

Information Sheet EM Academic Year 2012/2013

Partner University	Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (HsKA)
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General web sites	
Website of the university:	www.hs-karlsruhe.de
Website for EM ECW students:	www.hs-karlsruhe.de/en/home.html

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Academic calendar	
Start and end dates of the autumn term:	mid-September to mid-February
Start and end dates of the spring term:	March to July
Link to academic calendar:	www.hs-karlsruhe.de/en/events.html
Examination period(s):	first three weeks of February/first three weeks of July

Course information websites	
Website undergraduate studies:	www.hs-karlsruhe.de/en/international/exchange-students.html
Website master studies:	www.hs-karlsruhe.de/en/prospective-students/regular-degree-programs.html
Website courses/programs for PhD studies:	
Website post-doc fellowship:	
Website with information for academic staff:	

Number of credits/points/units for full-time studies	
In one term of undergraduate/master's studies:	30 ECTS credits
In one year of undergraduate/master's studies:	60 ECTS credits

Undergraduate degree	
No. of credits required for completion of an undergraduate degree:	210/240
No. of years required for completion of an undergraduate degree:	3.5/4

Master's degree	
No. of credits required for completion of a master's degree:	120
No. of years required for completion of a master's degree:	2

Language of instruction and verification of language proficiency	
Language of instruction:	English/German, depending on program
Language test certificate required for EM students (yes/no):	Regular students (degree-seeking): yes Exchange students (non-degree seeking): no
If yes, please answer what kind of certificate is needed:	Regular students in German-language degree programs: DSH-2, TestDaF 4, Zentrale Oberstufenprüfung, DSD II or equivalent. Regular students in English-language degree programs: see below. Exchange students: For maximum study success, German language proficiency at minimum B2 level (Common European Framework of Reference) is expected.
<i>If English-test is needed, please answer what minimum score is required</i>	
TOEFL score (computer/internet/paper):	213/83/550
Cambridge/Oxford score:	Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English grade b, Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English grade c
IELTS score:	6.0

Housing	
Housing assistance (yes/no):	Yes, if requested
Link to housing information/application:	http://www.hs-karlsruhe.de/en/international/exchange-students/student-life/accommodation.html / application details and forms will be provided upon request
Housing application deadlines:	Dec. 15 for Summer Semester; July 15 for Winter Semester (earlier applications, however, are more likely to be successful)

Additional costs for the student	
Additional fees to pay, excluding tuition fee (indicate amount and subject):	Any ancillary fees, such as the Student Services fee of approx. 62 EUR, the registration fee of approx. 40 EUR, and the Campus Card fee of approx. 5 EUR, are covered through the participation costs.

Any other information or issue you deem interesting or relevant to be shared



Regarding cost of living in Karlsruhe, a budget of approx. 600 Euros per month is required for rent, utilities, food, household items, transport, entertainment, clothing, insurance, books, fees, etc. The participation costs will be used to pay for student mentors, for a program of events and excursions for international students, and also for German-language courses offered to the participating students free of charge. For general information about HsKA and the city of Karlsruhe see our [ECTS Handbook](#).