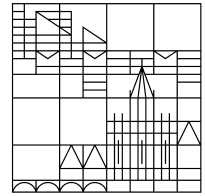




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WELCOME!

**”Ask Your Department
Anything” (AYDA) –
Faculty of Humanities edition**

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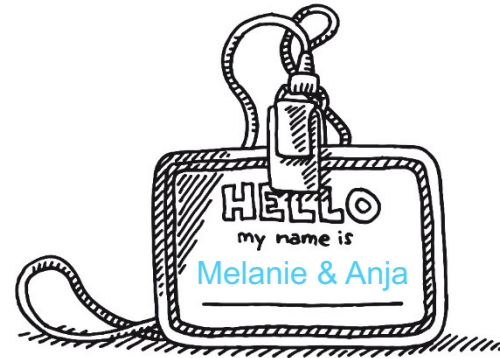
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Erasmus+ / Exchange student advisors Faculty of Humanities

Departments of

- History
- Linguistics
- Literature, Art and Media Studies
- Sociology
- Philosophy



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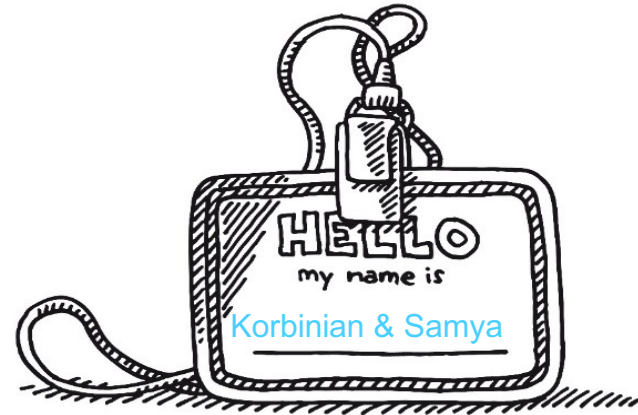
...help with general questions
related to your studies

- Erasmus+/Exchange programme related forms
- sign Learning Agreements
- General academic advice (course choice etc.)

Student assistants Faculty of Humanities

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- History
- Linguistics
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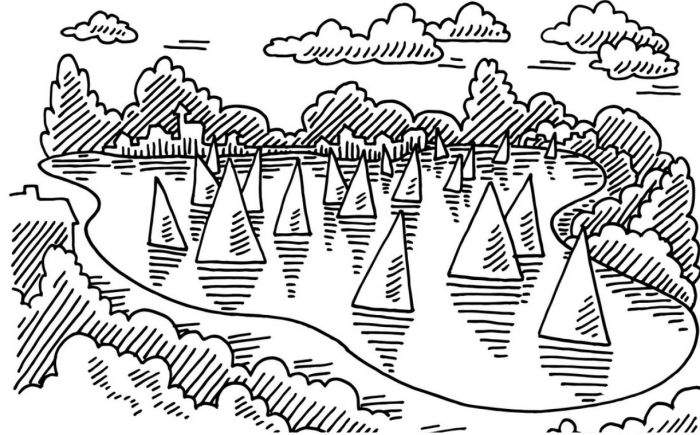
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...we might refer you to them for

- help with registration for course participation
- help with exam/ECTS registration

uni.kn/en/humanities-international



Study abroad in Konstanz Incoming Mobility

International students that have been nominated for student exchange to Konstanz by their home institutions or free movers (students studying abroad outside an exchange programme) may apply for one or two semesters at the University of Konstanz.



