

DUYUR METNİ

We are thrilled to unveil the new course catalogue for **JLU's Virtual International Programme (VIP) for Summer Semester 2026**.

VIP in a Nutshell:

Ek-1

VIP is an **ongoing offer to international students from JLU's partner universities** interested in a **virtual exchange experience to complement their studies in their home countries**. Students can [apply to the programme individually online](#); no official nominations are required.

- Students have the option to select **up to six courses** from a diverse range of [online courses](#), offered across 11 faculties of JLU at both undergraduate and graduate levels.
- More than 50 online courses are available, providing a **comprehensive academic experience**.
- Participants will receive an **official Transcript of Records**, documenting earned credit points from JLU.
- Participation in the VIP is offered to students from our partner universities at **no cost**.

For further information about the course offer and the application process, please visit our [Digital Campus](#).

Key Dates:

- Application Deadline: **28 February 2026**
- Question Time for Applicants: **5 February 2026** at 2:00 – 3:30 pm (CET); interested students can join via this link: <https://webconf.hrz.uni-giessen.de/b/jul-niw-ihg-uuo>
- Summer Semester Start: **13 April 2026**, with our online *Orientation Week for International Students* starting days prior ([OWIS](#))

We have **attached the VIP brochures and our brand new VIP social media flyer** (the flyer is also available in Spanish, Portuguese, Polish and French – kindly let us know, in case you want to make use of them):

1. *VIP @ JLU Giessen* encompasses our recurring courses (continuously offered) along with general information about the programme. This course catalogue enables your students to plan, incorporate a VIP course into their home timetable, and address potential recognition beforehand.
2. *A Student's Guide to the VIP and VEEP Galaxy* is designed for students and includes the course catalogue for the upcoming semester. It also provides additional information about the programme and its accompanying activities. Feel free to share this brochure with your students.
3. *VIP social media flyer* can be utilized by you in order to enhance VIP visibility among your students. Simply share the flyer on your social media platforms and let students dive into the VIP galaxy!

As always, we would love to have your students join this programme and would highly appreciate if you could **widely promote the Virtual International Programme (VIP) within your campus community**.

Please contact our Mobility Team for inquiries about the programme, the course selection or the application process:

Justus Liebig University Giessen
International Office
Mobility Team
VIP@admin.uni-giessen.de
phone: +49 641 99- 12166
+49 641 99- 12132

A STUDENT'S GUIDE TO THE VIP GALAXY

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME (VIP)
OF JLU GIESSEN

Dive into the world of JLU and grasp the specifics of the German university education system, all from the comfort of your home.

- The programme is completely free of charge for students from our partner universities
- Academic Recognition: VIP alumni receive a Transcript of Records, including Credit Points/ECTS

Ek-2



Application Deadline
28th of February 2026!

**APPLY
NOW**



Question Time for Applicants

Thursday, 5th of February 2026 at 2 p.m (CET)

Visit www.jlu-digitalcampus.de for more details!
Contact us at vip@admin.uni-giessen.de



VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME (VIP)

Overview of recurring courses

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE
FOR STUDENTS FROM PARTNER UNIVERSITIES OF JLU GIESSEN

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME (VIP)

TAILORED TO THE NEEDS OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FROM PARTNER UNIVERSITIES OF JLU GIESSEN



1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The Virtual International Programme (VIP) launched in the winter semester of 2020/21 provides an additional exchange opportunity for students from our partner universities twice a year. The programme includes a range of courses that are revised on a semester basis, as well as a selection of regular courses that are available continuously. VIP courses form part of JLU's curriculum, enabling JLU and international students to collaborate within a digital classroom.

The virtual exchange programmes welcome up to 350 virtual exchange students each semester. Students have the opportunity to select from approximately 40 courses offered by 8 faculties of JLU, open to Bachelor's, Master's, PhD and Teacher Training students. Recently, the course catalogue included courses taught in English, German and Spanish.

In the context of remote internationalization, VIP presents an opportunity to gain an international experience from the comfort of home, with a focus on inclusivity and sustainability.



