

# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

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# Master's degree



# China Business and Economics, Master of Science

Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg • Würzburg

### Overview

Degree	Master of Science
Teaching language	<ul> <li>German</li> <li>English</li> <li>Chinese</li> </ul>
Languages	Chinese for business Chinese classes German for introductory classes in economics English for other content classes
Programme duration	4 semesters
Beginning	Winter semester
Application deadline	15 March for the programme starting in the following winter semester
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Combined Master's degree / PhD programme	No
Joint degree / double degree programme	No
Description/content	The China Business and Economics Master of Science programme accepts graduates in Chinese studies who are especially interested in the Chinese economy. It builds on their knowledge of China by offering classes in Chinese studies (MA level) and advanced courses in the Chinese language. Students attend a selection of courses at both the Bachelor's and Master's levels at the Department of Economics of the University of Würzburg. They will quickly gain a sound understanding of economics and business administration and specialise in a field of their interest. Lectures and seminars on Chinese economics cover a range of topics, such as "Finance and Banking", "China in the Global Economy", "Consumerism and Marketing", or "Challenges of Sustainable Development". Methodological questions of economic research on China are dealt with in special seminars and in case study seminars. In their Master's theses, students apply their knowledge of languages, research methods, and Chinese economics.

### **Course Details**

write their Master's theses during the fourth semester.

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Integrated internships	Internships are not part of the programme, but they are permitted. It is possible to spend a semester abroad.
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	No
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	No

## **Costs / Funding**

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Semester contribution	There are generally no tuition fees at the University of Würzburg. However, you must pay the semester contribution each semester for enrolment or registration. The student contribution includes a semester ticket that allows you to use public transportation all throughout the beautiful city of Würzburg.  Student contribution: approx. 146 EUR
Costs of living	The cost of living in Würzburg is low compared to other German cities. Of course, this strongly depends on your individual lifestyle, but you should expect monthly costs of about 940 EUR.  • Food: 250 EUR • Rent: 350 EUR • Health insurance: 110 EUR • Other: 212 EUR • Broadcasting fees (AZDBS/GEZ): 18 EUR
Funding opportunities within the university	No

# Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements	Bachelor's degree in Chinese studies or equivalent Required are at least: 30 ECTS in Chinese studies 40 ECTS in modern Chinese language (Mandarin) 5 ECTS in Chinese economics 20 ECTS must have been earned at a Chinese university.
Language requirements	A very good command of English (B2) and Chinese is required. International applicants must provide proof of their German skills at level B2 (DSH).

#### Submit application to

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### **Services**

#### Possibility of finding parttime employment

- Students from countries within the EU and the EEA are on equal terms in the labour market and are allowed to work during their course of study.
- Students from other countries are allowed to work 120 full days or 240 half days per year (which also includes voluntary internships). If you would like to work more, you will need permission from the employment agency ("Agentur für Arbeit") or the immigration office.
- Important: Be sure your studies will not suffer if you have a side job!

#### Accommodation

The Student Housing Service ("Studentenwerk") is responsible for 10 dormitories in various locations in Würzburg.

#### Amenities:

- Single and double rooms or rooms in apartments in which two to four students share a kitchen and a bathroom.
- All rooms and apartments are furnished.
- Dishes, cooking items, bedding, and towels are not provided.
- You can find more information about the individual dormitories here.

#### Length of stay:

- The rental contracts of the "Studentenwerk" are temporary contracts.
- The fixed-term rental contracts of the "Studentenwerk" can be terminated in writing with two months' notice for the following deadlines: 31 March or 30 September.

#### Application:

- Deadlines: 15 June for the winter semester and 15 January for the summer semester (The student housing service must receive the security deposit of 300 EUR by this date.)
- You will receive further information about applying for housing in your letter of acceptance.

#### Support for international students and doctoral candidates

• Specialist counselling

### **Contact**

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