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# Bachelor's degree



## Interdisciplinary American Studies

University of Tübingen • Tübingen

### Overview

Degree	Bachelor of Arts in American Studies
Teaching language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>English</li></ul>
Languages	The full programme is taught in English.
Programme duration	6 semesters
Beginning	Winter and summer semester
Application deadline	Non-EU citizens: 15 July for the winter semester 15 January for the summer semester  EU citizens: 30 September for the winter semester 31 March for the summer semester
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	Varied
Additional information on tuition fees	For non-EU citizens only
Joint degree / double degree programme	No
Description/content	<p>The BA programme in Interdisciplinary American Studies (IAS) offers students a strong core curriculum of courses in literary and cultural studies and a flexible elective curriculum incorporating related disciplines such as history, political science, media studies and sociology. Taught by a dedicated staff – including three full professors in American Studies – the IAS programme aims at enabling students to apply the tools and approaches developed by different disciplines to advance a critical understanding of the American experience in a global context. The programme can be completed in either three or four years, depending on whether you will choose to spend an extra year studying at a partner university abroad and/or doing internships.</p> <p>During the first year, the basic modules in literary and cultural studies will introduce our students to the main methods and concepts used to study American literature and culture. Each of these modules consists of a lecture and a seminar, accompanied by a tutorial. In the advanced and focus modules, students deepen their knowledge of American literature and culture and apply the skills acquired in the basic modules in a series of thematic research seminars and lectures.</p> <p>Our students enjoy a high degree of autonomy in selecting topics for the three modules of the elective curriculum. Depending on your interests, you can take courses in fields as diverse as history, media studies, political science, sociology, art history, economics, or law.</p>

The academic English and professional skills courses prepare our students for the international job market and ensure a very good command of the English language.

## Course Details

Course organisation	<a href="#">» PDF Download</a>
A Diploma supplement will be issued	Yes
International elements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Training in intercultural skills</li><li>• International guest lecturers</li><li>• Integrated/optional study abroad unit(s)</li></ul>
Integrated/optional study abroad unit(s)	Optional year at partner university
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	No
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	No

## Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	1,500 EUR
Additional information on tuition fees	For non-EU citizens only
Semester contribution	158 EUR
Funding opportunities within the university	No

## Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements	High school diploma (equivalent of German "Abitur")
Language requirements	A good command of English is essential to be successful in this programme.
Application deadline	Non-EU citizens:

15 July for the winter semester  
15 January for the summer semester

EU citizens:  
30 September for the winter semester  
31 March for the summer semester

Submit application to <https://uni-tuebingen.de/de/37885>

## Services

### Possibility of finding part-time employment

Tübingen is a vibrant, international university town with lots of opportunities for part-time employment.

### Support for international students and doctoral candidates

- Buddy programme

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