

Fact Sheet for Prospective Incoming Exchange Students



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**TUM School of Engineering and Design - Civil and Environmental Engineering /
Geo Engineering (TUM ED-C EE/GE)**

www.ed.tum.de

Academic Information

Semester dates

- Winter Semester:
1 October to 31 March
- Summer Semester:
1 April to 30 September

Academic calendar:

<https://www.tum.de/en/studies/application/application-info-portal/dates-periods-and-deadlines>

Exam dates

Exams in the subject areas Civil and Environmental Engineering and Geo Engineering (CEE/GE) take place between

- Mid-January and Mid-March (winter term)
- Mid-July and Mid-September (summer term)

Exam dates may differ in other subject areas and schools.

Earlier or extra exam dates for exchange students cannot be arranged.

Degree Courses

Bachelor programs

All Bachelor programs are taught in German (3 years of studies):

- Civil Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Geosciences

<https://collab.dvb.bayern/x/29VfB>

Master programs

(2 years of studies):

- Civil Engineering*
- Computational Mechanics**
- Engineering and Hydrogeology***
- Environmental Engineering**
- Information Technologies for the Built Environment**
- Resource-efficient and Sustainable Building*
- Transportation Systems**

* Partly in German

** Completely in English

*** Completely in German

<https://collab.dvb.bayern/x/4dVfB>

Module catalogue

Courses and Modules:

<https://campus.tum.de/tumonline/webnav.ini>

You can search for modules either by the application “Degree Programs” or “Module Catalog”

- App “Degree Programs”: Select “Bachelor” or “Master” and choose then one of the degree programs of the subject areas “Civil and Environmental Engineering” or “Geo Engineering” (see list above).
- App “Module Catalog”: Select organization “Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering”. If you choose another Department of the TUM School of Engineering and Design, then select mainly modules starting with “BV” or “BGU”.

- In the module description you will find detailed information on the module (such as content description, ECTS, occurrence, language of instruction).

Manual for module search

Detailed information on the module selection and a step-by-step instruction on how to find courses and modules in TUMonline can be found here:

<https://collab.dvb.bayern/x/FKBKB>

Module selection

- Semester workload: 20-24 ECTS recommended (workload per semester for regular TUM Students: 30 ECTS)
- Advanced Bachelor students (from 3rd year onwards) are free to enroll in Master-level modules taught in English if prerequisites are fulfilled
- Exchange students must choose at least 60% of their modules from the subject areas “Civil and Environmental Engineering” and “Geo Engineering” (module number starts in most cases with “BGU” or “BV”)
- Attending modules in other subject areas and schools is possible (not more than 40% of chosen modules) if timetables are matching and prerequisites are fulfilled

German Language Courses

TUM Language Center offers German as a foreign language courses at all levels for free during the semester but also as block courses during the semester break:

<https://www.sprachenzentrum.tum.de/en/sprachenzentrum/languages/german/>

Orientation and Buddy program

Orientierungswochen

International Campus Life provides an orientation program designed to help students find their way in Munich. The program takes place the first two weeks of October (winter term) and the first two weeks of April (summer term):

<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/campuslife/>

BGUmentoring

Buddy program



BGUmentoring program provides support and activities for visiting exchange students by students from subject areas Civil and Environmental Engineering and Geo Engineering. In addition, exchange students and mentors can participate together in several organised events:

<https://wiki.tum.de/x/c/YHQN>



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Application

Application Period

- March 15 – May 15 (for winter term or for entire year at TUM)
- September 15 – October 31 (for summer term)

Application Procedure

- Application for Erasmus+ and SEMP:
<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/exchangestudents/study-at-tum-with-erasmus-or-semp/>
- Application for TUMexchange:
<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/comingtotum/tumexchange/>

Useful Information

Prepare your stay abroad

Information about our campus, accommodation in Munich, services and contacts and to-do's for your stay at TUM can be found here:

<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/exchangestudents/general-information-for-international-students/>

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<https://collab.dvb.bayern/x/FKBKB>

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Study stays:

<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/exchangestudents/>

Research stays for students:

<https://www.international.tum.de/en/global/comingtotum/research-stays-for-students/>