

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

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Bachelor's degree



International Business Administration, BA

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences • Kamp-Lintfort











Overview

| Degree | Bachelor of Arts in International Business Administration |
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| Course location | Kamp-Lintfort |
| Teaching language | • English |
| Languages | Courses are held entirely in English. |
| Full-time / part-time | • full-time |
| Mode of study | Less than 50% online |
| Programme duration | 7 semesters |
| Beginning | Winter semester |
| Application deadline | All applicants: 15 July for the following winter semester |
| Tuition fees per semester in EUR | None |
| Joint degree / double degree programme | No |
| Description/content | Study locally, act globally Are you interested in business administration and striving for an exciting international career? If so, this degree programme could set you on the perfect path to success. Our cosmopolitan, English-speaking learning environment and our strong international focus make us almost unique among German universities. We aim to give you a competitive edge in the job market, equipping you with an extensive grounding that consists of more than just business economics. The sound understanding of economics and economic interrelations combined with tangible practical skills that businesses need will enable you to assess and respond to the challenges posed by internationalisation. Career Prospects With a Bachelor's degree in International Business Administration, you will be highly qualified for a |
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career at international companies as well as in the non-profit sector. You will find employment in a wide range of roles from purchasing and distribution to controlling and marketing. Alternatively, you can use your skills to start your own business.

Course Details

Course organisation

After having acquired a firm grounding in the fundamentals of business administration, the first semesters will also give you the opportunity to deepen your knowledge in subjects like marketing, controlling, human resource management, supply chain management, or corporate finance and investment.

You will become familiar with the basics of economics, mathematics, and statistics and explore analytical and methodological instruments that will help you to make excellent use of, e.g., market research data. The degree also addresses the legal framework within which businesses operate.

From day one, we will also support you in developing key skills like project management or communication and cooperation to the best of your ability. You will also have the opportunity to optimise your chances by learning a new language. If you have ever considered starting your own business, subjects like "Innovation Management", "Strategic Management and Business Planning", or "Entrepreneurship and Taxes" will be highly beneficial.

The fourth and fifth semesters will then give you the chance to specialise in particular areas like "Marketing", "Finance and Corporate Governance" or "Corporate Social Responsibility" by choosing electives according to your own interests and career aspirations.

The sixth semester is focused on the application of your knowledge and will give you the chance to do a practical semester at a company in Germany or abroad. You may also opt for an exciting period of studying abroad to enhance your intercultural expertise. Your studies conclude with a thesis in the seventh and final semester.

A Diploma supplement will be issued

Yes

International elements

- International guest lecturers
- Integrated study abroad unit(s)
- Training in intercultural skills
- Projects with partners in Germany and abroad
- International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context
- Content-related regional focus
- Language training provided
- Study trips
- Courses are led with foreign partners

Integrated study abroad unit(s)

In the sixth semester, students have the chance to either study abroad or do an internship (in Germany or abroad). We provide support in selecting partner universities and institutions as well as in raising funds.

Integrated internships

An eight-week internship has to be completed before the start of the fourth semester. You can also do this internship in your home country before applying to Rhine-Waal University of Applied

In the sixth semester, students have the chance to either study abroad or do a 20-week internship (in Germany or abroad). We provide support in selecting partner universities and institutions as well as in raising funds.

Course-specific, integrated German language courses

No

| Course-specific, integrated |
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| English language courses |

No

Online learning

| Pace of course | Mixed (e.g. fixed exam dates and duration, study content can be studied at any time) |
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| Phase(s) of attendance in Germany (applies to the entire programme) | Yes, compulsory |
| Types of online learning elements | Access to databases with study material Blogs Chats (with lecturers and other students) Discussion forums and / or groups Flipped Classroom Message Boards Online sessions Online study material provided by institution Online tutorials Other Podcasts Video learning (Pre-recorded videos, Vlogs, Video-Podcasts) Wikis |

Costs / Funding

| Tuition fees per semester in EUR | None |
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| Semester contribution | Enrolment fees amount to approximately 320 EUR per semester. This covers nominal administrative fees and a public transport ticket valid for the entire federal state of North Rhine-Westphalia. |
| Costs of living | The average cost of living for students in Germany is around 870 EUR per month. This includes rent, utilities, personal expenses, and general expenses (https://www.study-in-germany.de/en/plan-your-stay/money-and-costs/cost-of-living_28220.php). |
| Funding opportunities within the university | Yes |
| Description of the above- mentioned funding opportunities within the university | The university offers a limited number of merit-based scholarships ("Deutschlandstipendium") to both current students and students who are soon to be enrolled with excellent marks. This scholarship consists of a monthly stipend of 300 EUR and applies to international students as well. Further information is available on our website: https://www.hochschule-rheinwaal.de/en/academics/students/costs-scholarships-and-grants/scholarships-and-financial-aid |

Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences welcomes applications from nationals of all countries. Please see our website for general admission requirements.

