Munich Business School



University of Applied Sciences

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MEET THE WORLD AT MUNICH BUSINESS SCHOOL

Munich is a cosmopolitan city in the heart of Europe. It is home to many internationals and only a few hours away from other European cities in Austria, Italy, the Czech Republic or Switzerland. There is even a saying that Munich is the northernmost city of Italy.

The city's internationality and cosmopolitanism is also mirrored at Munich Business School. Each year Munich Business School welcomes over 100 international students on campus hailing from all corners of the world. Countries include Belgium, France, Spain, Italy, Poland, Luxemburg, Sweden, Slovenia, Russia, Bulgaria, Latvia, Turkey, Ukraine, Hungary, Argentina, Brazil, India, Mexico, Colombia, India, China, Thailand, Taiwan, Canada, UK, the USA and many more. Meet the world at MBS is not just a figure of speech, but a lived reality at Munich Business School.

While the majority of visiting students come to Munich from MBS' partner universities for one or two semesters, MBS also welcomes qualified freemovers to apply for the programs.

Join our exchange program as well and discover the world at Munich Business School!

International students at MBS



Nationalities on campus

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Female students at MBS

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Accreditations – Recognized Quality

Since 2010, Munich Business School has enjoyed unrestricted state recognition and institutional accreditation by the German Council of Science and Humanities. All our study programs are accredited by the Foundation for International Business Administration Accreditation (FIBAA).

What's more, Munich Business School is an active member of numerous national and international associations and organizations:





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The "metropolis with a heart" unites Bavarian tradition and international charm. A number of renowned companies operate from Munich, pulling the strings of the global business world.



100% International and Cosmopolitan

As a student, you will benefit from our international partnerships, which give you the opportunity to complete part of your studies abroad. MBS is also a cosmopolitan host institution for international students.



100% Personal

MBS gives you individual and personal support. Small class sizes, offering direct contact with lecturers, contribute to a pleasant learning atmosphere.



Build Your Business Network

As a student at MBS, you will benefit from a well-connected business network. This professional network offers you the opportunity to connect with national and international companies from various sectors.



Fit for the Working World of Tomorrow

Digitalization is transforming the world of work. MBS prepares you for these new challenges with sustainable management and offers you the opportunity for lifelong learning.

Rankings – Always Among the Best

In this year's ranking, MBS achieved top marks in the areas of "International Orientation", "Knowledge Transfer" and "Research".

MBS is the Best Private Business School in Germany and ranks third among all German universities of applied sciences in the field of business administration.

MBS is among the Top 3 Private Universities of Applied Sciences in seven of the eight categories in the Trendence Graduate Barometer 2020.

MBS achieves top rankings in the categories "Support at the Beginning of Studies", "International Orientation" and "Labor Market and Occupational Relevance".

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Your Study Options

Students have the opportunity to study for one or two exchange semesters at the undergraduate (partly integrated into MBS Bachelor International Business courses) or graduate level (integrated into MBS Master International Business courses), depending on the students' level of study and language proficiency. The exchange programs are offered in spring and fall terms, respectively.



Undergraduate Courses

Undergraduate Exchange Semester (UES)

This advanced business program is tailored for students in their undergraduate studies.

Sample courses in English:

- International Management
- International Human Resources Management
- Strategic Marketing
- Business in Germany
- Cross-Cultural Awareness and Communication
- Gamification for Entrepreneurs
- Innovation and Digital Business
- International Media Management

Course in German:

German as a Foreign Language

Graduate Courses

Graduate Exchange Semester (GES)

This advanced business program is tailored for students in their graduate studies.

Sample courses in English:

- International Business and Business Electives
- Business in Europe
- International Financial Management
- Corporate Entrepreneurship, Global Alliances and Investments in Growth
- Digital Business Transformations
- Luxury Marketing and Luxury Brand Management
- Responsible Leadership in a Global Context
- International Entrepreneurship
- Understanding Family Firms
- Successfactor Happiness

Course in German:

German as a Foreign Language





"The quality of the Exchange Program is amazing. We go deep into details and research topics that we find interesting. The course 'Business in Germany' gives a nice overview of German economy, culture and society."

Luca Karig, Corvinus University, Hungary

Student Support Services

The International Center offers a variety of services to international students:

Orientation Day

This event helps students getting settled in Munich as well as at MBS. It covers important topics such as registration, health insurance, transportation, visa issues etc.

Housing

While MBS does not have on-campus housing, it provides students with information on where to obtain off-campus housing. Accepted students will be added to our MBS Homeseekers community on Microsoft Teams where students can exchange housing offers amongst each other and the latest info on housing options is shown.

Visa

MBS issues non-EU nationals visa letters required to obtain a student visa (Visum für Studienzwecke) at the German embassy in their country.