2. INSIGHTS AND ADVANTAGES

- VIP serves as the ultimate gateway to explore JLU 's academic environment from the comfort of home
- Tailored online programme to cater to the unique requirements of international students
- Dynamic and flexible online curriculum, featuring:
 - Diverse Online Courses – covering a wide spectrum of subjects from 8 faculties of JLU
 - Multilingual Options – courses available in English, German, Spanish and various other languages, catering to both undergraduate and graduate students
- International Collaborative Teaching: breaking barriers, elevating academic experiences
- Academic Recognition: VIP alumni receive a Transcript of Records, including Credit Points/ECTS
- VIP is completely free of charge for students within JLU 's partner network



3. VIP COURSE PROGRAMME

VIP provides a varied catalogue featuring both traditional, recurring courses and an innovative, semester-changing curriculum. Students and doctoral candidates can select up to five courses.




Find the current course offerings for the upcoming VIP semester online on our [Digital Campus](#) or ask us for the brochure *A Student's Guide to the VIP Galaxy*.

- **RECURRING COURSES** – Always on offer: our regular courses are recurring, either available in the summer and/or winter semesters. High-quality teaching on fundamental topics.
- **COURSE CATALOGUE** – Current Topics & New Perspectives: we offer a semester-changing course programme to give our lecturers and students the opportunity to focus on current academic, political, and economic topics and trends.
- **INTERDISCIPLINARY SEMINARS** – Led by faculty members from diverse disciplines, fostering cultural and academic exchange. Through academic dialogue and interactive learning, students acquire intercultural and digital competencies, along with teamwork skills, enhancing their virtual study experience.
- **INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL COLLABORATIVE TEACHING** – Seminars offered in collaboration with universities worldwide. Developed and co-taught by JLU lecturers and instructors from partner universities, these seminars see professors and lecturers aligning their research interests, pooling resources, and jointly designing the course curriculum.




4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

Overview of the regular courses offered in the VIP for the winter and/or summer semester. Find the current course offerings for the upcoming semester online on our Digital Campus or in the brochure A Student's Guide to the VIP Galaxy.

		Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Law									
Caminos hacia la paz en Colombia: Discutiendo el legado del Informe Final de la Comisión para el esclarecimiento de la Verdad			x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, Tatiana Quintero (CAPAZ), Alexandra Koball	x	Spanish
Critical Development Studies in Times of Global Turmoil			x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Peters	x	English
Comparative European Constitutional Law		x		x	x	lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Desigualdades de género y trabajo de cuidado		x		x	x	seminar	Dr. Laura Rivera Revelo		
Individual and socio-economic rights: A comparative perspective			x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Introduction to European Energy Law		x		x	x	lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Memory Studies: The Contributions from the Latin American Experience		x	x	x	x	lecture	Tatiana Quintero	x	English
Migration and Human Rights		x		x	x	block seminar	Juliana González Villamizar	x	English
Metodologías críticas y decoloniales para la investigación social		x			x	seminar	Tatiana Quintero, Andrea Neira	x	Spanish
Migración, Mujeres y Desigualdades Sociales			x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Laura Rivera Revelo	x	Spanish
Pedagogías de los discursos sociales: memorias, ambiente, desigualdades		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, Dr. des. Andrea Cagua Martínez, MA Lorena Díez		Spanish

4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

		Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Law									
Sachenrecht			x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Elena Dubovitskaya		English
The Language of Law: A Comparative Study of Polish, German, and European Union Legal Systems		x		x		lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jás-Nowopolska		English
Faculty of Economics and Business Studies									
Accounting		x	x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Corinna Ewelt-Knauer, Prof. Dr. Arndt Wöhrmann		German
Competition Policy and Strategy		x	x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Daniel Lücke		English
Economics of Innovation		x			x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Economics of Regulation		x			x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Empirical economic research and econometrics			x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Peter Winker		English
Industrial Organization			x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
International Economics			x	x	x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Meckl, Kathrin Stock		English
Virtual Summer School in Economics		x			x	lecture/ block course	Prof. Vesely (UWM), PD Dr. Mandler (JLU), Prof. Dr. Meckl (JLU)	x	English
Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies									
Artificial intelligence and tech autocracy		x	x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Regina Kreide	x	English
Building Bridges on Rising Waters: Climate Change and International Disaster Management		x	x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Helmut Breitmeier et al.	x	English







