

STUDY AND RESEARCH AT FREIE UNIVERSITÄT BERLIN

Universidade Federal do ABC

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NUMBERS IN A NUTSHELL

Approx.
33,000
students

20%
international

Approx.
4,000
doctoral
students

38%
international

485
professors

Approx.
4,450
members
of staff

From around
150
countries in
the world

DEPARTMENTS, CENTRAL INSTITUTES, AND CENTRAL FACILITIES

Law, Economics and Social Sciences

Law

School of Business
and Economics

Education and
Psychology

Political and Social
Sciences

Humanities and Cultural Studies

History and
Cultural Studies

Philosophy and
Humanities

Natural Sciences

Mathematics and
Computer Science

Physics

Biology, Chemistry
and Pharmacy

Earth Sciences

Veterinary Medicine, Medicine

Veterinary Medicine


Charité-
Universitätsmedizin

Central Institutes

John F. Kennedy
Institute for North
American Studies

Institute for East
European Studies

Institute for Latin
American Studies

Dahlem School of
Education

Central Facilities

Computing Services

Academic Advice and
Psychological
Counselling

Botanic Garden and
Botanical Museum

University Sports
Center

Language Center

Margherita von
Brentano Center for
Gender Studies

- about **180 programs** in a wide variety of subjects
- students with a foreign university entrance qualification apply via **www.uni-assist.de**
- **no tuition fees** (except for some graduate or postgraduate programs); rather “Semestergebühren und -beiträge” (fees and contributions), currently: **312,89€**
- **German language skills** for most degree programs: DSH 2 / Telc C 1-Hochschule / C 2-Zertifikat des Goethe-Instituts / Deutsches Sprachdiplom der Kultusministerkonferenz – Zweite Stufe (DSD II) / Feststellungsprüfung des Studienkollegs (Assessment Exam of the Studienkolleg) / TestDaF with at least level 4 in all four parts
- **Living costs:** around 1.000 Euro/month (rental fees, grocery, leisure time etc.)
- Degree program students with a residence permit for study purposes are allowed to **work for a max. of 90 days** (or 180 half days) per year



- Biochemistry
- Bioinformatics
- Chemistry
- China-Europe Executive Master of Business Marketing
- Computational Sciences
- Data Science
- English Studies: Literature, Language, Culture
- European and International Business, Competition and Regulatory Law
- Global History
- International Health
- Iranian Studies
- Mathematics
- Medical Neurosciences
- Molecular Medicine
- North American Studies
- Pharmaceutical Research
- Physics
- Planetary Sciences and Space Exploration
- Polymer Science
- Sociology - European Societies
- Visual and Media Anthropology



Access QR code for further information

DOCTORAL RESEARCH

4,000
doctoral
candidates

38%
international

22%
in structured
programs

26
DRS programs
for comprehensive &
structured doctoral
training

DAHLEM RESEARCH SCHOOL

- Overarching center for junior researchers at Freie Universität Berlin
- Targeted support, comprehensive training and education, professional development
- Quality and integrity assurance for graduate programs



TRANSFERABLE SKILLS WORKSHOPS@DRS



Research Integrity & Skills



Writing & Publishing



Speaking & Presenting



Funding, Managing & Completing Research



Career Orientation & Development



Title - click for details and booking	Category
Gute wissenschaftliche Praxis: Sensibilisierung hinsichtlich ethischer Fragen - ONLINE	Research Integrity & Skills
Practices of Open Research for PhD students - online	Research Integrity & Skills
Auftrittskompetenz - online	Speaking & Presenting
Writing Successful Job Applications - In Person	Career Orientation & Development
Research Integrity: Effizienter und (plagiats)sicherer Umgang mit Fachliteratur (literatur- und textbasierte Forschung) - online	Research Integrity & Skills
Disputation Training - online	Funding, Managing & Completing Research
More visibility for your research: Open Access for PhD students - online	Research Integrity & Skills
NEW - Academic Writing in English - Online	Writing & Publishing
Understanding Visual Communication - online	Speaking & Presenting
Selfmanagement for Early Career Researchers - online	Funding, Managing & Completing Research