Statutory Health Insurance

MBS works very closely with Techniker Krankenkasse (TK). Our advisor at TK will help you with all your questions and be present during the Orientation Day where you have the possibility to purchase the statutory German Health Insurance. If you need your health insurance documents earlier for your visa documents you can contact MBS International Center for more information.

"Professors and administration staff demonstrate a distinguished professionalism. You are always invited to ask for support and therefore discover the German culture, economy and society."

Simon Isabelle, UQÀM Université du Québec in Montréal, Canada











WHY OD MUNICH?

Metropolitan City

Many will agree: Munich is one of Germany's most beautiful cities. It has the liveliness of a cultural hotspot, the serenity of a classical metropolis, and the energy of an international hub. It is also the safest big city in Germany. You can move freely day or night without having to take any special precautions.

Business Hub

Strewn with German (e.g. Siemens, Allianz, BMW) as well as international global players (e.g. Apple, Adobe, Microsoft, General Electric, Intel, Amazon), Munich is one of Europe's most vibrant economic centers.

Cultural Hotspot

Munich offers an abundance of theaters, museums, concerts as well as festivals and is surrounded by historical places and castles.

Travel Hub

Only hours away from Austria, Switzerland, France, Italy, Belgium, Spain, the Netherlands and the Czech Republic, Munich is a great travel hub.

Diverse Country

Mountains, beaches, medieval city centers, pulsating metropolises, and above all, lots of nature - Germany is a country with many facets.





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GET INVOLVED

In addition to the regular curriculum, you can also get involved in a variety of student associations. These initiatives not only enrich local campus life at Munich Business School, but also promote the development of soft skills such as communication, teamwork and project management. As well as events, parties and excursions, there's also an impressive range of sports on offer.

Student Associations

MBS International Club

The MBS International Club is a student association with the objective to bring international students together, support them in finding their way into the MBS community and to settle in well by organizing excursions, parties, dinners, pub crawls or karaoke events.

Other Student Associations

- MBS getTogether
- MBS Entrepreneurship Club
- MBS Chess Club
- MBS Esports Club



Excursions & Cultural Visits

MBS offers a variety of extracurricular activities throughout the semester including visits to museums, cultural sites, castles as well as city tours within Germany or neighboring countries.

During the past semesters, students visited castles such as Neuschwanstein, Herrenchiemsee and Nymphenburg. City visits included trips to Nuremberg, Regensburg and Salzburg.





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KEY FACTS

How to Apply

You are nominated by your university.

MBS **confirms you as a student** and gets in touch with you.

You **complete the** online application & submit courses online.

MBS issues acceptance and visa documents.

You apply for visa and arrange your travel etc.

You **arrive in Munich** and join the Orientation Day at MBS.

Key Facts

Study Start

- Fall Semester:
- Program dates: early September to mid-December Orientation Day: late August
- Spring Semester: Program dates: mid-January to mid-May Orientation Day: mid-January
- For the application deadlines, please visit our website: munich-business-school.de/international

Study Options

- Undergraduate Exchange Semester (UES)
- for Bachelor students in business-related programs
- Graduate Exchange Semester (GES)
 - for Master students in business-related programs

Tuition

Exchange students pay tuition to their home university. The 2023 tuition for Study Abroad applicants (freemovers) is EUR 5,700 per semester for undergraduate- and EUR 8,300 for graduate-level studies.

Cost of Living

Estimated living costs would be around EUR 1,450 per month (including health insurance), depending on student's lifestyle and social activities. Non-EU students must purchase a German health insurance.



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Seize the Opportunity to Discover MBS

The three months I spent at MBS as an exchange student went by in no time. Twelve weeks of learning, friendship, and connecting with lecturers. After applying for MBS, I was in contact with the MBS International Center. Prior to my arrival, they clearly explained where and how to find an apartment, how to deal with German health insurance or even how public transport works. The MBS administration department reacted very quickly, was available on a regular basis to answer our questions and/or to work on finding a solution together and they were super-friendly.

On my first day, I was welcomed in a very friendly way. Everyone did their best to create links between the incoming exchange students and the students from regular programs.

It was also a pleasure working with the lecturers at MBS, especially because they were always interested in the student's points of view on topics as well. They were experts in their field and their teaching style was excellent and always referred to real problems. As we studied in small groups the professors could easily adjust their instructions to our individual needs. MBS also gives its students the opportunity to listen to guest lecturers from the industry who present current topics such as "What is globalization?" or "What is e-commerce" from Unilever.

I also really enjoyed the various extracurricular activities offered during the semester, such as a visit to Neuschwanstein Castle, a concentration camp in Dachau or the city of Nuremberg to discover German history and culture.

Concluding, my experience was great and it gave me a wonderful opportunity for my near future. I wish you the same opportunities to discover what Munich Business School is all about.

Elisabeth Rose van Bever, UES Student at MBS, UQÀM Université du Québec in Montréal, Canada

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