

Fact Sheet 2026/27 – University of Göttingen

Dear Erasmus+ and Swiss European Mobility Programme Partners,

Please find all relevant information for our student and staff exchange below. If you have any questions, please contact us erasmus@uni-goettingen.de.

General Information and Contact Details	
Name of Institution	Georg August University Göttingen
Address	International Office Von-Siebold-Str. 2 D- 37075 Göttingen
Contact	erasmus@uni-goettingen.de
Website University	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/
Website Erasmus+	www.uni-goettingen.de/erasmusplus131
Erasmus Code	D GOTTING01
List of Erasmus+ International Office Staff	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/645028.html Erasmus+ Coordinator Programme Countries: karen.denecke@zvw.uni-goettingen.de General Erasmus issues: erasmus@uni-goettingen.de Students <i>Incoming</i> Mobilities: incoming@uni-goettingen.de Students <i>Outgoing</i> Mobilities: erasmus@uni-goettingen.de
List of Erasmus+ Departmental Coordinators	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/645028.html
Website for incoming students	Student mobility (SMS) https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/646821.html
Website for incoming staff (Teaching or Training)	Teaching Mobility (STA) https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/646319.html Training Mobility (STT) https://www.uni-goettingen.de/de/646320.html
Exchange possibilities for Incoming students	https://goettingen.adv-pub.moveon4.de/home-page-1854/

Academic Calendar, Admission Procedure and Deadline	
Academic Calendar	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/academic+calendar+%28including+future+and+past+semesters%29/24440.html
Lectures Autumn semester	26.10.2026 – 13.02.2027; exams February/March 2027 No classes 28.12.2026 – 08.01.2027
Lectures Summer semester	18.04.2027 – 21.07.2027; exams July 2027
Nomination deadline	Portal opens on April 1 st , nomination deadline autumn semester: May 15 th

1. Step Nomination by partner institution	<p>Portal opens on October 1st, nomination deadline summer semester: November 15th</p> <p>Please nominate your student through our mobility portal https://goettingen.moveon4.de/locallogin/602f8809f41bc017eb7e2599/eng</p> <p>Should you have any problems to register in the mobility portal, please contact erasmus@uni-goettingen.de</p>
Application deadline for Erasmus+ Incoming students	<p>Autumn semester: June 1st Summer semester: December 1st</p>
2.Step Student's application	<p>An information e-mail including the next steps to be taken will be sent out to the nominated students.</p>
Deadline for sending Online Learning Agreement	<p>Autumn semester: June 1st Summer semester: December 1st</p> <p>Important: Incoming Erasmus students have to take <u>at least 60%</u> of their workload from the faculty of the receiving institution that coordinates the bilateral agreement. The rest of their workload can be made up of courses from different faculties. This decision will be subject to the capacities of the faculties.</p> <p>Erasmus+ Incoming students are asked to use the Digital / Online Learning Agreement.</p> <p>Learning Agreements are signed by the Erasmus+ Departmental Coordinator(https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/645028.html). Nominated incoming students should contact the coordinator early in advance concerning selection of courses.</p>
Welcome Events	<p>https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/196392.html</p>
Erasmus+ agreements Extension of Mobility stays	<p>Please note that: the number of students each institution will send may by no means exceed the number of students mentioned in this agreement. More specifically shorter periods of stay do not allow for the sending of more students, i.e. on an exchange of 1 student for 10 months, a partner cannot send 2 students for 5 months, not even if their stay covers different semesters. The numbers of months per student the partners have agreed on are fixed. An extension of stay is only possible, when e. g. a student is nominated for 5 months, but the partners have agreed on an exchange of 1 student for 10 months. Students should apply early in advance for an extension of stay, at least one month before the regular stay ends. A written acceptance of both partners (incl. International Office) is mandatory and should not exceed the number of months agreed per students. Each party will take this into consideration when organizing student selection.</p> <p><i>It is highly appreciated to contact our Incoming Exchange Officer early in advance (e.g. November) if partners or students have any question concerning extension of their mobility stay (Winter semester to summer semester, not vice versa)</i></p>
Certificate of Arrival	<p>Our International Office will issue a database driven Certificate of Arrival. Word documents are not accepted. Due to summer vacations in August Certificate will not be issued during that time.</p>
Certificate of Stays	<p>Our university will issue a database driven Certificate of Stay. Word documents are not accepted. Due to summer vacations in August Certificate will not be issued during that time.</p>

Academic Information	
Course Catalogue	https://ecampus.uni-goettingen.de/h1/pages/cm/exa/coursecatalog/showCourseCatalog.xhtml? flowId=showCourseCatalog-flow& flowExecutionKey=e1s1&noDBAction=y&init=y
English courses	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/46551.html
Languages of instruction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor level: German (some modules are available in English, depending on faculty, subject) • Master level: German and/or English • PhD level: German and/or English
Language requirements	It is recommended to have at least a language level of B1/B2 in German and in some cases a B1/ B2 level in English. The requirements differ depending on faculty (or subject). Please check, if a proof is needed. https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/646821.html
Language Courses	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/603744.html
European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)	1 Semester = 30 ECTS, workload per credit = 25 – 30 hours 3 years/4 years undergraduate program = 180 ECTS/240 ECTS 1 year/2 years graduate program = 60 ECTS/120 ECTS

Housing, Insurance and Visa		
Accommodation Office	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/617883.html	Cost Student halls of residence: approx. 200 € to 300 € Private housing market: approx. 300€ to 450€ Overall cost of living per months: 650 € to 850 €
Insurance	Proof of health insurance, e.g. European Health Insurance Card https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/646821.html	
Visa and entry	Information for Non-EU students who are enrolled as regular student at our Erasmus+ partner institution: Students should be aware of the visa regulations. Therefore, Students are asked to check in time the validity of their visa before starting their exchange semester(s). For more information, please see the links below. https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/646821.html https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/einreiseundaufenthalt/visabestimmungen-node	
Important to know (partner & students):	For students who are studying at a European university but are a national of a country outside the EU and EEA, we are obliged to register you with the Federal Office for Migration and Refugees (BAMF). Therefore, we need the following documents 6 weeks before you come to Göttingen.	

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Residence title of the EU country in which you are studying. The residence title must be issued for study purposes 2. Passport or ID 3. Proof of financial means showing that you have at least € 934 per month to support yourself (e.g. copy of bank statement, scholarship, or letter from parents) 4. Proof of health insurance (EHIC card, otherwise a German statutory health insurance is strongly suggested) 5. Home address and your address in Göttingen, if you already have one 6. Complete address of your home university <p>After the approval of the BAMF, there is no need to apply for a visa for study purposes in Germany.</p>
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Services for persons with disabilities	
Services	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/408350.html

Living in Göttingen	
Student life	https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/573247.html

