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Inside Arts – Contemporary Arts and Curatorship

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Overview

Course location	Kassel
In cooperation with	University Ca' Foscari, Venice/Italy
Teaching language	<ul style="list-style-type: none">English
Language level of course	<ul style="list-style-type: none">English: B2, C1, C2
Date(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">24 June - 19 July 2025
Information on dates, prices and mode of study	<p>This course is also offered as a two-week course, ending on 6 July, with the opportunity to continue in Venice at the University Ca' Foscari. You can find more information on our website: https://www.unikims.de/international-short-term-programs</p> <p>And on the website of Ca' Foscari University, Venice/Italy: https://www.unive.it/pag/35225/</p> <p>An early-bird discount is available!</p> <p>An additional Berlin excursion can be booked at an extra charge of 340 EUR. The Berlin trip starts on Saturday, 21 June 2025.</p>
Target group	ISU Kassel invites motivated and qualified students or graduates to join the programme. Students with a particular interest in art, documenta, curating, and/or German culture are very welcome to participate in the programme.
Description/content	<p>The "documenta" in Kassel is one of the most important and well-known modern art exhibitions in the world. Since the beginning in 1953, it has grown continuously and can be experienced not only in museums and art halls but also in many places throughout the city, attracting hundreds of thousands of visitors. In 2017, more than one million visitors came to North Hesse. The University of Kassel offers interested students and graduates, especially from the areas of Fine Art and Cultural Sciences, the chance to get involved with the theory and practice of documenta and to learn about its history up to now. "Inside Arts" offers insight on how to curate an exhibition of this dimension – from pre-planning to the management of the documenta, including international marketing. We will visit the documenta archive, art galleries, and museums exhibiting documenta art.</p> <p>The course offers an additional trip to Berlin, where you can experience street art, which Berlin is</p>

famous for, including the East Side Gallery – the longest remaining part of the Berlin wall painted with graffiti art.

If you chose the two-week course, you can continue with a seminar in Venice at the University Ca' Foscari on the topic of the "Biennale" art exhibition in Venice.

Course details

Recognised language exams offered (e.g. DSH, TestDaF, TOEFL) No

Costs / Funding

Dates and costs • 24 June - 19 July 2025, costs: EUR 2,390

This price includes

- Course fees
- Accommodation
- Accompanying programme

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Language requirements A minimum level of B2 English is required for the ISU Kassel seminars.

Submit application to isu@uni-kassel.de

Services

Is accommodation organised?	Accommodation is arranged by the organiser.
Type of accommodation	Living with a German host family in Kassel, students will have a unique opportunity to experience German culture and everyday life first-hand. The homestay adds immeasurably to the study abroad experience and guarantees daily opportunities to improve both language and intercultural communication skills outside the classroom.
Meals	Accommodation with host families includes two meals per day. Breakfast and dinner will be provided by the host families and an affordable lunch is available at various campus cafeterias. (Vegetarian meals are served as well.) At weekends, three meals a day will be provided by the host families.
Is a social and leisure programme offered?	Yes
Description of social and leisure programme	Students can enjoy an exciting cultural and leisure-time programme, such as trips to Marburg or Fritzlar, a guided tour of the city of Kassel, hiking in the UNESCO World Heritage Site "Bergpark Wilhelmshöhe", and other activities. Students will also have the chance to experience Germany's vibrant and exciting capital by partaking in the trip to Berlin.
Free internet access	Yes
Support in visa matters	Yes
Pick-up service from train station/airport	No

University of Kassel



The University of Kassel campus with library, dormitories and cafeteria

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The University of Kassel is a young, modern, and lively university with a unique profile in natural sciences, engineering, culture, and society. The University of Kassel is uniquely focused on environmentally related education and research. This is reflected in the university's more than 60 study sectors related to environmental issues.



University location

Welcome to "boom town" Kassel: it combines urban culture and pure nature – there are museums, art, culture, sports, leisure activities, mountains, lakes, and forests as far as the eye can see. At the same time, Kassel is well-connected to Berlin, Munich, Hamburg, and the Rhine and Ruhr regions. Kassel is home to approximately 200,000 people and looks back on more than a thousand years of history as the former capital of "Hessen-Kassel". Today Kassel is a vibrant, young town with a rich heritage.

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