

# APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO HEINRICH HEINE UNIVERSITY AS A FOREIGN STUDENT

Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf  
 Registrar's and Examinations Office  
 Universitätsstraße 1  
 40225 Düsseldorf

starting  wintersemester 20\_\_ / \_\_ summer semester 20\_\_

Family name(s)

First name(s)

c/o (if applicable)

Street name / house no. / room number (if applicable)

Postcode/ place

Country

E-mail  Telephone

For office use only

Grade  ,

Gender: female  male   
 diverse  n/a

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Name at Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth (city): \_\_\_\_\_

1st Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make sure to fully complete the address field in capitals. Should a possible notification of admission be sent back to us as undeliverable, you will lose your entitlement.**

## Details of Intended Study Programme

Intended Degree:

Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate	State Examination
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Major Subject			
Minor Subject			
Alternative (without admission restriction)		Degree	

### **Change of the application process from the summer semester 2021 onwards!**

**Citizens of non-EU countries** (except applicants for Master's or Doctoral studies) have to submit the following documents: Application, approved and certified copy of a language certificate (e.g. DSH-2) and a **preliminary review documentation** (Vorprüfungsdokumentation, **VPD**) as an uncertified copy issued by uni-assist ([www.uni-assist.de](http://www.uni-assist.de)). You no longer have to submit certificates of your home educational institutions when you apply at the HHU.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The VPD must be issued specifically for the application at HHU Düsseldorf. A uni-assist review report is not sufficient. If you have passed an entrance assessment test (Feststellungsprüfung), you must submit the certificate to uni-assist so it can be considered in the VPD.

**EU citizens are not affected by this regulation.** As before, the application needs to be submitted with an approved and certified copy of a language certificate and your local educational certificates (in original version and German/English or French translation). All copies need to be officially certified.

Applications for the first semester (Medicine, Dentistry or Pharmacy) will be treated with a lower priority if the applicant has already completed one semester of same study programme at another German higher education institution.

Applications for the first semester in Medicine are not possible if at the time of the application the preliminary medical examination (Physikum) has already been taken or if you've already been given credit for the intermediate examination in Medicine (Erster Abschnitt der Ärztlichen Prüfung). In these cases you can only apply for the clinical stage (of studies).

School Career	from - to	Place	Qualification

Precise original title of school-leaving qualification:  
e.g. Baccaauréat, Lise diplomasi, Maturität

School-leaving qualification	Date:		Country:	
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Did you take a university entrance examination in the country you went to school? Yes No

If so, please state when and where:

**Previous Academic Studies**

Country	City	Name of the University/College	Subject	from - to

Have you already completed a study programme in Germany or elsewhere? Yes No  
(bachelor, diploma, licence, etc.)  
If so, please fill out the line below.

Country	Name of Univeristy/College	Subject	Qualification

Are you presently enroled at a university/college in Germany? Yes No

If so, please fill out the line below.

Name of Univeristy/ College	Subject	Which Semester?	Intended Degree

Have you applied to study at Heinrich Heine University before? Yes No

Starting winter semester 20\_\_/\_/ summer semester 20\_\_ Study programme: \_\_\_\_\_

If so, please submit proof.

**Home Address:**

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## Language Skills

When applying to study at Heinrich Heine University, one of the following certificates must be enclosed (please mark the relevant box):

- DSH (ungraded for older certificates)                      DSH-2     DSH-3     (DSH-1 is **not** sufficient)
- TestDaF (= Test of German as a Foreign Language, only sufficient when at least grade 4 has been achieved in all four individual parts)
- Kleines oder Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom/Zentrale Oberstufenprüfung (Goethe Institut)*
- Goethe-Zertifikat C2: Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom (Goethe Institut)*
- Deutsches Sprachdiplom (= German language diploma), level 2*
- Zertifikat telc Deutsch C1 Hochschule*
- Proof of German language skills certified via *Feststellungsprüfung* (= university entrance assessment test)

Prospective students of English master's programmes and doctoral candidates, who wish to do their doctorate in English, please contact the respective dean's office for information regarding their language proficiency.

## Studienkolleg

Have you ever taken a university entrance assessment test (Feststellungsprüfung) at a Studienkolleg (= college) in Germany?                      Yes                      No

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### Please note:

- Only fully completed and signed application forms which include all necessary documents and which will be submitted within the application deadline can be considered in the application process.
- Any documents received at a later point cannot be matched to the applications we've already received and therefore cannot be considered in the application process.
- The proof of German language proficiency and the certificates from the educational institutions in your home country (including a list of your subjects and grades) must be submitted as officially certified copies. These certificates must be submitted in the original language version plus in a German, English or French version translated by a certified translator).
- To be admitted to a master's programme you must hold at least an undergraduate degree. Prior to applying for a place in a master's degree study programme you must contact the responsible department which will then check whether you fulfil the necessary qualifications (proof of aptitude - Feststellung der besonderen Eignung). Please check the homepage of the appropriate faculty to find out more about this process and application deadlines.
- To be admitted to a PhD programme, you need approval of the dean's office and confirmation of supervision by the doctoral supervisor.
- A photo is not mandatory.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief all the information given here is true and complete. All necessary documents and certificates are enclosed. I am aware that misleading or intentionally false information is a misdemeanour and may result in my being refused admission or – if only discovered later – in my admission or enrolment being withdrawn.

