

UNIVERSITY OF BAMBERG

The University of Bamberg is a medium-sized university in Bavaria, the southern part of Germany, with about 11,000 students (incl. about 1,800 international students). First recorded in 1647, it is one of the oldest universities in Bavaria.

Bamberg's university consists of three campuses. Most humanities courses are taught in the historic buildings of the old town, which are a UNESCO World Heritage Site. As a result, the university plays a crucial role in preserving Bamberg's aesthetic beauty and promoting its cultural identity.

In addition to the city center, the University has a campus in the eastern part of Bamberg. Here, you will find the departments for Social Sciences, Economics and Business Administration. The faculty of Applied Computer Sciences is located on the recently established "ERBA" campus. The short distance between the three locations can be covered quickly by bicycle or by public transport.



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FACULTIES IN BAMBERG

Courses and research are interdisciplinary and international in focus. The University of Bamberg has the following four faculties:

- Information Systems and Applied Computer Sciences
- Social Sciences, Economics and Business Administration
- Humanities
- Human Sciences and Education

WELCOME TO BAMBERG



Bamberg is a vibrant university city, perfect for anyone looking for a lively place to live. Its unique Old Town, which is more than 1000 years old, and the city's outstanding architecture, which features a combination of medieval, baroque and modern styles, is sure to leave you in awe. Many of these historic buildings are used by the university and its departments.



The city is so easy to explore that you will quickly feel at home. Its intimate size creates a safe and welcoming atmosphere where you can easily meet new people. Well-known cultural institutions like the Bamberg Symphony Orchestra and the International Artists' House Villa Concordia contribute to Bamberg's exceptionally high quality of life.

Bamberg buzzes with activity and there's something for everyone. There are festivals all year round celebrating cabaret and street magic, music, local traditions and the art of beer brewing, not to mention Bamberg's vibrant independent cultural scene. These events are loved by the locals, but also attract thousands of visitors from outside Bamberg every year.

One in eight people living in Bamberg are students, and it is clear to see that the university is shaping the life of the city. There's always something going on in the cosy cafes and the lively pubs, bars and clubs. And of course, there are the beer gardens and outdoor hangouts.

If you're into outdoor activities like hiking, bouldering, cycling, swimming or kayaking, Bamberg's location in the Regnitztal valley, the city's seven hills, the Hainpark with its river bathing facilities, the proximity to "Franconian Switzerland" and the Upper Main Valley will give you plenty of opportunities for outdoor recreation!

WELCOME CENTER FOR INTERNATIONALLY MOBILE SCHOLARS

The Welcome Center for Internationally Mobile Scholars is a service facility for all international doctoral candidates, postdocs and professors planning to come to Bamberg or who are already here. We'll make sure you have all the advice and practical support you need for a great stay in Bamberg.

Our services include:

- Visa and immigration assistance
- Help with finding accommodation
- Information for doctoral students on admission and enrolment
- Help and advice with employment contracts, insurance and taxes
- Support for families with children (childcare, schools)
- Assistance in navigating the German bureaucracy
- Getting connected to university IT and libraries
- German courses and intercultural trainings
- Networking opportunities and events (onboarding, city tour, get-together)
- A first point of contact for all future questions and matters

In order to ensure a smooth relocation process, some of our services require advance planning. We kindly ask you to contact us as soon as your stay in Bamberg is confirmed.

