

Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

Fact Sheet 2018/2019¹

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Introduction

The Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt (Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt, KU) is the first and only Catholic university in the German-speaking world. With around 5400 students, it is currently the smallest university in Bavaria. Being a small university, it provides an excellent environment for interdisciplinary exchange between the eight faculties and their subjects, made possible by almost 120 professors, over 300 research associates and a large number of lecturers with industry experience.

Identity

The Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt is a modern university with a long tradition. It has existed in its current form since 1980, but its roots go back to the year 1564 and the foundation of the Collegium Willibaldinum, the first priest seminary north of the Alps. The Ingolstadt School of Management was added in 1989. Ingolstadt also has a long tradition as a university town – Bavaria's first university was established there in 1472 with the Pope's approval.

The KU is a state-approved university that is supported by a Catholic foundation. The degrees and qualifications that the KU awards are equivalent to those issued by state universities in Germany. The KU welcomes students of all faiths and sees itself as an academic community that conveys knowledge and teaches social skills on the basis of Christian values. Open dialogue and critical thinking are key characteristics of the University's community and of the learning and teaching that take place here. The KU sees knowledge transfer as a third academic mission alongside research and teaching. Constructive discussion with society has an economic, cultural, social, political and Christian dimension at the KU.

¹ Information provided is valid as of November 14, 2017

Campus locations & International Office addresses:



Eichstätt campus: Katholische Universität

Eichstätt-Ingolstadt International House

Marktplatz 7 85071 Eichstätt Germany

Geographical coordinates: 48°53'31"N 11°11'02"E

Ingolstadt campus: Katholische Universität

Eichstätt-Ingolstadt International Office Auf der Schanz 49 85049 Ingolstadt

Germany

Geographical coordinates: 48° 46' 0" North, 11° 26' 0" East

General information	
University:	Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt (KU)
University size:	Graduate students: 1324 (in 2015-16)
	Undergraduate students: 3879 (in 2015-16)
Academic year:	2018/2019
KU Erasmus+ Identification Code	D EICHSTA01
KU EUC Number	29755-IC-1-2007-1-DE-ERASMUS-EUCX-1
ID Number	Katholische Universitat Eichstatt-Ingolstadt 03041300
(U.S. Department of Education)	

Faculties		
University faculties	Faculties of applied sciences	
Eichstätt campus		
- Faculty of Theology	 Faculty of Religious Education 	
 Faculty of Philosophy and Education 	 Faculty of Social Work 	
 Faculty of Languages and Literature 		
- Faculty of History and Social Sciences		
 Faculty of Mathematics and Geography 		
Ingolstadt ca	mpus	
- Faculty of Business Administration		
"WFI – Ingolstadt School of Management"		

Role & area of responsibility		Contact persons		
		Contact person in Ingolstadt (business & economics)	Contact person in Eichstätt (all other degrees)	
	Vice-President for nternational Affairs	Prof. Dr. Klaus Stüwe +49 8421 93 21433 vizepraesident-internationales@ku.de		
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In	ternational Relations Agreements & Summer School	Thomas G +49 8421 9 internationa	93 21016	
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U T G	(North America, Africa, Asia & Australia/NZ)	Alessia Tressoldi +49 841 937 21069 <u>outgoing@ku.de</u>	+49 8421 93 21069 outgoing@ku.de	
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G	Special programs, double degree & joint degree programs	Armelle Langenwald +49 841 937 21970 outgoing@ku.de	Alessia Tressoldi +49 8421 93 21069 outgoing@ku.de	
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N G	Degree-seeking students	Stephany +49 8421 9 incoming	93 21631	

International	Friederike Beulshausen +49 8421 93 21184 praktika-international@ku.de
careers & internships	Marianne Schönmüller (currently on maternity leave until March 2018)
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Important dates		
Official academic calendar		
Academic year	October 1 – September 30	
Winter semester October 1 – March 31		
Summer semester April 1 – September 30		
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Lecture period	Start	End
Summer semester 2018	April 09, 2018	July 14, 2018
Winter semester 2018/19	October 15, 2018	February 09,
		2019
Summer semester 2019	April 23 2019	July 27, 2019
International fall term in business admin.	Start of September	End of December

