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Master's degree



Computational Sciences in Engineering (CSE)

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Overview

Degree	Master of Science
Course location	Braunschweig
Teaching language	EnglishGerman
Languages	CSE has an integrated German language course, which allows students to select and attend any class offered by the university, regardless of the language of instruction. Students may chose to take classes only in English (depending on their specialisation). The specialisation project and Master's thesis may be written in English (or German).
Full-time / part-time	• full-time
Programme duration	4 semesters
Beginning	Winter semester
Additional information on beginning, duration and mode of study	First semester student induction is in September/October.
Application deadline	Applicants that need a visa to study in Germany: 15 March for the following winter semester
	Please check here if you are not sure if you are required to apply for a visa: https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/visa-service/-/231148.
	Applicants that do not need a visa (i.e. German/EU residents, and please check the list above if you are unsure): 15 July for the following winter semester
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Combined Master's degree / PhD programme	Νο

Joint degree / double degree programme	No
Description/content	CSE is a combination of engineering sciences, mathematics and applied computer sciences. Students will develop mathematical models for physical processes as occur in various branches of engineering sciences.
	They will solve specific problems regarding physical modelling, mathematical description as well as numerical simulation and perform and evaluate complex numerical analyses of engineering processes.
	CSE graduates will be able to apply this knowledge both in the development of new approaches and in the improvement of existing technologies. They will have skills to plan, carry out and present the results of (sub-)projects in increasingly interdisciplinary project teams.
	The CSE Master's programme enables graduates to carry out independent research as part of their doctoral studies in civil, mechanical or electrical engineering, or in mathematics.

Course Details

Course organisation	The CSE Master's programme is completed with 120 credit and structured as follows:
	Basic Core Courses (BCC) – 30 credits
	 Foundations of Natural and Engineering Sciences (BCC-ENG) Foundations of Mathematics and Computational Science (BCC-MCS)
	Elective Core Courses (ECC) – 25 credits
	 Computational Methods in Engineering Sciences (ECC-ENG) Applied Mathematics and Scientific Computing (ECC-MCS)
	In-Depth Courses (IDC) – 35 credits
	 Specialisation courses (IDC-LEC) Specialisation project (IDC-PRO)
	Master's Thesis (MTH) – 30 credits
	Master's thesis
	The programme is completed with 120 credits.
A Diploma supplement will be issued	Yes
Description of other international elements	Students are encouraged to participate in an exchange / stay abroad. This can be a semester at another university, writing your specialisation project or Master's thesis abroad, or an internship.
Diverse intercultural background of students	CSE is an international programme with students from diverse intercultural backgrounds. The CSE student council's (established in 2024) Instagram account gives you an impression of some of our students: https://www.instagram.com/fgr_cse_tubs/.
Integrated internships	Internships are not an integral part of the programme, but are highly recommended. The CSE Office supports students during the process.

Course-specific, integrated German language courses	Yes	
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	No	

Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Semester contribution	In order to enrol at TU Braunschweig or to register back for the coming semester, you have to pay your semester contribution (currently approx. 364 EUR). The semester contribution for example covers your semester ticket for public transport.
Costs of living	By German standards, Braunschweig is not an expensive place to study. Nevertheless, you need a minimum of about 940 EUR per month to be able to study here successfully. More information about financing your studies can be found here.
Funding opportunities within the university	Yes
Description of the above- mentioned funding opportunities within the university	TU Braunschweig has a scholarship programme for excellent students ("Deutschlandstipendium"). The stipend rate is 300 EUR per month. Information on funding can be found here.

Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements	For admission to the CSE Master's programme, the following academic qualification is required:
	• Bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in
	 Engineering Sciences
	 Natural Sciences
	 Mathematics
	 Computer Science
	 or a closely related degree programme
	• Applicants must show that they have at least goodin-depth knowledge of the major basic subjects for the degree programme, such as mathematics, mechanical engineering and information processing generally with the degree certificate submitted, which lists the courses taken and marks awarded in a prior degree programme.
	 Written motivation letter indicating and giving reasons for their strong interest in individual fields of study as well as specifying on what specific prior knowledge or interests their specialised qualification for the CSE degree programme is based. In particular, the statement should also make reference to the multidisciplinary course content in Engineering Sciences, Mathematics and Scientific Computing.

	• German language skills (see language requirements below)
	• English language skills (see language requirements below)
	CSE self assessment
Language requirements	Proof of English language proficiency:
	 Language of instruction (marked on transcript or stated by university) or equivalent TOEFL (min. 79 iBT) IELTS (min. 6.5)
	Proof of German language proficiency:
	 Language of instruction (marked on transcript or stated by university) or equivalent TestDaF 3 (an A2 level [or higher] must be submitted during enrolment) DSH-1 (an A2 level [or higher] must be submitted during enrolment)
	Note : If the English language skills are provided upon application (see levels above), the admissions board may offer a conditional acceptance.
	Applicants do not have to prove any level of German when applying, but have to submit at least an A2 level certificate proving their German language skills when enrolling (August/September).
	The DSH-1 (or equivalent) has to be passed no later than after the third semester .
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Submit application to	Online application

Services

Possibility of finding part- time employment	Many CSE students work as research or teaching assistants at the university.
Accommodation	The Student Services OstNiedersachsen ("Studentenwerk") offer several dormitories: https://www.stw-on.de/en/braunschweig/housing/. More information about finding housing is available here:https://www.tu- braunschweig.de/en/freshmen-hub/important-informations/housing-search.
Support for international students and doctoral candidates	 Welcome event Buddy programme Accompanying programme Cultural and linguistic preparation

social, and personal questions and challenges that international students may have.

for international students and doctoral candidates

Read more about our International Student Support programme



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How can mathematics, computational sciences and different engineering disciplines be made to work with each other? As a CSE engineer, you will develop a perspective of solving any problem numerically, looking at applications in engineering, medicine, chemistry and physics.



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TU Braunschweig in a quick runthrough: student Jannick Stühff takes you along and shows you what studying at the Carolo-Wilhelmina is all about. Get to know our campus, learn more about life in Braunschweig, and see first-hand what cutting-edge research means to us.

more: https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=A5jGY9lYDMo

Technische Universität Braunschweig



Main campus © Simone Fürst/TU Braunschweig

A very warm welcome! We are happy you are interested in studying in Braunschweig. TU Braunschweig is a university with a long tradition of excellent research and teaching. We are part of the TU9 network, the alliance of the leading Universities of Technology in Germany.

TU Braunschweig has about 16,000 students and about 19 percent of them are international students. Six departments and 120 institutes offer 86 degree programmes and excellent facilities for interdisciplinary research work in the fields of engineering, natural sciences, social sciences, and the humanities.

TU Braunschweig is situated at the centre of Europe's most active research and development region. The large number of major companies and leading national research institutes in the Braunschweig region create an enormous scientific potential. Students benefit greatly from the many active partnerships between university and industry. They can be involved in current research projects early on in their studies and work on study projects with practical relevance. Internships and practical training enable students to gain insights into various companies and to establish initial contacts with potential employers.

https://www.tu-braunschweig.de/en/why-braunschweig



University location

Braunschweig is a lively student city situated in northern Germany. With a population of around 250,000, it is big enough to feel cosmopolitan and yet small enough not to be overwhelming. As an important cultural and political centre dating back to the Middle Ages, Braunschweig retains the imprint of each passing age, from the medieval castle and the Gothic cathedral to modern shopping streets and leisure facilities.

Braunschweig has an international reputation as a city of research. The high density of national and international companies and scientific research institutes located in and around the city make Braunschweig the most active research and development region in all of Europe.

www.braunschweig.de

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