4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

	Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
	summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies								
Business Ethics and Responsible Entrepreneurship	x		x	x	seminar	Farhad Feizi	x	English
Climate Change & Society in Botswana & South Africa	x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Jörn Ahrens		English
Communication, AI and Cooperation in Educational Science	x		x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	German, English
Democratic Development in Times of Migration and Mobility	x		x	x	block seminar	Zekiye Gürün-Ücem, Dr. Sascha Krannich		English
Exploring Digital Pedagogy: Integrating Technology in Schools		x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Grenzpolitik im europäischen Vergleich		x	x		block seminar	Maraike Vandergrift		German
Introduction to Academic Writing		x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	English
Open Data Fundamentals	x	x		x	seminar	Ievgen Bilyk	x	English
Platforms, Power & Care: Critical Feminist Analyses of Media and Governance	x		x	x	seminar	Marina Iaroslavtseva	x	English
Virtual International Exchange: Advancing Intercultural Learning, Inclusion, Peace, and Justice in Global Educational Context			x	x	seminar	Dr. Annika Brück-Hübner, Dr. Tatiana Joseph		English
Faculty of History and Cultural Studies								
Gold and Silver Metalwork from the Carolingian Period to the Baroque			x	x	seminar	Dr. Antje Bosselmann-Ruickbie		English
Jüdische Erinnerung an jüdisches Leben und Holocaust: Die Yitzkor-Bücher in Polen und Ostmitteleuropa		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Hans-Jürgen Bömelburg; Prof. Dr. Krystyna Radziszewska		German
Politische Theologien			x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Ansgar Kreutzer, Prof. Dr. Bernhard Emunds		German


4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

		Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of History and Cultural Studies									
The Gift in the Middle Ages: The Material Culture of Diplomacy in Times of Peace and War		x		x		seminar	Dr. Antje Bosselmann-Ruickbie		English
Faculty of Language, Literature and Culture									
Aktuelle Fragen der Forschung. Französisch, Spanisch und Komparatistik		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German, French
Ausgewählte Probleme der Linguistik und Sprachdidaktik		x		x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig / Dr. Anna Bratysya, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German
Coach statt Lehrkraft? Wege zum selbständigem Sprachenlernen im Französisch- und Spanischunterricht		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
Dimensiones glotopolíticas de las lenguas y las literaturas			x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Falk Seiler		Castellano
Extractivismo en América Latina desde la Colonia hasta la actualidad: oportunidades y desafíos (except summer semester 2026)		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Verena Dolle, Prof. Laly Peralta, Collaborative Teaching: Universidad del Rosario	x	Spanish
Erzählen in unterschiedlichen Medien - Schreibwerkstatt mit der Autorin Nirina Ralantoaritsimba		x	x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen, Nirina Ralantoaritsimba	x	German/ English
Grammatik, Text und Wandel			x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig (JLU), Dr. Polina Yatsenko, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German
Helden und Heilige in Handschriften: Mittelalterliche deutsche Literatur im mittel-osteuropäischen Kontext			x	x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Cora Dietl, Dr. Elzbieta Kapral (Lodz)	x	German
History of the English Language		x	x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Barbara Gildenring	x	English

4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

		Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Language, Literature and Culture									
Intercultural Communication		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Anna Ladilova (JLU), Prof. Dr. Ulrike Schröder, Collaborative Teaching: Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais	x	English
Introduction to English Linguistics (Group A)		x	x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Barbara Gildenring	x	English
Introduction to Gender and Sexuality, Critical Race Theory and Anti-Racism, to Decolonial Thought, and Disability			x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Great Olson	x	English
Kinder- und Jugendliteratur verstehen und vermitteln: Theorie trifft Praxis			x	x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Juliane Dube, Olha Dobrynychuk		German
Nominalstil			x	x		block seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig/ Dr. Anna Bratysya, Collaborative Teaching: National University Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic		German
Nuevas formas de justicia transicional: crímenes de guerra y justicia restaurativa (except summer semester 2026)		x		x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Verena Dolle, Prof. Laly Peralta, Collaborative Teaching: Universidad del Rosario	x	Spanish
Literarisches Lernen mit aktueller KJL im handlungs- und produktionsorientierten Deutsch		x		x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Juliane Dube, Dr. Olha Dobrynychuk		German
Schreibkompetenz in Deutsch als Zweit- und Fremdsprache			x	x	x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Jana Gamper (JLU), Dr. Ganna Bratysya, Collaborative Teaching: Kamianets-Podilskyi Ivan Ohienko National University (Ukraine)	x	German

