

IBH Summer School

»DO IT. Don't even ask questions – just do it!

Without a doubt, enrolling in the summer school course of IBH was the best decision I have ever made, and it was the best month of my life; hands down. It was fun, it was educational, and it was a life experience everyone should have, and learn from (...). If you want to learn German, this is the way to do it. I learned more in one month than I have in two years of studying the language.«

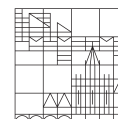
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International University of Lake Constance

The International University of Lake Constance is a network of 30 universities and colleges located in Austria, Germany, the Principality of Liechtenstein and Switzerland. Cooperating across borders, this network offers new study courses, supports research and development also in cooperation with regional companies and enhances the cooperation between university services. The International University of Lake Constance is financed by the Interreg-Program of the European Commission (EFRE), the Swiss Confederation and the countries and cantons of the International Lake Constance Conference.

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IBH SUMMER SCHOOL

Enjoy intensive German language training on the shore of one of Europe's greatest lakes



IBH Summer School Learn German, Experience Europe

Learning German can be more than studying grammar and memorising vocabulary. It can also mean discovering the culture of German-speaking countries, spending the summer in the tri-border region of Germany's biggest lake in the heart of Europe, making international friends and gaining ECTS credits for it!

The Summer School of the International University of Lake Constance (IBH) consists of a 3 1/2-week intensive German language course accompanied by an attractive cultural program ... great fun included!

The IBH Summer School is hosted by the University of Konstanz, known for being a modern, small and highly awarded university.

Date: August 2 – August 27, 2016

Tuition fee: 380,- €, including the language course and the complementary program, but not the costs for room and board.

Accommodation: A single room in a shared flat can be booked for 360,- €, in the University of Konstanz residence halls.

Application deadline: May 17, 2016. As the number of participants is limited, we recommend an early registration at the International Office of your IBH host university. Preliminary program and application form can be downloaded here:

www.international.uni-konstanz.de/?id=ibh

Intensive Language Course (A1 – C1.2)

We offer a program of high quality German language courses in small study groups at different levels. Trained and experienced lecturers will teach you in morning classes, supplemented by additional seminars, excursions and lectures in the afternoon, which will give you the chance to practice your German actively.

- »Grundstufe« (Basic Level) A 1.1 – A 2.2
- »Mittelstufe« (Intermediate Level) B 1.1 – B 2.2
- »Oberstufe« (Advanced Level) C 1.1 – C 1.2

At the beginning of the course we will determine your class level in a written and oral test.

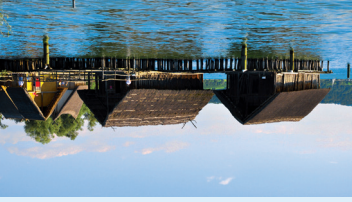
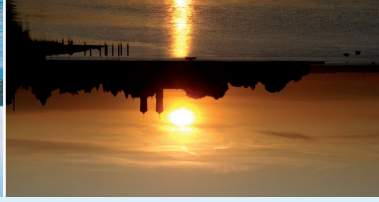
Content: Listening comprehension, oral skills, writing and reading of texts are combined with grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation exercises. In the intermediate and advanced levels, geographical and cultural topics and study-specific skills (e.g. notation exercises, presentation techniques) will be taught.

Class size: Small student groups with max. 15 participants per class.

Tuition hours: 76 hours language classes, 4 lectures (8 teaching hours).

Credits: Graded or non-graded certificates of participation with 6 ECTS credits.

Please note: Regular attendance of the class and of the whole program, daily homework (one hour per day) as well as a final exam are essential for a graded certificate.



Discover the German-speaking Countries of Europe

There's more to a summer on Lake Constance than studying!
Included in the tuition fee is a complementary program of social activities: guided tours, excursions and gatherings in the Lake Constance and Rhine River region of Germany, Austria, Switzerland and the Principality of Liechtenstein.

You will also learn a lot about your host country in lectures on history, art, culture and politics, and will have plenty of leisure time for sports and activities. You'll be surprised how quickly time flew by.

For more information on the IBH Summer School 2016, please contact your host university of the International University of Lake Constance or send us an email to:

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