



FACT SHEET 2026/2027 FOR THE FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

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ERASMUS CODE	D HAMBURG01
SUBJECTS AT THE FACULTY OF HUMANITIES	Please note that incoming students have to be nominated and enrolled in the degree program (department) the IIA has been signed in. List of degree programs List of academic coordinators (responsible academic contact for Learning Agreements)
NOMINATION DEADLINE FOR PARTNERS	1 st term / full year: May 1st 2 nd term: November 1st We kindly ask our partners to use our nomination form .
APPLICATION DEADLINE & PROCESS	1 st term / full year: September 1st 2 nd term: March 1st Incoming students will receive all necessary information on how to apply directly from the Erasmus Office approx. in June (1 st term / full year) / in December (2 nd term).
SEMESTER DATES	1 st term (winter semester): October 1st to March 31st 2 nd term (summer semester): April 1st to September 30th <i>The actual lecture period is shorter than the semester itself. For a comprehensive list of semester dates (including national holidays) please visit here. Exams are typically held during the last week of lectures. Written assignments are generally completed after the lecture period and can often be submitted remotely.</i>
ORIENTATION FOR INCOMING STUDENTS	An orientation event will be held in the first week of the lecture period or shortly before. The Erasmus Office will notify the incoming students in due time about time and date of the orientation.
COURSES	Incoming students are asked to take 51% of their courses in the Department the IIA has been established in. The remaining courses can be taken within the Faculty of Humanities. Additionally, students may take courses at the University Language Center . Incoming students may take a limited number of courses at other faculties, but only after consulting with the international offices of each faculty. Currently, incoming students are not allowed to take courses at the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences.



LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS	For courses taught in German: B2 For courses taught in English: B2 We accept standard certificates or official letters issued by the sending institution.
LEARNING AGREEMENT	The University of Hamburg is participating in Erasmus Without Papers . Learning agreements can be submitted digitally, but <u>no sooner</u> than August 1 st (respectively February 1 st) when the course catalogue for the respective semester is published.
SEMESTER CONTRIBUTION	The University of Hamburg is tuition free; however, a semester contribution must be paid to be enrolled. The semester contribution mainly covers the cost of the “Semesterticket”, which allows students to use the public transport system nationwide. Erasmus+/SEMP students pay a reduced fee. More information on the semester contribution can be found here .
HEALTH INSURANCE	All students must provide a scan of their EHIC/GHIC card or AT11-document with their application to prove they have health insurance in their home country. Travel insurance is not sufficient to be enrolled at the University of Hamburg. Students without an EHIC/GHIC/AT11 may have to take out statutory health insurance in Germany. Please contact the Erasmus Office.
VISA	Non-EU students may have to apply for a visa. Please visit Hamburg Welcome Center for more information. Non-EU students who hold a residence title from the an EU-State (issued for the purpose of studying) have to contact the Erasmus Office and await further information.
HOUSING	Students will get the opportunity to apply for a room in the dormitories managed by the Studierendenwerk Hamburg. Incoming students will receive an application document from the Erasmus Office in June/December. However, due to limited capacities a room is not guaranteed. Students should start looking independently for private accommodation immediately. The Erasmus Office will provide students with tips on finding a room in Hamburg.
OFFICE FOR STUDENTS WITH IMPAIRMENTS & SUPPORT	Office for Studying with impairments If you have special needs or a disability please contact this office prior to your stay in Hamburg. Furthermore, the Studierendenwerk Hamburg offers counselling services for students .