4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

		Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Facutly of Language, Literature and Culture									
Stories of War and Conflict: Peace Education in Foreign Language Learning and Teaching		x		x		block seminar	Jennifer Ehrhardt		English
Text- und Medienlinguistik		x			x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Katrin Lehnen, Dr. Tetiana Kalyniuk		German
The importance of Being Similar: Metaphor, analogy, seriality		x	x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Thomas Daiber, Dr. Rostyslav Semkiv		English
The United States in the Twenty-First Century and after Trump		x		x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Great Olson		English
Von der Vielfalt zum Mehrwert: Mehrsprachigkeit als Ressource im Französisch- und Spanischunterricht		x		x		tutorial	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
Faculty of Biology and Chemistry									
Scientific Writing and Data Dissemination		x	x	x	x	lecture/ seminar	Prof. Dr. Peter R. Schreiner		English
Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Nutritional Sciences and Environmental Management									
Applied Statistics			x		x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Matthias Frisch		English
Resource Economics and Sustainable Management		x			x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Michael Hübler		English
Theory and Practice of Economic Development			x		x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Martin Petrick		English
Transdisciplinary Sustainability Research			x		x	lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Jasmin Godemann / Vera Lange		English

4. COURSE CATALOGUE – Overview of recurring courses

	Period		Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
	summer term (April - July)	winter term (Oct - Feb)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Veterinary Medicine								
One Health in Infection Biology	x	x		x	block seminar	Prof. Dr. Sascha Knauf		English
3R Principles and laboratory animal welfare		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stephanie Krämer		English
Faculty of Medicine								
Basic Books - Global Health	x	x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Sascha Krannich		English
Language Courses								
B2.2 Comprensione e produzione orale - B2.2. Listening and Speaking Skills	x		x	x	language course	Grazia C. Caiati	x	Italian
Italiano B2.1	x	x	x	x	language course	Grazia C. Caiati	x	Italian
Language learning in (online) tandem	x	x	x	x	language course	Dr. Johanna Lea Korell	x	open
Key competences								
Grundlagen der mündlichen Kommunikation	x		x	x	lecture	Dr. Ulrike Nespital	x	German
Regionalkompetenz Irland	x		x	x	block seminar	Hannah Klaas	x	German



5. E-MENTORING TEAM & ACCOMPANYING PROGRAMME

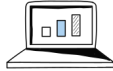
The E-Mentors are JLU students from various faculties who assist international virtual students by providing personal advice on student-related matters via email and video calls, as well as offering technical support.



- **ONLINE ORIENTATION WEEK FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (OWIS):** At the beginning of each semester, JLU hosts a virtual orientation week tailored for international students. Various online sessions offer essential information about the university's structure, along with guidance on the IT tools and administrative systems used at JLU.



- **ONLINE INFORMATIONAL & SOCIAL EVENTS:** Throughout the semester, we organize a range of online meet-ups and social gatherings to address academic inquiries and encourage student connections. Every first and third Monday of the month, Question Monday offers insights into relevant topics related to studying at JLU. Additionally, every Wednesday, we host a relaxed Online Get-Together, providing students with the chance to socialize outside of academic settings. Participants can join discussions, ask questions, engage in online games, or even find a Tandem partner.



6. DIGITAL CAMPUS

All information about the programme, including application deadlines, forms, and course descriptions, can be accessed on the [Digital Campus](#).

DEADLINES: The application deadline for the summer semester (April-July) is at the end of February, and for the winter semester (October-February), end of July/ mid-August.

Please check the website for up to date information.

CONTACT

Julia Wenz
Coordinator Virtual International Programme (VIP)

VIP@admin.uni-giessen.de

Justus Liebig University Giessen
International Office

www.jlu-digitalcampus.de



www.instagram.com/jlu.international

Cover photo: istockphoto/PonyWang Icons p. 2-4, 10: Microsoft; Icon p. 11: Freepik/upklyak; Icon p. 6, 7, 9: JLU

December 2025



JLU

NEUE WEGE. SEIT 1607.

