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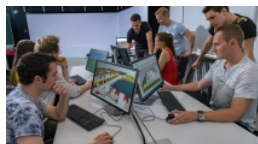
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Bachelor's degree



Nautical Science

University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer • Leer (Ostfriesland)



Overview

Degree	Bachelor of Science
Teaching language	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• German• English
Languages	<p>During the theory semester, an obligatory German language course is offered to prepare the student for the mandatory course in German shipping law that has to be taken at the end of the study course in German.</p> <p>Two mandatory English courses are integrated in the study programme: English in the first semester and Maritime English in the fourth semester.</p>
Full-time / part-time	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• full-time
Programme duration	8 semesters
Beginning	Summer semester
Application deadline	<p>For all applicants: 15 March for the summer semester</p> <p>As the lectures begin at the beginning of March, we strongly recommend applying in advance. If you need a visa, please apply at least two to three months before the deadline.</p> <p>Each international applicant who has graduated from India, China or Vietnam is kindly requested to hand in a so-called APS certificate from the German Embassy in his or her home country.</p> <p>https://aps-india.de/</p> <p>https://www.aps.org.cn/</p> <p>https://vietnam.diplo.de/vn-vi</p>
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Joint degree / double degree programme	No

Description/content	Nautical studies is an academic programme leading to the qualification for Nautical Watch Officer's Certificate of Competence. All aspects of navigating and operating a ship as well as business around the ship and maritime transportation are included. There is a variety of elective subjects to deepen knowledge and competences in special fields such as shiphandling, quality management and green shipping.
Current information	There is an obligation to submit a health insurance declaration: since 1 December 2021, the University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer has been using the electronic student notification procedure (SMV). Notifications from the health insurance companies can only be accepted electronically. In addition to the application, all applicants must apply for a confirmation of insurance from a statutory health insurance company, quoting our sender number H0002194.

Course Details

Course organisation	<p>The study programme includes six semesters of studying at the university campus. An additional two semesters of training at sea are integrated in the curriculum. Students need to apply and contract for training at sea with ship operators fulfilling the requirements of the Standards of Training Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW).</p> <p>» PDF Download</p>
A Diploma supplement will be issued	Yes
International elements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrated study abroad unit(s)
Integrated study abroad unit(s)	<p>There are two international integrated semesters as training units on board a vessel.</p> <p>In addition, it is possible to spend a semester abroad on a voluntary basis supported by ERASMUS+ programme.</p>
Integrated internships	Two semesters of training at sea in fulfilment of STCW requirements
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	Yes
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	Yes

Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Semester contribution	https://www.hs-emden-leer.de/en/university-of-applied-sciences/organization/departments-a-z/admission-and-examination-office/reregistration-and-fees

Costs of living

Compared to other cities in Germany, the living expenses in Leer are rather low. An accommodation costs approximately 200 to 300 EUR per month. <https://www.hs-emden-leer.de/en/institutions/international-office/international-students/living-expenses/>

Funding opportunities within the university

No

Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements

- Fitness for sea services (medical competence – admitted in Germany)
- Recommended: Basic Safety Training (IMO White List) (courses in English are not available in Leer)

Language requirements

- English as mother language
- Or presenting a recognised language test or certificate in English at the following level:
 - a TOEFL score of at least 68 Internet-based (iBT), 190 computer-based (CBT) or 520 paper-based (PBT), (www.toefl.org), an IELTS Band Score of at least 5.5 (www.ielts.org), the Cambridge First Certificate in English, the level certificate of B 2.1 in English according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages by taking a placement test at a recognised foreign language centre

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Submit application to

Applicants with a foreign higher education entrance qualification apply directly online via [uni-assist](#).

German applicants apply via "[Mein persönliches Hochschulportal](#)".

Services

Accommodation

Rooms for rent within walking distance from the department

Career advisory service

Intensive guidance and counselling is provided by the Career Office.

Support for international students and doctoral

- Welcome event

**General services and support
for international students
and doctoral candidates**

Intensive guidance and counselling is provided by the student support desk, the Student Counselling Service, and the International Office as well as by the professors and lecturers.

University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer



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The University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer was newly founded in 2009 in the process of splitting the merged university "Fachhochschule Oldenburg/Ostfriesland/Wilhelmshaven". They had been merged in January 2000. Originally, the University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer was founded in 1973 as "Fachhochschule Ostfriesland". The faculty of Maritime Sciences was one of the founding departments with its roots in the middle of the 19th century, founded in 1854 as "Städtische Navigationsschule Leer". Today, the university has four faculties: Maritime Sciences, Social Work and Health, Technology, Business Administration.

At the moment, the University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer has 27 Bachelor's and 13 Master's study courses. Some of these courses can be studied on a part-time basis. Others are offered as online and professional courses. Four of the study courses are offered in cooperation with the Carl von Ossietzky University in Oldenburg.

The University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer has 4,174 students (winter semester 2022/23) and 471 employees, including 118 professors.

The university consists of two locations. The main location is in Emden and the faculty of Maritime Studies is in Leer. In Leer, approx. 300 students are studying in two Bachelor's programmes, Nautical Science and Maritime Engineering and Management as well as in the joint Master's programme in Maritime Operation (MSc). In Leer, 32 people are employed, and 11 of them are professors.

With its varied and up-to-date programme, University of Applied Sciences Emden/Leer positions itself primarily as a university of applied science in the region and for the region. Bachelor's and Master's degrees in engineering and natural sciences, nautical science, business administration, social work, and health science aim to cover current and future needs for academics in the region. Excellent teaching and study programmes with an international profile are seen here as essential elements in the education of young scientists for a globalised knowledge-based society.

Research, technology transfer, and continuing education – particularly in our established areas of specialisation – serve to provide stimuli for new businesses and new directions in existing business and society.

University location benefits:

- Shipyards

- shipping companies
- 35,000 inhabitants
- close to the North Sea and the Dutch border
- low cost of living



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🌐 Course website: <https://www.hs-emden-leer.de/studierende/fachbereiche/fachbereich-seefahrt-und-maritime-wissenschaften/studiengaenge/nautik-und-seeverkehr-bsc>

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