HOCHSCHULE DER MEDIEN

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ABOUT HOCHSCHULE DER MEDIEN

Hochschule der Medien (Stuttgart Media University) covers a broad spectrum of media expertise: from printed media to electronic media, from design to business administration, from audiovisual media to advertising.

Exchange students coming to Hochschule der Medien are able to choose from a variety of English-taught Minor Programmes. Each one of our Minors is a one semester long set programme. Most Minors run every semester, and normally consist of 30 ECTS credits. Some Minors might require specific academic or technical skills.

Exchange students will be provided with housing options in dormitories near or on campus. We also run a Buddy Programme to ensure that every exchange student has an HdM student assisting them with settling in and making them feel at home in Stuttgart in no time.

FACTS AND FIGURES

- Three Faculties: Print and Media Electronic Media Information and Communication
- About 5,500 students
- Approx. 200 exchange students per year
- 400 staff members and numerous visiting professors and industry experts
- Strong industry links in Germany and world-wide
- 120 partner universities in over 40 countries
- Various international networks
- Short term programmes run in Stuttgart and at partner universities
- Faculty exchange opportunities throughout the year
- Startup Center for entrepreneurship education
- Erasmus code: DSTUTTGA06
- Postal address: Nobelstr. 10, D-70569 Stuttgart, Germany



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APPLICATION PROCESS

After having been nominated by their home university, students will complete an online application. For more information about the application process and our academic calendar, please visit our website: https://www.hdm-stuttgart.de/exchange

Winter Semester (October - February)

Summer Semester (March - July)

Nomination Deadline: 15 May

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- FURTHER INFORMATION

Please note that the required language level for our courses in English is B2 (bachelor's level) / C1 (master's). Exchange students will have a German course as a part of their exchange studies. International students who want to pick courses taught in German need a B2 (bachelor's level) / C1 (master's) level in German.

Please see the equivalences of B2/C1 in English here:

CERF	IELTS			TOEIC	
B2	6.0 overall with 6.0 in reading and writing, 5.5 in listening and speaking		Overall 785, Listening 400; Reading 385; Writing 150; Speaking 160		
C1	6.5-7.5 with minimum 6.0 in reading and writing		945		
CERF	Cambridge English First	TOEFL PBT	TOE	FL iBT	
B2	160 - 179	543 - 626	Overall 72, Minimums: Reading 18; Listening 17; Speaking 20; Writing 17		
C1	180-199	627 - 677	From 95 overall		

Please see the equivalences of B2/C1 in German here:

CERF	Goethe Institut	TestDaF	TELC
B2	Goethe-Zertifikat B2	TDN 4 als Durchschnitt in den vier Prüfungsteilen	telc Deutsch B2 Hochschule
C1	Goethe-Zertifikat C1	TDN 4-5 als Durchschnitt in den vier Prüfungsteilen	telc Deutsch C1 Hochschule

We use the ECTS system for credits. A typical workload consists of 30 ECTS per semester / 60 ECTS per academic year. Our grading system is based on a scale from 1.0 to 5.0.

IMPORTANT DATES

- International Week 25 30 November 2025
- Visual Media Lab Conference: 11 12 April 2025
- 🗰 Media Night (End of Semester Showcase Event): 03 July 2025
- 📅 Exchange Alumni Event 03 04 July 2025
- 🛗 HdM | FMX Partner Day 05 May 2025
- FMX Film and Media Exchange: 06 09 May 2025
- ITFS International Festival for Animated Film: 06 11 May 2025

Virtual Info Session about Hochschule der Medien on 14 May 2025 at 3PM - Zoom Link: https://hdmstuttgart-de.zoom-x.de/j/2743012055?omn=69611256093 Meeting-ID: 274 301 2055

Any unanswered questions? Check out our website!



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