JUSTUS-LIEBIG-
 UNIVERSITÄT
GIESSEN

A STUDENT'S GUIDE TO THE VIP & VEEP GALAXY

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES AT JLU
GIESSEN → www.jlu-digitalcampus.de

**APPLY
NOW** 

VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME (VIP) & VIRTUAL EUROPEAN EXCHANGE PROGRAMME (VEEP) OF JLU GIESSEN



1. ABOUT THE PROGRAMMES

At JLU, our foremost objective is to provide an outstanding virtual learning experience. As a VIP and VEEP student, you will not only benefit from exceptional online education but also:

- Gain Insight into JLU and the German Education System from Anywhere: Dive into the world of JLU and grasp the specifics of the German education system, all from the comfort of your home.
- Customize Your Learning Experience: Enjoy the freedom to select courses that align with your personal interests from our diverse course catalogue, ensuring your academic journey is tailored to your goals.
- Connect with German Students and Professors: Forge valuable connections with both fellow German students and experienced professors, fostering cross-cultural dialogues and enriching your educational experience.
- Online Support: Access robust online support structures specifically designed to cater to the needs of international students at JLU, ensuring a smooth and successful educational journey.

At JLU we are committed to offering you an all-round virtual experience!



2. INSIGHTS AND ADVANTAGES

- VIP and VEEP serve as the ultimate gateway to explore JLU's academic environment from the comfort of home
- Tailored online programme to cater to the unique requirements of international students
- Dynamic and flexible online curriculum, featuring:
 - Diverse Online Courses – covering a wide spectrum of subjects from eight faculties of JLU
 - Multilingual Options – courses available in English, German, Spanish, Italian and various other languages, catering to both undergraduate and graduate students
- International Collaborative Teaching: breaking barriers, elevating academic experiences
- Academic Recognition: VIP and VEEP alumni receive a Transcript of Records, including Credit Points/ECTS
- The programme is completely free of charge for students from our partner universities



3. COURSE PROGRAMME

VIP and VEEP provide a varied catalogue featuring both traditional, ongoing courses and an innovative, semester-changing curriculum. Students and doctoral candidates can select up to five courses.

- **REGULAR COURSES** – Always on offer (ongoing): our regular courses are either available in the summer or winter semesters. High-quality teaching on fundamental topics.
- **COURSE CATALOGUE** – Current Topics & New Perspectives: we offer a semester-changing course programme to give our lecturers and students the opportunity to focus on current academic, political, and economic topics and trends.
- **INTERDISCIPLINARY SEMINARS** – Led by faculty members from diverse disciplines, fostering cultural and academic exchange. Through academic dialogue and interactive learning, students acquire intercultural and digital competencies, along with teamwork skills, enhancing their virtual study experience.





- **INTERNATIONAL VIRTUAL COLLABORATIVE TEACHING** – Seminars offered in collaboration with universities worldwide. Developed and co-taught by JLU lecturers and instructors from partner universities, these seminars see professors and lecturers aligning their research interests, pooling resources, and jointly designing the course curriculum.


4.COURSE CATALOGUE – Summer Semester 2026

Period	Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
Summer Term (April - July)	Bachelor	Master				


Faculty of Law

Comparative European Constitutional Law		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Desigualdades de género y trabajo de cuidado		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Laura Rivera Revelo		Spanish
Introduction to European Energy Law		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Memory Studies: The Contributions from the Latin American Experience		x	x	x	seminar	Tatiana Quintero	x	English
Metodologías críticas y decoloniales para la investigación social		x		x	seminar	Tatiana Quintero, Andrea Neira	x	Spanish
Migration and Human Rights		x	x	x	block seminar	Dr. Juliana González Villamizar		English
Pedagogías de los discursos sociales: memorias, ambiente, desigualdades		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, Dr. des. Andrea Cagua Martínez, MA Lorena Díez		Spanish
Perspectivas críticas de inteligencia artificial: poder, violencias y resistencias		x	x	x	seminar	Lucia Fernanda Mesa Velez	x	Spanish
The Language of Law: A Comparative Study of Polish, German and European Union Legal Systems		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Magdalena Jaś-Nowopolska		English
Umkämpfte Geschichte(n): Interdisziplinäre Analysen zum Geschichtsrevisionismus der extremen Rechten		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Stefan Peters, PD Dr. Patrick Eser, Prof. Dr. Christina Brüning		German





