REASONS TO CHOOSE HOHENHEIM

The University of Hohenheim occupies top positions in the acquisition of research funds from the German Research Foundation in the field of agricultural sciences as well as in international rankings, for example the "Best Global Universities Ranking".

- Study at Germany's Number 1 University in Agriculture (rankings: www.uni-hohenheim.de/en/rankings-en)
- Choose from a wide spectrum of subjects and specializations
- Use the opportunity to work on research projects
- Gain practical experience on Germany's largest agricultural experiment stations
- Enjoy one of Germany's most beautiful campuses

The Vision of the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences

A global agricultural system which is productive, environment friendly and social minded, and which is in harmony with society's demand for a multi-purpose orientation.



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Semester Packages for Exchange Students

Spend your semester abroad at Germany's #1 University in Agriculture



WELCOME TO HOHENHEIM!

Language Course

"German in the Land of Porsche and Schiller"

All modules in the following semester packages are taught in English. Still, you have the option to start your stay in Germany with a German language course (reduced fee for exchange students!).

Level	Name of module	ECTS- Credits	Duration and Time
Beginners and higher levels	Intensive German language course "German in the land of Porsche and Schiller"	5	March or September 3 weeks blocked

Credits

1 ECTS-Credit (European Credit Transfer System) usually corresponds to 0.5 US-Credits.

Examinations

The examinations for the unblocked modules take place during the 3-weeks examination period, which follows the lecture period (i.e. middle of July until the very beginning of August). The examinations for the blocked modules take place at the end of the respective block period.

Semester-Package 1: Sustainability and Innovations

 \rightarrow Learn about the social and environmental dimensions of agriculture and the role of innovations –get familiar with interesting research methods

April-July, Bachelor Advanced, unblocked modules, for 30 ECTS-Credits choose 5 modules

- Innovations for Sustainable Agri-Food Systems,
- International Business and Innovation,
- Introduction to Machine Learning in Python,
- Life-Cycle Sustainability Assessment of Biobased Value Chains
- Sustainability Marketing & Marketing Consulting,
- Qualitative Research Methods in Rural Development Studies,
- "Humboldt reloaded" -getting started in science.

Semester-Package 2: Environmental Science and Landscape Ecology

 \rightarrow Learn about the effects of environmental changes on biodiversity and ecosystems

April-July, Bachelor Advanced or Master, blocked modules, for 30 ECTS-Credits choose 4 modules out of 9.

- Combining Ecological Models and Data OR
- Spatial Data Analysis with GIS,
- Field Course Agroecologyand Biodiversity OR
- Vegetation and Soils of Central Europe OR
- Biodiversity and Genetic Resources,
- Agroecologyand Biotic Resource Conservation OR
- Landscape Change, Resilience, and Ecosystem Services,
- Intensive Course Landscape Ecology OR
- Plant Ecology of Cultural Landscapes (in August!).



Semester-Package 3: Development Oriented Agricultural Sciences

 \rightarrow Focus on sustainable agricultural systems with the goal of global food security

April-July, Bachelor Advanced or Master, blocked modules, for 30 ECTS-Credits choose 4 modules out of 8

- Interdisciplinary Practical Science Training AND
- Animal Breeding for Sustainable Development OR
- Integrated Agricultural Production Systems OR Postharvest Technology of Food and Bio-Based Products,
- Crop Production Affecting the Hydrological Cycle OR
- Renewable Energy for Rural Areas,
- Promotion of Livestock in Tropical Environments OR
- Irrigation and Drainage Technology.

Semester-Package 4: Organic Agriculture and Food Systems

 \rightarrow Gain from Hohenheim's expertise in organic agriculture and food chains

April-July, Bachelor Advanced or Master, unblocked modules, for 30 ECTS-Credits choose 5 modules out of 6

- Organic Plant Production,
- Crop Protection in Organic Farming,
- Global Agri-food Systems: Conventional, Organic, and Beyond,
- Sustainability Marketing & Marketing Consulting,
- Problems and Perspectives of Organic Farming,
- Fit for Innovation Support Concepts, Methods, and Skills.

Semester-Package 5: Research Project

 \rightarrow Work in a department on a specific project that is individually agreed between you and your supervisor

April-July, Bachelor Advanced, 30 ECTS-Credits

• Research Project

Non-degree students can freely select the modules to attend and the examinations to take.