clausthal.de/en/ways-to-clausthal/practical-information/prior-to-arrival/health-insurance/
Additional insurance required? If yes, please state	We strongly recommend that international students take out a liability insurance policy. Liability insurance protects the policy holder against third party claims within the context of a previously arranged coverage. Under this insurance, payment is not typically made to the insured party, but rather to the person who suffered loss, damage or pain and is not a part of the insurance policy. In general, damage caused intentionally and contractual liabilities are not covered under liability insurance policies. This insurance covers typical everyday risks (e.g. the damage caused by a bike hitting a car). In particular, liability for owning or renting a house or apartment as well as for athletic activities is to a limited extent covered by this insurance. Usually, students can arrange liability insurance in their home country. Be sure, however, that the particular liability insurance policy is also valid in foreign countries, especially in Germany.

Sample Budget for a Month

Housing	Monthly rent between 300–409 € including utilities
Meals	Meals at the students' canteen start at 2 €
Personal expenses	Students should plan on having to spend about 900 euros per month.



Study programs available in the respective language

Study programs	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)*	Master of Science (M.Sc.)*
Business Administration	•	
Business and Engineering	•	•
Business Chemistry	•	
Business Information Systems		•
Chemistry	•	•
Computer Science	•	•
Digital Management	•	
Digital Technologies	•	•
Electrical Engineering	•	
Electrical and Computer Engineering		•
Energy and Materials Physics	•	•
Energy Systems Engineering		•
Environmental Process Engineering and Recycling		•
Geo-Energy Systems	•	
Geoenvironmental Engineering		•
Industrial/Applied Mathematics	•	•
Intelligent Manufacturing		•
Materials Science and Engineering	•	•
Mechanical Engineering	•	•
Mining Engineering		•
Petroleum Engineering		•
Process Engineering/ Chemical Engineering	•	•
Sports Engineering	•	
Sustainable Energy Technologies and Systems	•	
Sustainable Raw Material Production and Recycling	•	
Technical Management		•

* Definition of the colored fields:

(blank)	The study program is not available in the respective degree.
•	The study program is entirely available in German language.
•	The study program is entirely available in English language.
•	The study program is available partly in German and partly in English.