4.COURSE CATALOGUE – Summer Semester 2026

		Period	Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		Summer Term (April - July)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Economics and Business Studies								
Accounting		x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Prof. Dr. Ewelt-Knauer, Prof. Dr. Arnt Wöhrmann		German
Competition Policy and Strategy		x	x		lecture/ tutorial	Daniel Lücke		English
Economics of Innovation		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Economics of Regulation		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Prof. Dr. Georg Götz		English
Virtual Summer School in Economics		x		x	lecture/ block seminar	Prof. Vesely, PhD, PD Dr. Mandler		English
Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies								
Artificial intelligence and tech autocracy		x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Regina Kreide		English
Building Bridges on Rising Waters: Climate Change and International Disaster Management		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Helmut Breitmeier	x	English
Business Ethics and Responsible Entrepreneurship		x	x	x	seminar	Farhad Feizi	x	English
Climate Change & Society in Botswana & South Africa		x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Jörn Ahrens		English
Communication, AI and Cooperation in Educational Science		x	x	x	seminar	Erum Afzal	x	German, English
Democratic Development in Times of Migration and Mobility		x		x	block seminar	Zekiye Gürün-Ücem, Dr. Sascha Krannich	x	English

4.COURSE CATALOGUE – Summer Semester 2026

		Period	Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		Summer Term (April - July)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies								
Open Data Fundamentals		x		x	lecture/tutorial	Ievgen Bilyk	x	English
Platforms, Power & Care: Critical Feminist Analyses of Media and Governance		x	x	x	seminar	Marina Iaroslavtseva	x	English
Virtual International Exchange: Advancing Intercultural Learning, Inclusion, Peace, and Justice in Global Educational Context		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Annika Brück-Hübner, Dr. Tatiana Joseph		English
Faculty of History and Cultural Studies								
Politische Theologien		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Ansgar Kreutzer, Prof. Dr. Bernhard Emunds		German
Gold and Silver Metalwork from the Carolingian Period to the Baroque		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Antje Bosselmann-Ruickbie		English
Faculty of Language, Literature, Culture								
Aktuelle Fragen der Forschung, Französisch, Spanisch und Komparaistik		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German
Ausgewählte Probleme der Linguistik und Sprachdidaktik		x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Mathilde Hennig, Dr. Anna Bratysya, Dr. Polina Yatsenko		German
Coach statt Lehrkraft? Wege zum selbstständigen Sprachenlernen im Französisch- und Spanischunterricht		x			seminar	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
Erzählen in unterschiedlichen Medien - Schreibwerkstatt mit der Autorin Nirina Ralantoaritsimba		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German

4.COURSE CATALOGUE – Summer Semester 2026

		Period	Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		Summer Term (April - July)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Language, Literature, Culture								
Erzählen in unterschiedlichen Medien - Schreibwerkstatt mit der Autorin Nirina Ralantoaritsimba		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Kirsten von Hagen		German
History of the English Language		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Barbara Ann Güldenring	x	English
Introduction to English Linguistics		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Barbara Ann Güldenring	x	English
Literarisches Lernen mit aktueller KJL im handlungs- und produktionsorientierten Deutsch		x	x		seminar	Prof. Dr. Juliane Dube, Dr. Olha Dobrynchuk		German
Stories of War and Conflict: Peace Education in Foreign Language Learning and Teaching		x	x		block seminar	Jennifer Ehrhardt		English
Text- und Medienlinguistik		x		x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Katrin Lehnen, Dr. Tetiana Kalyniuk		German
The importance of Being Similar: Metaphor, analogy, seriality			x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Thomas Daiber, Dr. Rostyslav Semkiv	
The United States in the Twenty-First Century and after Trump		x	x	x	lecture	Prof. Dr. Greta Olson		English
Von der Vielfalt zum Mehrwert: Mehrsprachigkeit als Ressource im Französisch- und Spanischunterricht		x	x		tutorial	Prof. Dr. Hélène Martinez		German
Faculty of Biology and Chemistry								
Scientific Writing and Data Dissemination		x	x	x	seminar	Prof. Dr. Peter Schreiner		English