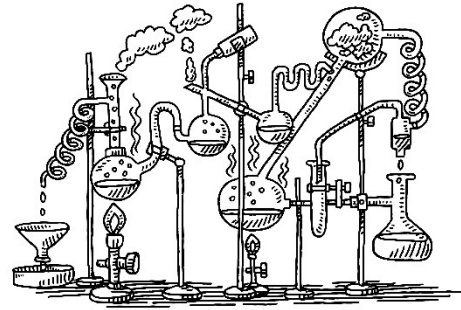
FIND YOUR WAY

Study abroad Studying one or two semesters at a partner university of the University of Konstanz	Internship abroad Organisation of and funding for internships abroad	Stays abroad for PhD students Funding possibilities for (research) stays abroad	Teaching Staff Mobility and Staff Mobility
Advising and contact Current office hours and contact details	Short Term Programmes and Summer Schools	Partners and cooperations Partners and cooperations of the faculty	News, info sessions, and info material Dates, news, and materials (slides)

Academic faculties and departments

Faculty of Science (Faculty I)

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer and Information Science
- Mathematics and Statistics
- Physics
- Psychology

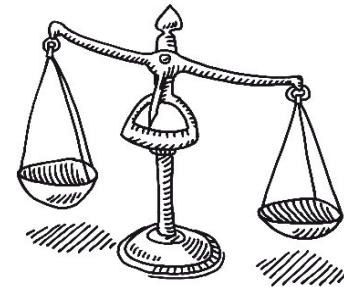


Faculty of Humanities (Faculty II)

- History, Sociology, Empirical Educational Research and Sport Science
- Linguistics
- Literature, Art and Media Studies
- Philosophy

Faculty of Politics, Law and Economics (Faculty III)

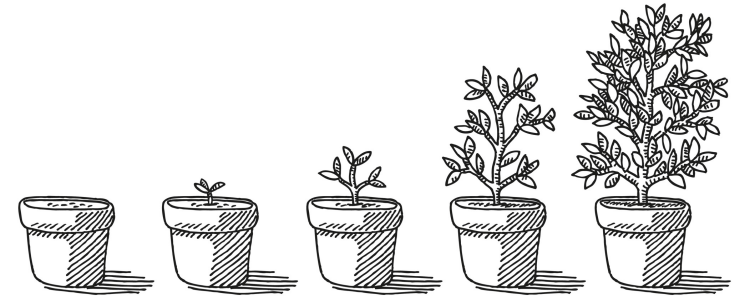
- Economics
- Law
- Politics and Public Administration



Relevant units offering courses

Language Institute (Sprachlehrinstitut = SLI) <https://www.sli.uni-konstanz.de/en/>

- German
- English
- Swedish
- French
- Italian
- Spanish
- Catalan
- Basque
- Portuguese
- Turkish
- Russian
- Bosnian/Croatian/Montenegrin/Serbian
- Ukrainian
- Czech
- Polish
- Chinese
- Japanese
- Arabic
- Persian