Pre-semester intensive German language course

	Start
Summer semester 2018	March 19, 2018
Winter semester 2018/19	September 24, 2018
Summer semester 2019	April 01, 2019
Summer School 2018	July 16, 2018
Christmas	break
Start	End
December 24, 2018	January 6, 2019

Please note: Pre-semester courses may occasionally only be offered at the other campus if demand at a campus is too low. Students from the affected campus can still participate, but need to take a public bus to the other campus. A student ticket for the entire duration of the course costs €105.50.

Deadlines

	Winter semester / academic year	Summer semester
Nomination deadline	May 15	November 15
Application deadline June 15		December 15
Summer School application deadline		January 15

Credit transfer/transcript of records

Please note: Exchange students who are not studying for a full degree at the KU have to register for all examinations they plan to take and receive credits for in KU Campus. The transcript of records confirms all courses that the student has successfully attended at the KU during his/her exchange semester. It is sent by mail and/or e-mail directly to the student and the home university. Erasmus+ students automatically receive a copy by e-mail.

Grading system			
1.0 1.3 excellent		excellent	
1.7	2.0	2.3	good
2.7	3.0	3.3	satisfactory
3.7 4.0 sufficient		sufficient	
4.3 and below		fail	

Student support (incl. description and cost, if any)		
Visa assistance?		Yes
Pre-departure preparatio	n?	Yes
Arrival airport?		Munich Airport
Public transport to airpor	t?	Yes, shuttle bus to Ingolstadt at hourly intervals (€18.00)
Private airport pick-up?		Yes, costs: approximately €100.00 for up to 3 passengers
Course registration?		Yes
Cultural events & excursion	ons?	Yes
Buddy program?		Yes
Sports & clubs?		Yes, costs variable
Gym?		Yes – €30.00 per semester
Emergency services?		oital with emergency room 110 yards from the university
	cam	ous; doctors of all specializations available in town
Places of worship?	Yes	
Scholarships?	Possible. Available competitive scholarships will be announced	
	upon availability	
Students with	Many buildings in Eichstätt are wheelchair accessible, however	
disabilities	please be aware that Eichstätt is a medieval town paved with	
	old cobblestones that are unsuitable for wheelchairs. Facilities	
	in Ingolstadt are fully accessible for people with disabilities.	

Application requirements		
Eligibility requirements (GPA? If language of instruction is German: B1		
Language level?) If language of instruction is English: B2		
Application materials and process:		
1. Register online for KU online application		
Log in to online application platform		

After registering applicants will receive an e-mail containing their access code, enabling them to complete their data and download their Welcome Package. Afterwards they must upload the following documents:

- Print version of online application signed by student and confirmed (signed and stamped) by home university
- Language proficiency form (if language of instruction is German: B1, if language of instruction is English: B2)
- Copy of passport (or ID)
- Passport photo
- Transcript of records
- Learning agreement / study program
- Housing application (highly recommended)
- Registration for pre-semester intensive German language course (recommended)

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Can application materials be submitted electronically?		Only electronically	
Acceptance letter sent to partner university or the stude	nt?	Student	

Information about the learning agreement

The learning agreement is a contract between the exchange student, the KU and the home university. It has to be signed BEFORE starting the semester at the KU.

Courses in Eichstätt are mainly taught in German.

Classes and courses can be found on KU Campus, our online course catalog. In addition, students can find all courses taught in English on the KU International website. The finalized course catalog is usually confirmed **only a few weeks** before the semester starts (winter semester: early September; summer semester: early March).

If students need to finalize the learning agreement before, please use last year's courses initially. If anything needs to be changed, students can modify the learning agreement once they are in Eichstätt or Ingolstadt.