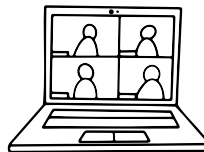
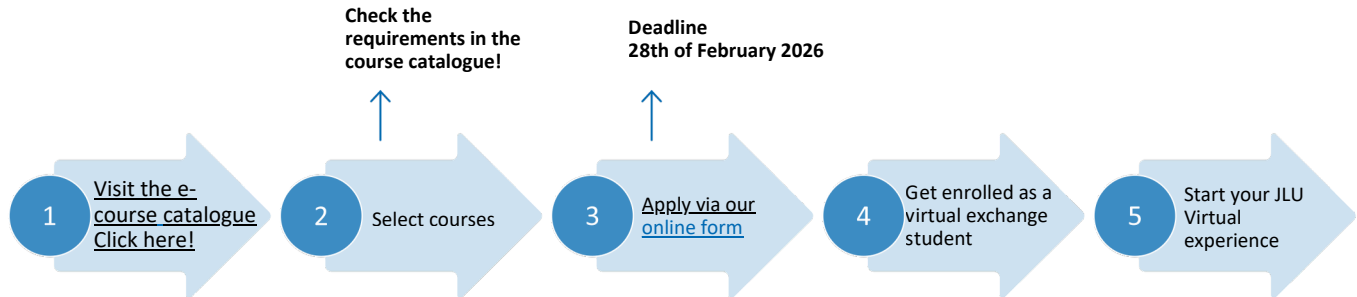
4.COURSE CATALOGUE – Summer Semester 2026

		Period	Study Cycle		Course Type	Lecturer	Interdisciplinary	Language of Instruction
		Summer Term (April - July)	Bachelor	Master				
Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Nutritional Sciences and Environmental Management								
Resource Economics and Sustainable Management		x		x	lecture	Dr. Michael Hübler		English
Faculty of Medicine								
Basic Books - Global Health		x	x	x	seminar	Dr. Sascha Krannich		English
Language Courses								
Italiano B2.1		x	x	x	language course	Grazia Caiati	x	Italian
B2.2 Comprensione e produzione orale		x	x	x	language course	Grazia Caiati	x	Italian
Key competences								
Grundlagen der mündlichen Kommunikation		x	x	x	lecture	Dr. Ulrike Nespital	x	German
Regionalkompetenz Irland		x	x	x	block seminar	Hannah Klaas	x	German



5. APPLICATION PROCESS AND DEADLINES

The application process is conducted online, and the application form is accessible from now until the 28th of February, 2026. Detailed course descriptions, along with additional information regarding the application process and requirements, can be found on the [Digital Campus](#).



Question Time for Applicants


Thursday, 5th of February 2026 at 2 p.m (CET)

<https://webconf.hrz.uni-giessen.de/b/jul-niw-ihg-uuo>



6. ONLINE ORIENTATION WEEK FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (OWIS)

The online OWIS occurs every semester in the week prior to the start of lectures and provides various sessions to assist in preparing for the semester. These include an introduction to the electronic system landscape at JLU, tips on how to use it, access to the library system as well as interactive Question & Answer sessions. Additionally, the OWIS is an excellent opportunity to socialize. For instance, attending the online Welcome Session at the beginning of the week allows you to meet the VIP and VEEP team at JLU, and the Ultimate Get-together provides a chance to network with your peers. Be sure to mark your calendar for OWIS!



Summer Semester: 1th to 10th April 2026



7. ACCOMPANYING PROGRAMME

- The International Office organises the Ultimate Get-together, weekly student-to-student online meetings, and a twice-monthly Question Monday. The programme is published monthly and invites you to get to know each other and network. You'll have the opportunity to meet JLU students and other international students in an informal setting at the Online Language Café or at the Quiz Night. Our Student Assistants are always keen to hear from enthusiastic students, so you are very welcome to contribute your own ideas to the programme planning during the semester!



- Throughout the application process and the semester, we provide online consultations. In Stud.IP (Teaching and Learning Platform), we establish a Group that provides the option to chat using Blubber, enabling virtual exchange students to connect with each other regardless of their chosen courses.



- Weekly Newsletter featuring information about studying at JLU, important online events and quirky anecdotes about cultural peculiarities of Hessians and Germans.

So gear up, future Virtual Exchange Students! Let's shoot for the stars, break through boundaries, and make history together. 🚀☀️ See you in the Virtual Exchange Galaxy!

CONTACT

Coordinator Virtual International Programme (VIP)

Julia Wenz

VIP@admin.uni-giessen.de

0049 641 99 12166

Justus Liebig University Giessen

International Office



www.instagram.com/jlu.international

www.jlu-digitalcampus.de

Cover photo: istockphoto/antoniokhr

Icons p. 2-4, 11-13: Microsoft; Icon p. 6, 7, 9: JLU