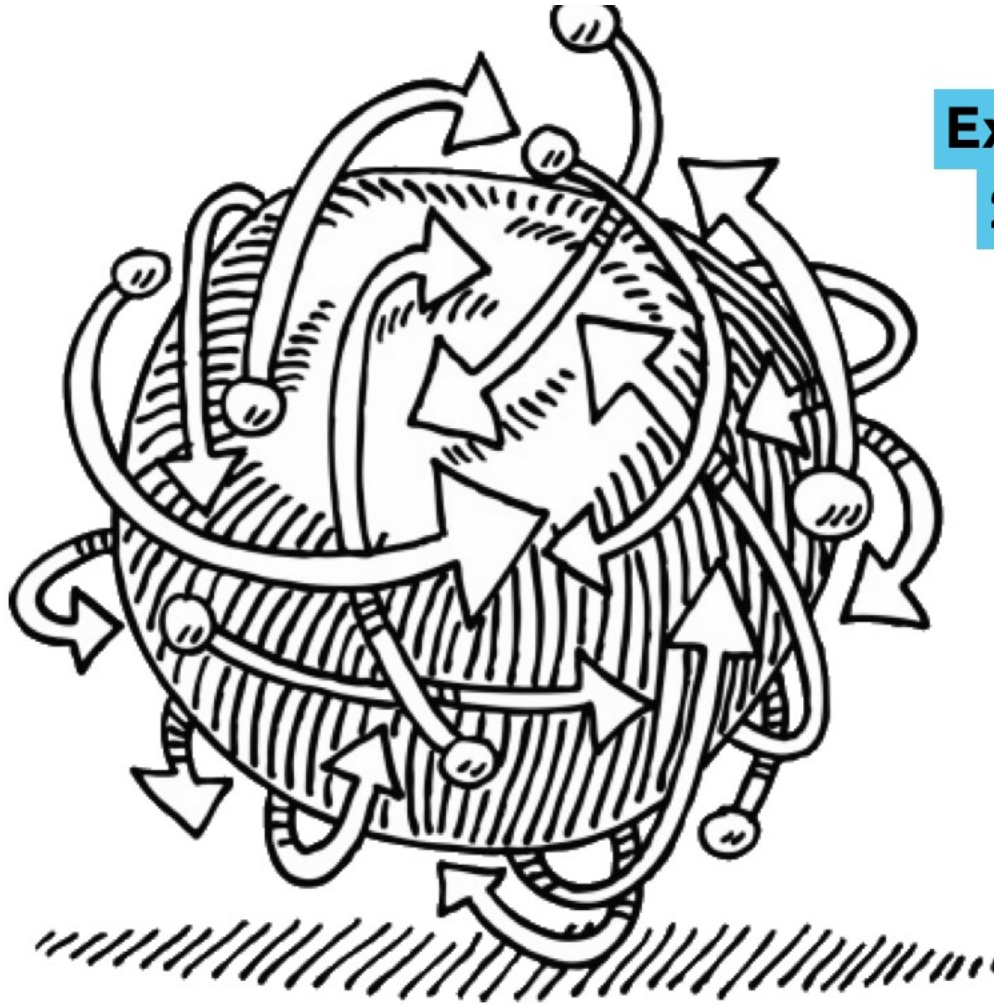
The centre for transferable skills (Zentrum für Schlüsselqualifikationen = SQ)

<https://www.uni-konstanz.de/en/centre-for-transferable-skills/>

- Society, Sustainability, Responsibility
- Communication, Social, and Personal Competences
- Writing and Presenting in Science and Job
- Insights into Occupational and Practice Fields
 - Media
 - Management and Economy
 - Entrepreneurship and Founding
 - Project Management
- Digital Literacy



Resources: Exchange day recordings



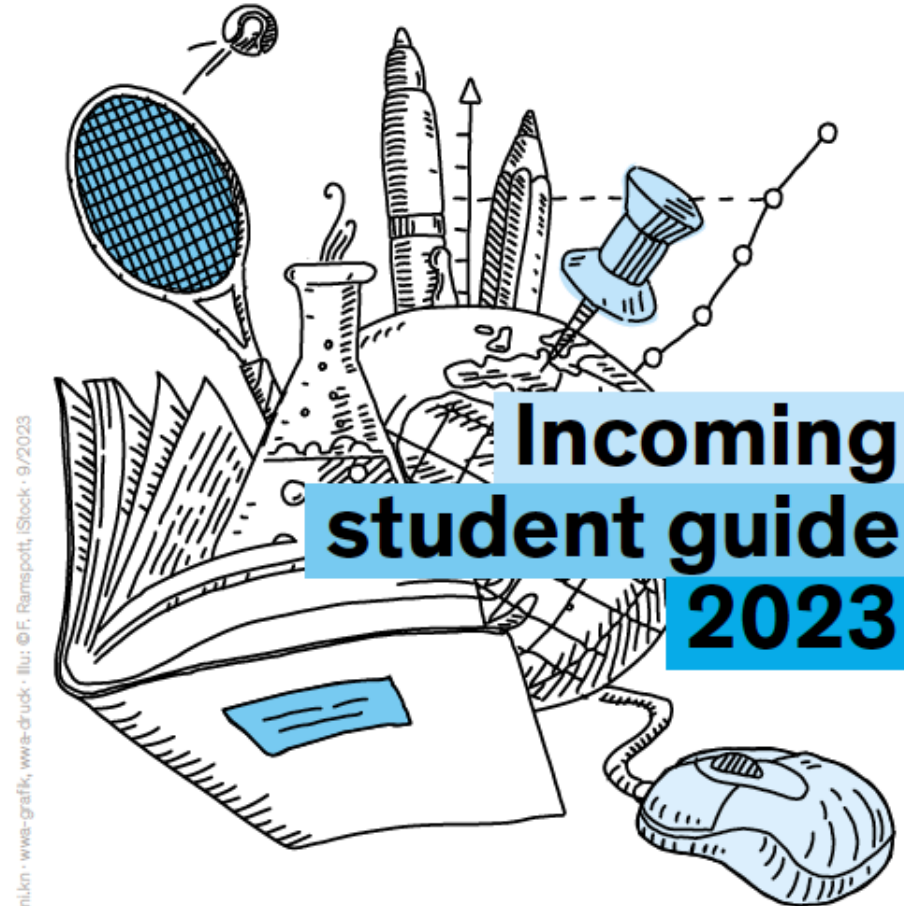
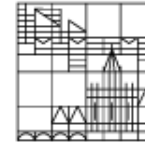
Exchange-Days WiSe 2024/2025 (hybrid)

