

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service

# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

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## Bachelor's degree

C>ONSTRUCTOR UNIVERSITY BSc in Biochemistry and Cell Biology

**Constructor University • Bremen** 

#### Overview

Degree	Bachelor of Science
Teaching language	• English
Languages	Language of instruction: English
	Language courses are available in German, French, Spanish, and Mandarin Chinese.
Programme duration	6 semesters
Beginning	Winter semester
Application deadline	To be considered for admission to an undergraduate programme, you need to apply by the following deadlines:
	<ul> <li>Early decision: application due by 1 November</li> <li>Early action I: application due by 1 December</li> <li>Early action II: application due by 1 February</li> </ul>
	Rolling admission:
	<ul> <li>Application due by 1 June for international students (who require a visa to enter and study in Germany)</li> <li>Application due by 20 July for EU/EEA citizens and citizens who do not require a visa</li> </ul>
	For more information, please check our website: https://constructor.university/admission-aid/application-information-undergraduate
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	10,000 EUR
Additional information on tuition fees	Annual <b>undergraduate</b> 2023/24 tuition fees – 20,000 EUR
	Annual <b>graduate</b> 2023/24 tuition fees – 20,000 EUR
	Annual International Foundation Year 2023/24 tuition fees – 12,000 EUR
Joint degree / double degree programme	No
Description/content	Biochemistry is the study of molecules and chemical processes in living organisms, while in cell biology you learn about the structure and physiology of cells, their components, and interactions with the environment. The two fields are combined in one comprehensive degree programme that

will give you a broad understanding of the molecular and cellular mechanisms that form the basis of life. You will not only get the theoretical background of these core areas but also be involved in hands-on research right from the start of your studies.

## **Course Details**

Course organisation	All programmes are individually structured. Every student is assigned to an academic adviser. The goal of academic advising is to provide detailed information to students concerning the programme of study and to help students manage their time at university to their best advantage.
International elements	<ul> <li>International guest lecturers</li> <li>Training in intercultural skills</li> <li>International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context</li> <li>Language training provided</li> <li>Integrated study abroad unit(s)</li> </ul>
Integrated study abroad unit(s)	The fifth semester opens a mobility window for study abroad options.
Integrated internships	The internship programme is a core element of Constructor University's employability approach. It includes a mandatory internship (minimum eight weeks full-time), which provides insight into the labour market as well as practical work experience related to the respective area of study. Successful internships may initiate career opportunities for students. For more information, please contact the Career Services Center (https://constructor.university/student-life/career-services).
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	Νο
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	Νο

## **Costs / Funding**

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	10,000 EUR
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Semester contribution	Approx. 330 EUR per semester, which includes public transportation
Funding opportunities within the university	Yes

Description of the abovementioned funding opportunities within the university The Tuition Deferral Programme is an innovative way to finance a portion of your tuition fees at Constructor University:

- The deferral of tuition fees will be calculated automatically, and the option of deferring tuition fees will be available to you shortly after admission.
- You decide whether you want to take advantage of this personalised financing option.
- Granted independent of your financial situation
- Flexible repayment plan based on your future income and personal circumstances

## **Requirements / Registration**

Academic admission requirements	<ul> <li>Completed application form: https://constructor.university/admission-aid/application-information-undergraduate</li> <li>one recommendation letter from a school official (usually a school counsellor, teacher, or principal)</li> <li>school transcripts of the last two to three years</li> <li>results of a standardised test (SAT or ACT)</li> <li>results of a language proficiency test (TOEFL, IELTS, CAE, Duolingo, etc.)</li> </ul>
Language requirements	A list of all accepted English language proficiency tests and the minimum scores can be found here: https://constructor.university/admission-aid/application-information-undergraduate.
Application deadline	<ul> <li>To be considered for admission to an undergraduate programme, you need to apply by the following deadlines:</li> <li>Early decision: application due by 1 November</li> <li>Early action I: application due by 1 December</li> <li>Early action II: application due by 1 February</li> <li>Rolling admission:</li> <li>Application due by 1 June for international students (who require a visa to enter and study in Germany)</li> <li>Application due by 20 July for EU/EEA citizens and citizens who do not require a visa</li> </ul>
Submit application to	https://constructor.university/admission-aid/application-information-undergraduate
Services	
Possibility of finding part- time employment	We offer a limited number of student jobs on campus as well as support in finding student jobs off campus.
Accommodation	Constructor University offers <b>on-campus</b> accommodation that includes room and board (full meal plan). This accommodation is offered to <b>undergraduate and International Foundation Year</b> <b>students</b> . The fee for one academic year (nine months) is 8,000 EUR. Constructor University offers a variety of <b>off-campus</b> student housing options for <b>graduate</b>

	<ul> <li>students in Bremen. You can reserve accommodation through Constructor University and take advantage of our housing support services, flexible lease terms, and full campus amenities. The fee for accommodation for one academic year (nine months) is 4,500 EUR.</li> <li>Generally, the cost of housing in Bremen can be considered affordable compared to other German cities. Private rooms range from 300 to 500 EUR per month.</li> </ul>
Career advisory service	The Constructor University Career Services Center accompanies students through all stages of their career development in order to enable them to become responsible leaders of tomorrow. https://constructor.university/student-life/career-services
Support for international students and doctoral candidates	<ul> <li>Welcome event</li> <li>Specialist counselling</li> <li>Cultural and linguistic preparation</li> <li>Help with finding accommodation</li> </ul>
General services and support for international students and doctoral candidates	As most of our students have an international background, we focus on your wellbeing.
Supervisor-student ratio	1:18

### Contact

#### **Constructor University**

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