



## Financial Issues

### University fees

There is **no tuition fee** at Ulm University. The university and the students union (Studierendenwerk Ulm) currently charge administrative fees amounting to 158,50 € each semester.

Students admitted to the "Advanced Materials" program will be asked to pay these fees for the following winter term immediately after they accepted admission.

### Living expenses

A student at Ulm University will face the following living expenses :

- University/students union administrative fee: 158,50 € each semester
- Health insurance: 80 € each month
- Rent: approximately 300 € each month
- Public transportation (semester ticket): 115 € each semester
- General cost of living (depending on the lifestyle): approximately 300 € each month

Expenses per year: Approximately 8700 €

Expenses for the regular duration of the program (2 years): Approximately 17 400 €

### Housing

Students admitted to the program will have the option of renting a room in a student residence hall. Room prices vary between 200 € to 380 €. Rooms are allocated by Studierendenwerk Ulm exclusively depending on vacancies. The residence halls are located either within walking distance from the university campus or downtown (20 min bus ride to campus). Dormitory rooms are single, furnished rooms. Depending on the dormitory the kitchen (with all cooking facilities) and the bathrooms are shared by 2 to 18 students. There are no dormitories exclusively for men or women. Prospective students interested in renting a room will be asked to make a 600 € deposit payment by August 31.

#### **Please note:**

- **It's not possible to make a reservation for a specific dorm and/or a specific type of room (amount of rent, facilities).**
- The "Advanced Materials" office is not involved in the room allocation procedure.

### Financial Assistance

Information on scholarship programs can be found at the German Academic Exchange Services (DAAD). Typically, students will have to apply for a scholarship one year ahead of time. Ulm University does not offer any additional scholarships for incoming students.

### Proof of Financial Resources

Typically, proof of financial resources of at least 670 € per month will be necessary to obtain a student visa. Additionally, many German embassies require students to prove that they dispose of a specific amount of money (approx. 8000 €) on a German bank account before a visa will be issued. Please inquire at the German embassy in your country for specific requirements.

Information "**Working as a student**": Please check "Advanced Materials" homepage.