Introduction to the departments and their course offerings for international exchange students to setup your class schedule for WiSe 2024/2025

[International Office website](#)

Prefer reading?

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**Incoming
student guide
2023**

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Choosing courses step 1: registration for participation

Department of Literature, Art and Media Studies

Department of Linguistics

Department of Philosophy

- via ZEuS from **15 September – 3 November**.

Department of History

- via ZEuS from **10 – 16 October 2024**.

Department of Sociology

- via ZEuS from
1 October – 1 November 2024 (lectures and MA courses).
1 – 8 October 2024 ("classics" and project seminars).
11 – 20 October 2024 (special sociology and data analysis).

Choosing courses step 1: registration for participation

- If you are admitted to a course, you will be automatically added to the course folder on **ILIAS**, where the lecturer uploads course material, etc. It may take a while before you are added to the ILIAS folder, this does not necessarily happen immediately after registration.
- If the course is already full, you will be added to a **waitlist**.
- If you are admitted and decide to not take the course after all, make sure to **deregister** so that students on the waitlist can move up.

The departments in a nutshell



Department of Literature, Art and Media Studies

<https://www.literature.uni-konstanz.de/en/>

- The literatures of 7 philologies (German, English, French, Italian, Spanish, Slavic, Latin)
 - BA Literatures – Cultures – Languages
 - MA Literary Theory
 - BEd/MEd majors

- Art theory/history (no fine arts!)
- Media theory (no communication studies or journalism!)
 - BA/MA Literature – Art – Media

- BA minor Gender Studies

General literary theory, narratology, cultural studies, contexts, transmediality.

- General linguistics with philological specialisations
 - BA/MA Linguistics
 - BEd/MEd majors
- MA Multilingualism
- MA Speech and Language Processing

**Theoretical linguistics, computational linguistics, speech production and perception, psycho- and neurolinguistics, etc.
No translation studies!**

- BA/MA Philosophy
- BEd/MEd Philosophy and Ethics

Analytical philosophy, studying philosophical concepts and problems rather than historical philosophers.

- BA/MA/BEd/MEd History
- MA Mediterranean History

Research materiality, mediality and polyphony of history through methodological diversity. Theoretical orientation, transcending epochs.

- BA/MA Sociology
- MA Anthropology and Sociology
- MA Sociology of Inequality

Cultural-sociological questions in a micro- and macro-perspective with qualitative and quantitative methods. Migration, globalisation, education, labor, gender, religion, political movements, etc.

Anthropological perspectives allow for a comparison between Western and non-Western societies.