Other requirements for the International Business Administration BA programme include the following:

- a sufficient level of English language proficiency (level B2 CEFR or better)
- interest in business and management as well as scientific work

This degree programme has restricted admission. Please find more information on our website: https://www.hochschule-rhein-waal.de/en/academics/prospective-students/current-application-period/bachelors-programmes

Language requirements

Please note that English language skills at level B2 according to the Common European Framework of Reference are required for our Bachelor's degree programmes. Please be aware that all applicants' test report form numbers will be checked. The following certificates are accepted:

- IELTS: level CEFR B2 or better
- TOEFL: level CEFR B2 or better

The TOEFL code of our university: 6962

Application deadline

All applicants: 15 July for the following winter semester

Submit application to

Applications must be submitted online through uni-assist. Please do not submit any applications in hard copy. See our website for details: http://www.hochschule-rhein-waal.de/en/academics/prospective-students.

Services

Possibility of finding parttime employment

Non-EU students can work up to 120 full days or 240 half days per year without requiring an additional visa. Student jobs within the university can be solely in English, but the vast majority of off-campus jobs will require at least basic proficiency in German. German courses are available for students through our International Center.

First-year students are strongly advised to focus primarily on their studies and to begin learning German. This will open up many more part-time job opportunities in later semesters.

Accommodation

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences strongly urges you to arrange your accommodation before arrival. One option is accommodation at the residence halls run by student services ("Studierendenwerk Düsseldorf") with one-, two- or three-room flats and rent starting around 260 EUR per month (with a security deposit equivalent to three months' rent). Availability is limited, so register online as soon as possible. See our website for details.

Most students live in private flats shared with other students. There are a number of popular online portals for finding a flat in Germany. Contact the Welcome Centre for more information or look into social media platforms because some students might be graduating when you plan to start. Additionally, the Welcome Centre is always ready to offer advice or help with conversations or correspondence in German.

Career advisory service

Internship, student job, or first steps in a new career – Rhine-Waal's Career Service is here to help with a broad range of useful services.

Correspondingly, we act as bridge builders between students and fresh graduates, the university,

and companies or organisations from industry, science, social sectors, etc. Our overall goal is to "help others help themselves" by supporting capacity development in students and fresh graduates with respect to their individual career paths.

Support for international students and doctoral candidates

- Welcome event
- Buddy programme
- Tutors
- Specialist counselling

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences



Kamp-Lintfort campus

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Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences, with two campus locations in Kleve and Kamp-Lintfort and over 6,700 students, is an innovative, interdisciplinary, and international university of applied sciences. The university currently offers 36 undergraduate and postgraduate degree programmes in engineering, the natural and social sciences, technology, design, and more. Our programmes are geared towards your employability, addressing current and future needs of industry by giving you valuable expertise and experience in your field of study. We are unique in that some 75% of our programmes are taught exclusively in English, resulting in a vibrant campus culture and a rich, intercultural exchange of ideas, experience, and knowledge.

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences prides itself on top-notch teaching, excellent research, and a strong network of international partnerships with research institutions and industry. Our team of professors bring a fresh, dynamic approach to teaching and continuously support, encourage, guide, and inspire students. Professors are often on a first-name basis with their students. Teaching takes place in a range of cutting edge facilities, laboratories, work spaces, smart classrooms, and auditoriums.

The result is a memorable and valuable university experience, which will help you grow as a person and set you on the path to your chosen career. We look forward to welcoming you!





University location

Rhine-Waal University of Applied Sciences is centrally and conveniently located on the Lower Rhine between the Netherlands and the Rhine-Ruhr metropolis.

Kleve, where our main Campus is located, is a city rich in tradition and history, and it currently has 53,000 residents. It offers the best of both worlds: the bustle and excitement of nearby cities like Nijmegen, Düsseldorf, and Cologne with the safety, comfort, and ambience of a smaller town. The flat landscapes, mild climate, and good infrastructure of the Lower Rhine make it ideal for getting around by bicycle. Noteworthy sights include the Swan Castle, Baroque-style botanical gardens, museums, and art galleries. The town is home to large department stores and smaller boutiques, pubs, cafés, and more. Students can also participate in a range of sports offered both by the university and local clubs.

Kamp-Lintfort, our campus for the Faculty of Communication and Environment, has a current population of around 39,000 and is located 60 km (37 miles) south of Kleve. Kamp-Lintfort takes its name from a nearly 900-year-old monastery, maintained in its original style to this day. The city's proximity to the Rhine-Ruhr metropolis made it an integral part of post-WWII coal production in Germany. In recent years, Kamp-Lintfort has redefined itself as a hub of technology, innovation, and higher education. The Kamp-Lintfort campus is centrally and conveniently located in the centre of town. In addition to its historical sights, Kamp-Lintfort offers a welcoming and safe atmosphere for students with numerous shops, pubs, cafés, and sports.

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