I declare that I am familiar with the admission information.

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Place

Date

Signature

# Overview of study programmes at Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf (as of: March 2021)

## Bachelor's Programmes with major and minor subject:

### Major subjects:

(Please choose one core and one complementary subject – standard period of study: 6 semesters)

English and American Studies (begin WS)  
 German Languages and Literatures (begin WS)  
 Historical Studies (begin WS)  
 Jewish Studies (begin WS)  
 Art History (local NC, begin WS)  
 Japanese Studies (local NC, begin WS)  
 Philosophy (local NC, begin WS)  
 Romance Languages and Literatures (begin WS)

### Bachelor's:

(Please just choose one subject – standard period of study: 6 semesters)

Biochemistry (local NC, begin WS)  
 Biology (local NC, begin WS)  
 Business Administration (local NC, begin WS)  
 Business Chemistry (local NC, begin WS)  
 Chemistry  
 Computer Linguistics (begin WS)  
 Computer Science  
 Financial and Actuarial Mathematics (local NC, begin WS)  
 Linguistics (begin WS)  
 Mathematics and Applied Fields  
 Medical Physics (local NC, begin WS)  
 Media and Culture Studies (local NC, begin WS)  
 Natural Sciences (local NC, begin WS)  
 Physics  
 Political Economy (local NC)  
 PPE - Philosophy, Politics and Economics (local NC, begin WS)  
 Psychology (local NC, begin WS)  
 Quantitative Biology (local NC, begin WS)  
 Social Sciences – Media, Politics, Society (local NC, begin WS)  
 Transculturality – Media, Languages & Texts in a Globalised World (local NC, begin WS)\*

### Minor subjects:

English and American Studies (begin WS)  
 Ancient Culture (begin WS)  
 German Languages and Literatures (begin WS)  
 Historical Studies (begin WS)  
 Yiddish Culture, Language und Literature (begin WS)  
 Jewish Studies (begin WS)  
 Communication and Media Studies (local NC, begin WS)  
 Art History (local NC, begin WS)  
 Linguistics (begin WS)  
 Japanese Studies (local NC, begin WS)  
 Musicology (begin WS)  
 Philosophy (local NC, begin WS)  
 Political Science (local NC, begin WS)  
 Romance Languages and Literatures (begin WS)  
 Sociology (local NC, begin WS)

## Master's Programmes (for all subjects proof of aptitude / Nachweis der besonderen Eignung is essential)

Art History Artificial Intelligence and Data Science (begin WS) Art Mediation and Cultural Management (begin WS) Business Administration (begin WS) Biochemistry Biochemistry International Biology Biology - Variation MBIO1 Business Chemistry Chemistry Comparative Studies in English and American Language and Culture (begin WS) Computer Science Culture and Social Science Research on Japan Economics German Languages and Literatures German Languages, Literature and Historical Studies Historical Studies Industrial Pharmacy (local NC, begin WS) Italian and German: Language, Media, Translation Jewish Studies Japanese Studies Linguistics Literary Translation (begin WS)	Mathematics Media Culture Analysis/Analyse des Pratiques Culturelles (begin WS) Medical Physics Molecular Biomedicine (local NC begin WS) Philosophy Physics Political Communication (begin WS) Political Economy Psychology (local NC; begin WS) Romance Studies: Cultural Contacts and Communication Social Sciences – Social Structures & Democratic Governance (begin WS) Toxicology (begin WS) Translational Neuroscience (local NC begin WS) Yiddish Culture, Language and Literature (begin WS)
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### State Examination (please choose just one subject)

Medicine (standard period of study: 12.5 semesters, NC, begin WS)  
 Pharmacy (standard period of study: 8 semesters, NC)  
 Law (standard period of study: 10 semesters, local NC, begin WS)  
 Dentistry (standard period of study: 10 semesters, NC, begin WS)

begin WS	First-year students can only begin their studies in a winter semester
NC	Numerus clausus i.e. there are general admission restrictions
local NC	Admission restrictions imposed by Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf
*	Subject to accreditation
Address for all institutes/departments	Heinrich Heine University Düsseldorf, Universitätsstraße 1, 40225 Düsseldorf