Choosing courses step 2: Prüfungsanmeldung (= exam registration)

- Better think of it as **ECTS registration**, because you need to register every course you want to obtain ECTS for, regardless of whether you complete it with an exam or another type of coursework or assessment.

This is mandatory to receive your ECTS!

→ Courses not registered during this period won't show up on your Transcript of Records.

The Faculty of Humanities* and Language Institute share their registration deadlines

Winter Semester

1st December – 15th January

Summer semester

1st May – 15th June

***Exception**

EDU: de/registration until 15 days before the exam date.

Interdisciplinarity? Sure, but...

The registration formalities and deadlines might be different in other departments/faculties/units.

1. Watch their info session recordings of GO Konstanz.
2. Consult the ZEuS wiki page with exam registration deadlines for all the departments.
3. Get in touch with the relevant departmental exchange coordinators if you are unsure.

Not all courses are graded



Especially courses worth 3 ECTS points are usually only awarded a ‘pass’ or ‘fail’, as they require only a “Studienleistung” not a final assessment (“Prüfungsleistung”) at the end of the semester.

→ If you need grades for all of your courses, **speak to your lecturers** and ask whether they would be able to grade your “Studienleistung”.

→ Do so at the **beginning of the semester** and before the exam/ECTS registration!

Erasmus+ students: Learning Agreements (LA)

Everyone should have signed **LA (before the mobility)** by now.

→ If you don't have one, prepare and hand it in now!

→ If you handed in an OLA, send us an e-mail reminder.

Prepare your „second“ **LA (during the mobility)**

→ not before mid November, ideally beginning of December.

→ You need to make sure to register for exams/ECTS.

→ **Hand in second LA no later than 16 January 2025.**

No further changes after this second LA has been signed.

If you decide not to finish a course although you registered for the assessment of it and included it in your second LA, it will stay in your LA *and* in your transcript.

Save the dates!

Networking events for students in the Faculty of Humanities

Get in touch with local students from Konstanz, former/future Erasmus+ students!

End of October/beginning of November

“Brezel & Brause” – international Vesper

→ Meet Konstanz students returning from their abroad experience

End of November/beginning of December

Info sessions on Erasmus+ partnerships

→ Promote your home university to future Konstanz outgoings

End of November/beginning of December

Friends in the Faculty “Speed Dating”

→ Find a Konstanz buddy from your department/faculty.

Whom to ask for help?

Departmental Study Advisors

Faculty of Humanities

Literature/Art/Media Studies

Linguistics

History

Sociology

Philosophy

Available by
email and in
office hours

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Erasmus+ Coordinators

- Learning Agreements
- General academic advice for courses of their departments

Personal
consultations
upon
appointment
by email

Representatives for students with disabilities and chronic illnesses

- Students hand-in-hand
- Academic adjustment for coursework and assessments

<https://www.uni-konstanz.de/en/study/study-essentials/studying-with-a-disability-or-chronic-illness/>

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Psychotherapeutic counselling

Social counselling

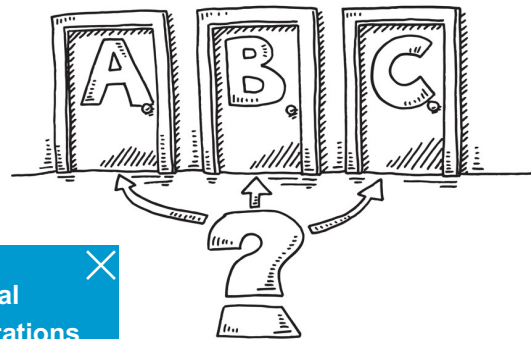
<https://seezeit.com/en/advice/>

Available by email
and in consultation
hours (IO help desk
in the SSZ)

International Office

Inbound Team

- Organisation of your stay (housing, orientation programme etc.)
- Confirmation of arrival/departure
 - Transcripts





**...we hope you will enjoy your time and courses in
Konstanz!**