



Germany

Highlights



Germany was the 6th most popular destination for UGA students going abroad with 204 students participating in faculty-led programs and student exchanges in the 2016-2017 academic year.

Germany is also a valuable partner for joint academic output, with main areas of co-publication including Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Ecology.

UGA has set up a dual degree program in Engineering and German, where students spend a semester taking courses at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, followed by an internship with a German business. These students are ideally positioned to succeed in the international engineering and business environment.

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Active Partnerships

8



Joint Publications

936



UGA Students Abroad

204



Visiting Scholars

19



UGA Faculty Visits

107



International Students

28



UGA Education Abroad in Germany

During the 2016-2017 academic year, 204 UGA students studied in Germany. Current UGA study abroad and reciprocal exchange programs in Germany include:

Program	City/Destination	Focus
Freiburg Study Abroad	Freiburg	Study Abroad
Friedrich-Alexander Universität (Erlangen Campus)	Erlangen	Exchange
Friedrich-Alexander Universität (Nuremburg Campus)	Nuremburg	Exchange
German Engineering Internship	Karlsruhe	Internship
Karlsruhe Institute of Technology	Karlsruhe	Exchange
Leibniz Universität Hannover	Hannover	Exchange
Travel Journalism in Munich	Munich	Internship
Universität Bamberg	Bamberg	Exchange
Universität Heidelberg	Heidelberg	Exchange
Universität Hohenheim	Stuttgart	Exchange
Universität Rostock	Rostock	Exchange

UGA Study Abroad in Freiburg

Students on this four-week summer program explore the German language and German culture of environmentalism, including the unique cultural aspects of a community devoted to and affected by sustainable housing, transportation, energy production, and consumption.

Academic Collaboration in Germany

During 2007-2017, UGA faculty collaborated with colleagues in Germany to jointly publish 936 scholarly articles. Top areas of cooperation during this period included: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Ecology. Top collaborating institution in Germany during this period included the Max Planck Society, the Helmholtz Association, Ruprecht Karl University, and Julich Research Center.

Institutional Collaboration

Germany is home to 8 UGA formal institutional partnerships.

Institution	City	Focus
Freidrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg	Erlangen	Collaborative research and student exchange
Karlsruhe Institute of Technology	Karlsruhe	Student exchange in engineering and German
Leibniz Universität Hannover	Hannover	Teaching and linguistic research
Leibniz-Institut für Gemüse- und Zierpflanzenbau	Grossbeeren	Collaborative research on the postharvest of produce
Otto-Friedrich-Universität Bamberg	Bamberg	Student exchange
Universität Heidelberg	Heidelberg	Student exchange
Universität Hohenheim	Stuttgart	Student exchange
Universität Rostock	Rostock	Student exchange

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology Partnership

The partnership between UGA and Karlsruhe Institute of Technology involves reciprocal student exchanges in the fields of engineering and German language. UGA students attending Karlsruhe Institute of Technology have the opportunity to pursue a double degree, earning a B.S. in engineering and an A.B. in German from UGA. In addition, faculty at UGA and Karlsruhe Institute of Technology are developing plans for collaborative research in the area of Energy Informatics, focusing on how to incorporate renewable energy systems, electric vehicles, and “smart buildings” into the future “Smart Grid.”

Leibniz Universität Hannover Partnership

Leibniz Universität Hannover offers courses that tackle linguistic phenomena from a language acquisition and teacher education perspective. This partnership allows faculty to collaborate in the areas of teaching and linguistic research and also provides opportunities for student exchange.

Leibniz-Institut für Gemüse- und Zierpflanzenbau Partnership

UGA researchers have been collaborating with the Quality Department at the Institut für Gemüse-und Zierpflanzenbau in the area of produce postharvest, including marketing and taste and quality perception by consumers.

Department of Germanic and Slavic Languages

UGA's Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies offers more than sixty German courses in its extended catalog. Degrees offered include a B.A., Minor, and M.A. in German as well as dual B.S.Ed. and M.A.T. degrees in German Language Education.