

WHY OSNABRÜCK?

Experience happiness! A nationwide survey found out that the happiest people in Germany live in Osnabrück. 160,000 people – among them 28,000 students – cannot be wrong. Come and find out!

The old town of the city is particularly well preserved, with narrow winding alleys and old half-timbered houses. Find yourself back in the 17 century when walking through the medieval city centre.

Enjoy Osnabrück's music festivals, theatres, cinemas, bars and restaurants. In summer time, let Osnabrück entertain you with a range of open air events and festivals.

130 nationalities and many religions are at home in Osnabrück. Experience diversity!

HOW TO APPLY

Before you submit your online registration, we expect your nomination from your home university by e-mail. You will then receive a link to the online registration form. The online registration system will guide you automatically. You will receive a decision regarding your application within a few weeks.

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INTERNATIONAL DESIGN PROJECT SEMESTER

Find solutions for real-world design challenges
in an international team

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INTERNATIONAL DESIGN PROJECT SEMESTER IN GERMANY'S „CITY OF PEACE“ OSNABRÜCK

The International Design Project Semester (IDPS) at Osnabrück University of Applied Sciences is a one-semester curriculum, jointly run in English by Industrial Product Design and Media & Interaction Design lecturers. The program is established as a study abroad option for international undergraduate design students.

You will encounter real-world design problems, to be solved in an interdisciplinary and international team of designers. A special plus point: According to your interests, you may flexibly choose design projects, focus on theoretical subjects, or combine theory and project work.

Additionally, you may choose modules within the Industrial Product Design curriculum or the Media & Interaction Design curriculum (depending on the current module offer), or even attend a mix of these courses to broaden your skills outside your original field of expertise.

Last, but not least you can join an optional German language course, where you will meet international students from other faculties and learn more about Germany and its culture.

The course includes 30 ECTS credits. You will get a transcript of records listing all modules you have passed.

Your main advantage: You may study for one semester in Germany without profound German knowledge.

Applications are welcome from all partner universities worldwide!

COURSE CONTENT

Modules*	ECTS credits
Project Experiment, with focus on Industrial Product Design or Media & Interaction Design	10
CAD for Industrial Designers	5
Ergonomics 3	5
Representation 3	5
Design Project 3: Focus User	5
German or English as a Foreign Language	5

* Further modules are possible; list of additional module offer in English will be published approx. one month before the semester starts.



COURSE DETAILS

Location	Osnabrück UAS Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science Albrechtstraße 30 D-49076 Osnabrück, Germany
Date	Starting in March for one semester
Nomination Deadline	15 October of previous year
Application Deadline	1 November of previous year
Language	English

YOUR BUDDY WILL ASSIST YOU

In Germany we say: "Every beginning is difficult". A buddy will assist you in finding your way around Osnabrück and the university. A buddy is a student in a higher semester. You will receive name and e-mail address of your buddy at home, before your arrival in Osnabrück. The buddy will pick you up from the train station, will help you move into your residence and will show you the city, the campus and the university. So you will have a buddy in Osnabrück right from the start. And who knows? Perhaps it is the beginning of a good friendship.