A comprehensive selection of courses regularly offered in English is currently only available in areas of business and economics at the **WFI – Ingolstadt School of Management.**

How to proceed with the learning agreement:

- 1. Students select the courses they would like to attend (from KU Campus & our website)
- 2. Students have their learning agreement approved (by signature) by their home university
- 3. Students send their document to the KU International Office (if not done by the home university)
- 4. The respective Erasmus+ departmental coordinator will check and if approved sign the learning agreement and return it to the International Office where we will sign and stamp it and send it back to the student (by e-mail)

How to change the learning agreement:

5. Students should discuss changes with their KU departmental coordinator and have them approved with a signature in their learning agreement



6. The International Office can confirm the approved changes and send the modified agreement to the home university. Please keep in mind the order of signatures, which is always 1. KU departmental coordinator, 2. KU International Office

Academics			
Standard course load:	1–1.3 ECTS credits per course week		
Credit system used: (e.g. ECTS)	ECTS		
Language of transcript of records:	English		
Transcript automatically sent to the partner Yes		/os	
institution upon completion?	res		
Course estales web links	http://campus.ku.de/studienangebot/?ld		
Course catalog web link:		Language=133&clearcache=true	
Courses available in English?	Yes, in selected subjects		
Required courses?	No		
Course registration procedure?	Through KU Campus upon arrival		
Do you offer credit-bearing internships? (not pass/fail)		No	

Costs	Amount		
Application fee	€0.00		
Confirmation deposit	€0.00		
Other fees	€44.50 [mandatory student services fee]		
	€350.00 [housing deposit]		
Housing	€250.00 – €370.00 per month		
Damage deposit	€400.00 - €850.00		
Meals	Approx. €1,000.00 per semester		
Books	€0.00		
Visa	Depends on home country		
Insurance	Around €80.00 per month		
Local transportation	Students do not need to take any local transportation if they are		
	living in Eichstätt or in Ingolstadt. Both Eichstätt and Ingolstadt		
	are small towns and especially in Eichstätt everything can be		
	reached by foot. If students living in Eichstätt need to take		
	courses in Ingolstadt, which is usually once or twice a week, they		
	can take the bus shuttle. At the end of the semester 50% of the		
	costs can be refunded. Cost per month for students: €107.80		



Housing				
Application deadlines:	Winter semester: June 15			
	Summer semester: December 15			
Is housing guaranteed for exchange students?		Housing offer depends on availability		
Options: (dorm, homestay, apartment)		Apartments, dorms		
Includes: X Linens Towels X Internet Phone Cleaning set X Kitchen Meal plan		Description: Beautiful new apartments, near the town center. Fully furnished with a kitchen, two/three bedrooms, bathroom, internet and facility management.		
Are roommates local or international? apartm		udents have single rooms in shared nents with international and local students t for "Edith Stein" & "Maria Ward" dorms)		
Website:	http://www.ku.de/en/international/incoming- study-with-us/double-degree-exchange- programs/accommodation-in-eichstaett- ingolstadt/			

Visa / entry requirements		
No visa required to enter and study in Germany	Nationals of the European Union as well as citizens of Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland do not need a visa.	
BUT: Everybody who resides in	However, all students still need to register as a resident at their local registration office.	
Germany (this applies to everyone regardless of nationality) has to register at the	KU International Office Service in Eichstätt: Students can register as residents in Eichstätt via the International Office. In addition to the completed forms, the International Office will need two copies of each student's personal ID card or passport.	
local registration office	KU International Office Service in Ingolstadt: Tutors are available to assist with the registration process.	



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local registration office required • Passport (must be valid for the entire duration of sta	Nationals of Australia, Israel, Japan, Canada, New Zealand, South Korea, United States, Andorra, Brazil, El Salvador, Honduras, Monaco and San Marino have to request the eAT (electronic residence permit) after arrival AND having registered at their local registration office.				
 Certificate of enrolment from the KU Proof of financial resources or scholarship confirmat Health insurance confirmation (in German or English Biometric passport photograph (we highly recomme this photograph taken in Germany due to unique tect passport photograph specifications) Rental contract (all pages, and signed by the student landlord/landlady) Resident registration confirmation 	ion) nd having hnical				
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