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ERASMUS/EXCHANGE
Student Services
by the International Office

- Accommodation Reservation
- Free German Language Courses
- Arrival Assistance by S.T.E.P.S.
  (Student Tutors for Exchange Program Students)
- Orientation Weeks
- Films, Excursions & more ....
Lectures: Students can attend courses from three main areas: methodology, fundamentals and applications.

Methodological Courses
Courses in methodology offer a basic but also a comprehensive introduction to psychology and its diverse methods,
- they communicate knowledge about the philosophy of psychological science,
- and methodological competencies for engaging empirical research as well as working outside the laboratory.

Fundamental Courses
Fundamental courses provide essential knowledge about human experience and behavior concerning:
- cognitive and biological functioning (general psychology and biological psychology)
- foundations of intra- and interpersonal processes (developmental and social psychology, psychology of individual differences)

Applied Courses
Applied courses are offered in the following areas:
- organizational psychology
- clinical psychology
- educational psychology

Cognitive Systems is completely taught in English, while the programs in Psychology are mainly taught in German with select courses in English. Students should have minimum level B1 in the language(s) of instruction.

The International Office organizes intensive German language courses prior to the start of each semester (September/October and March/April) in addition to German courses during the semester. Participation in these courses is open to all ERASMUS/EXCHANGE students free of charge.

The City of Ulm:
- On the river Danube
- A town where medieval traditions meet high-tech industry
- Birthplace of Albert Einstein (*1879)
- Ulm Cathedral with the world’s highest church steeple
- Conveniently located between Stuttgart and Munich
- Best train connections to main European cities
- Nearby airports in Munich, Stuttgart, Friedrichshafen and Memmingen

The Institute of Education and Educational Psychology at Ulm University was founded in the mid-1980s for the purpose of offering complementary subjects in the program Media and Computer Science as well as Teacher Training programs. This is the reason why the Institute of Psychology and Education (as it is called today) belongs to the Faculty of Engineering, Computer Science and Psychology.

Psychology:

The B.Sc. program is deeply rooted in the scientific traditions of Ulm University. Students are introduced to the fundamentals and methodology of psychology, to get an overview of different fields of application. They can attain both, a vocational qualification in psychology as well as a solid background to continue in our M.Sc. program, which focuses on professional practice, but also stresses scientific research.

Research covers a broad range of psychological phenomena and topics, such as e.g.:
- Health prevention
- Cognition and metacognition
- Learning strategies
- Body perception
- Personnel development
- Aging
- Clinical Disorders (e.g. Alexithymia, Eating Disorders, Post-traumatic Stress Disorders)

ERASMUS/EXCHANGE students have the opportunity to write their bachelor or master thesis in related topics, either in German or in English.

This is a new inter-disciplinary M.Sc. program, which combines theoretical and empirical foundations in cognitive psychology, models of neuro-biological mechanisms with technical applications for the development of new generations of assistance and companion systems, intelligent robots or vehicles, with the goal of supporting and improving human performance.

Language:

Students can attend courses from three main areas: methodology, fundamentals and applications.