OPTIONS⁴: THE BERLIN UNIVERSITY ALLIANCE



Kick Off Your Doctorate

Writing Week

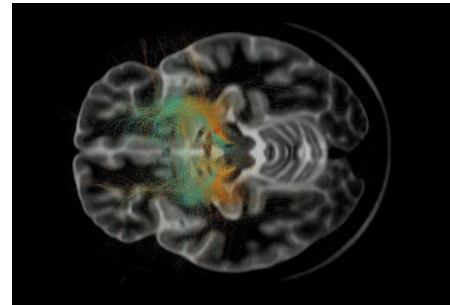
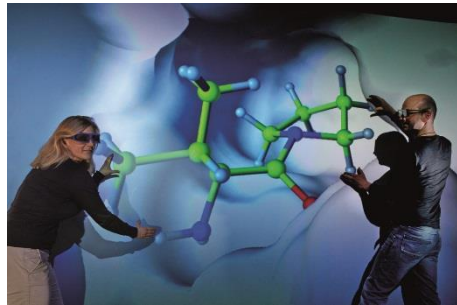
**Research Integrity
(In)credible Research**

Career Day

Mental Health



CLUSTERS OF EXCELLENCE



MATH+

Developing new approaches in application-oriented mathematics.

Temporal Communities

Rethinking Literature in a Global Perspective.

NeuroCure

(at Charité)
Investigating neurological and psychiatric disorders.

SCRIPTS

Contestations of the liberal script.

- Interdisciplinary and/or interinstitutional research groups
- Funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Science
 - They offer PhD and Postdoctoral Opportunities



Reason 1: Green campus in a vibrant city

- Clean and calm environment
- Trees and lawns to relax outside
- Institutes, libraries, dining halls in walking distance
- Safe district thanks to dormitory area



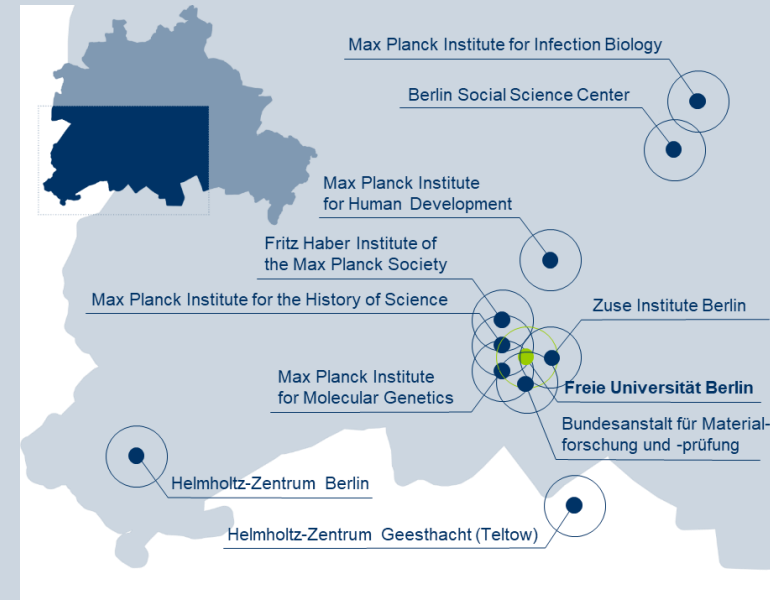
Reason 2: Truly international with global outreach

- 38% international PhD students
- #1 place to go for Alexander von Humboldt scholars
- Colleagues from 150 countries
- Doctoral studies in two languages: German or English (sometimes even in Portuguese and Spanish!)
- 5 liaison offices around the world: São Paulo, Cairo, New Delhi, Beijing, Tbilisi



Reason 3: Dahlem - scientific excellence in walking distance

- 3 Max Planck institutes on campus
- 4 universities and many other higher education institutions
- More than 70 research institutions
- Freie Universität – University of Excellence since 2007
- Third party funding over 120 mill/year
- One of the best non-technical universities for entrepreneurs



OPEN POSITIONS AT FU BERLIN

They are periodically updated – some are in English, most are in German.

German: <https://www.fu-berlin.de/universitaet/beruf-karriere/jobs/wiss/index.html>

English: <https://www.fu-berlin.de/universitaet/beruf-karriere/jobs/english/index.html>

Dahlem Research School list of open calls: https://www.fu-berlin.de/sites/drs/news/current_cfas.html

Check the FU Berlin São Paulo Office's website for regular updates regarding calls and events: <https://www.fu-berlin.de/en/sites/brazil/index.html>

EVEN MORE LINKS

- Studienkolleg: www.fu-berlin.de/en/sites/studienkolleg
- FUBiS – International Summer and Winter University: www.fubis.org
- Undergraduate Degree Programs:
www.fu-berlin.de/en/studium/studienangebot/grundstaendige
- Master's Programs: www.fu-berlin.de/en/studium/studienangebot/master
- Information on Study Programs via Chat (Mo & Tue, 12pm-1pm [CEST]):
<https://www.fu-berlin.de/en/sites/studienberatung/info-service/Chat>
- International Newsletter of Freie Universität Berlin:
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