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## Facts

<b>Faculty</b>	Faculty of Philosophy
<b>Degree</b>	Master of Arts [M.A.]
<b>Regular Study Period</b>	4 semesters
<b>Start of Program</b>	every semester
<b>Admission Requirement</b>	Final grade of 2.5 or better the BA program "Linguistik of integrativ"; or an assessment of aptitude
<b>Enrollment</b>	<a href="https://www.digstu.hhu.de">https://www.digstu.hhu.de</a>
<b>Start winter term</b>	1st of October
<b>Start summer term</b>	1st of April Please enroll at least one month beforehand, international students should enroll even earlier.

### Info Video

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### Master's Programs

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## Study progress

Semester	Modules			
1	Core Areas (14 CP)	Single Language (12 CP)	Methods Courses (12 CP)	<b>Area of Specialization 1</b> Master Seminars Advanced Courses (18 CP)
2				
3	Advanced Module Exploration (10 CP)		Team Project Course and Tutorial Project Seminar (14 CP)	<b>Area of Specialization 2</b> Research Seminars Colloquium (18 CP)
4	Master Thesis (22 CP)			
<b>Total 120 CP</b>				

### Master's Program in Linguistics

The program is research-oriented and furthers methodical and theoretical knowledge that has been acquired in the Bachelor's Program. It ties in with recent research and creates the necessary impetus for independent scientific work.

Apart from an expansion of the students' general knowledge of linguistics, students will acquire detailed skills in a specific branch of linguistics and knowledge of a single, specific language. In the Tutorial Team Project, students will acquire didactic skills suited for higher education. They will also be trained in high-level team work.

#### The program has five components:

- Professionalization in general linguistics
- Creation of an area of specialization in general linguistics
- Currently Morphology/Syntax/Typology, Semantics/Pragmatics, Computational Linguistics, Phonetics/Phonology, Neuro-/Psycholinguistics
- Improvement of language experience and in-depth study of a foreign language (e.g. English, French, Italian, Spanish, Japanese, or German as a foreign language)  
OR
- Acquiring of a new, non-Indo-European foreign language + the structure of a non-Indo-European foreign language
- A didactic practical course in terms of a tutorial to a Bachelor's course (teamwork)

### Requirements

A Bachelor's degree in Linguistics or a similar program with the final grade 2.5 or better is required. Excellent English skills are absolutely necessary. The study can be started in the summer semester or winter semester.

#### Must be included in the application:

- Résumé
- Bachelor's diploma
- Transcript of Records  
(overview of grades and courses)
- Verification of English skills
- Statement of purpose  
(outline of research interest, 1 page)
- Other relevant documents concerning your academic career (e.g. publications)

### Job Opportunities

Knowledge about the complexity of human languages – linguistics – is useful in many careers. These include the fields of electronic information processing, training of speech therapists, foreign language teaching, occupations in media and journalism, development of textbooks and assistance in text production.

The additional qualification of the respective core areas add to the occupational outlook.

However, neither the Bachelor's, nor the Master's Program qualify for a job as a speech therapist or clinic linguist.