Studying in Mönchengladbach

The Campus

The Mönchengladbach Campus is located just a couple of minutes' walk away from the old town centre. The leafy and pleasant site provides students with all the necessary facilities such as student housing, a cafeteria, a library and computer labs. Bars and cafés nearby are favourite hangouts for students.

GLOBUS - our international student group

The GLOBUS student group takes particular care of exchange students and organizes trips, e.g. to Germany's federal capital Berlin, or to some of the numerous events nearby like the carnival activities in Cologne, Germany's carnival stronghold; the beautiful Christmas market in historic Aachen, the former seat of the emperor Charlemagne; a football match at the world's famous football club home turf Borussia Mönchengladbach or the world's longest pub crawl in the old town of Düsseldorf.

Location

Studying in Mönchengladbach means studying in the heart of Europe. An excellent rail network offers easy access to Europe's greatest cities Paris, Amsterdam and London. Düsseldorf International Airport (DUS), only a 30-minute drive away serves 180 destinations throughout the world



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Region

The Niederrhein University in Krefeld/Mönchengladbach is one of the largest universities of applied sciences in Germany. It is situated in the Lower Rhine Valley, conveniently close to Düsseldorf, the capital of Germany's biggest federal state Northrhine-Westfalia.

The towns Mönchengladbach and Krefeld belong to Europe's top region of technological innovations, the Meuse-Rhine triangle – an area combining a rich German, Dutch and Belgian cultural vitality with a dynamic economic climate.

The University

Founded in 1971 the university now has over 13.000 students in ten faculties: Chemistry, Design, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Mechanical and Process Engineering, Food, Nutrition and Hospitality Services, Applied Social Sciences, Textile and Clothing Technology, Business Administration and Economics, Business Engineering and Health Care. There are two campus locations: one in Krefeld and one in Mönchengladbach.

The Faculty

With over 3.000 students and a staff of around 40 professors the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics is the university's biggest faculty.

Education and Research

Theoretical knowledge combined with practical experience is the essence of the faculty's work. In 12 different degree programmes we combine academic and scientific study with practice-oriented training. Since 1971 we have been preparing our students for careers in business and industry in close cooperation with enterprises in the region.

The faculty is involved in various large-scale research projects, conducted either by individual professors or by the faculty's successful research institutes and centres:

- Frau und Auto (interdisciplinary research group on identifying and solving the needs of women customers of cars)
- Marketing Applied
- scm4you (Centre for Supply Chain Management)
- GEMIT (Business Process Management and IT)
- NIERS (Niederrhein Institute of Regional and Structural Research).

Most student theses are the result of a successful cooperation between the faculty and local companies, the latter often serving as a springboard for future careers.

Full-time courses

The department offers a variety of full-time and part-time degree schemes.

Full-time bachelor degree programmes:

- BA in Business Administration
- BA in Information Systems
- BA in Taxation and Auditing

Full-time master degree programmes:

- MA in Business Management
- MA in Information Systems

Part-time courses

The department also provides part-time programme schemes for students in full-time employment:

- BA in Business Administration
- BA in Business Law

LLB in Business Law

- MBA in Management
- MA in Auditing
- MA in Taxation
- ITM in Business Law

International Cooperations

The department has cultivated academic links throughout the world. We have around 30 cooperation agreements with institutions of higher education in the European Union as well as partner universities in Russia, China, USA and Australia. For the exchange students of our partner universities we offer the opportunity to attend a full semester course in English.