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our international community  
and combine academics  
with intercultural  
experiences

**WINTER SCHOOL**  
ONE WEEK. ONE PLACE.  
ONE HUNDRED NATIONALITIES.

# WINTER SCHOOL

The Winter School at Jacobs University is an annual academic program that takes place during the January intersession and invites students from around the world to join the international Jacobs community on its beautiful residential campus. Social sciences and humanities courses, which range from politics and arts to methodology, are taught by international faculty from Jacobs University and its partner institutions.

## **Previous courses included:**

- German Politics and Culture
- Human Trafficking: An International Perspective
- Intercultural Competence (in cooperation with Inter Cultur gGmbH, a subsidiary of American Field Study Germany, [www.intercultur.de](http://www.intercultur.de))

Students can earn up to 5 ECTS credits (European Credit Transfer System) at both undergraduate and graduate level. An official transcript is provided at the end of the program so that credits can be transferred to the home institutions.

## REGISTRATION

The Winter School is open to applicants currently enrolled as undergraduate and graduate students, as well as exceptionally qualified secondary school graduates. Research associates are also welcome to attend the methods courses.

Students who wish to take part in Jacobs University's Winter School must hand in their application by October 31 for the following January.

**Details on the course program, including a full course list and details on syllabi and instructors, how to register and the application form are available on the Winter School website:**

— [www.jacobs-university.de/winterschool](http://www.jacobs-university.de/winterschool)



## ACCOMMODATION

The Winter School program offers room & full board to participants.

### Services include:

- Residential colleges with modern single rooms
- Fully equipped recreation, common and multimedia rooms
- In-college cafeteria with full board
- University campus with 24-hour security

## FEES

**Fees range between € 750 and € 1,100. Discounts are available for students from partner universities.**

For a complete listing of program fees as well as accommodation prices please see the Winter School website:

■ [www.jacobs-university.de/winterschool](http://www.jacobs-university.de/winterschool)

## ABOUT BREMEN

Jacobs University is based in the north of Bremen – a city with a maritime atmosphere and 1,200 years of history. About half a million people live in Bremen, and it is easy to get around the city, which has a high quality of living. The historical market square is famous for Bremen's mascots, the Town Musicians from the Brothers Grimm fairy tale, and is a UNESCO World Heritage site. More than

30,000 students live and study in Bremen and nearby Bremerhaven which together form the Bundesland (state) Bremen. There are many restaurants, pubs, clubs, museums, theaters, and other venues to explore in the city. Bremen is home to the Freimarkt, Germany's oldest funfair, and the traditional Christmas market is a popular destination not just for locals. The Schlachte area along the Weser River and the Viertel quarter are known for their vibrant nightlife. Bremen boasts a great cultural life with theater, concerts, festivals, or flea markets.





## ABOUT JACOBS UNIVERSITY

Jacobs University, a private university located in Bremen, is one of the most international universities in Germany, characterized by a truly intercultural community. The university, founded in 2001, attracts highly talented and open-minded students from all over the world; more than 1,300 students from over 100 nations currently live and study on our residential campus. Jacobs University is a research-oriented, state-accredited university with a broad portfolio of undergraduate and graduate study programs from the natural and social sciences to engineering and economics. All programs are taught in English.

Research and education at Jacobs University are structured in three distinct focus areas:

- MOBILITY – OF PEOPLE, GOODS AND INFORMATION**
- HEALTH – FOCUS ON BIOACTIVE SUBSTANCES**
- DIVERSITY – IN MODERN SOCIETIES**

At Jacobs University, class sizes are small; professors act as individual personal mentors and academic advisors to students. Students are actively involved in research from their first year of study. In research and teaching, our faculty members follow a trans-disciplinary approach, addressing issues from multiple perspectives. In Germany's most comprehensive and detailed university ranking by the Center for Higher Education (CHE), Jacobs University has consistently achieved top marks since first participating in 2005.

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