



INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

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Doctorate



Overview

Degree	PhD
Teaching language	English
Languages	English (100%)
Programme duration	6 semesters
Beginning	Only for doctoral programmes: any time
Application deadline	Please check our website for more information:https://www.uni-goettingen.de/de/635183.html
	PhD students with their own funding (e.g. DAAD) can join at any time.
Tuition fees per semester in	None
EUR	Notice
Combined Master's degree /	No
PhD programme	
Joint degree / double degree	No
programme	
Description/content	Please check our homepage for details:https://www.uni-
	goettingen.de/de/training+program/636453.html

Course Details

Course organisation	Please check our homepage for details: https://www.uni-goettingen.de/de/training+program/636453.html
International elements	 International guest lecturers Training in intercultural skills Courses are led with foreign partners International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context

Special promotion / funding of the programme	DFG (e.g. Research Training Groups)
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	No
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	No

Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Semester contribution	Fees are around 400 EUR per semester. The fees include a prepaid semester ticket that entitles students to use regional trains in Germany free of charge. Fees: http://www.uni-goettingen.de/fee Semester ticket: http://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/16432.html
Costs of living	The average cost of living in Göttingen is modest compared to other major university cities in Germany. Currently, expenses for accommodation, food, health insurance and books are about 850 EUR per month. Please note that fees for health insurance may vary according to age. Students of the University of Göttingen receive discounts for cultural events. Meals and drinks are also available at reduced prices at all university canteens. For further information, please see the following link: www.uni-goettingen.de/en/54664.html
Funding opportunities within the university	No

Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements	Successful candidates will have an outstanding Master's degree (or equivalent) in food and agricultural economics, development economics, general economics, sustainability studies, (food marketing, or related social sciences disciplines, strong analytical skills, experience with relevant statistical methods, proven interest in topics related to sustainable food systems, and strong computer skills. We also expect successful candidates to be active team players in the RTG. Experience with data collection in an international context will be a plus.	
Language requirements	Excellent command of the English language	
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Submit application to	For application details, please have a look at our homepage:https://www.uni-	3

Services

Possibility of finding parttime employment

The university supports students in finding part-time jobs in local industry and businesses. A number of student jobs are also available at the university. They are announced on the following website: www.stellenwerk-goettingen.de

Please note that restrictions may apply with your scholarship or visa. Non-EU students are subject to special regulations.

Some proficiency in German may be indispensable to your job search. Non-EU students are permitted to work a maximum of 120 full days (240 half days) per year.

Accommodation

The Accommodation Service of the International Office supports international students who are enrolled at the University of Göttingen in finding accommodation and serves as a point of contact for related queries. The Accommodation Service also publishes suitable offers from private landlords in Göttingen and collaborates with the Student Services ("Studentenwerk"). As the number of available accommodation options in Göttingen is limited, it is highly recommended to check the following website well in advance: https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/636264.html

Please note: For doctoral students, accommodation services are only available if you have a low income.

Structured research and supervision

Yes

Research training / discussion

Yes

Career advisory service

The Career Service of the university offers individual support for the job entry. For international students aiming for a career entry in Germany, the Career Service provides workshops, online learning modules, and a qualification programme. https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/292.html

The project "Start Guides" also offers assistance in developing and realising individual career perspectives in Germany. https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/637664.html

If you are interested in founding a company, start-up support is offered! The university supports you with advice, funding, qualification formats and network contacts. https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/en/1279.html

Support for international students and doctoral candidates

- Buddy programme
- Specialist counselling

General services and support for international students and doctoral candidates

The International Office provides a wide range of services for international students.

German students help newly arrived students to adapt to the university and the city during their first weeks.

An orientation week for new international students provides valuable information about Göttingen and the university.

Study Buddy Programme: Part of the project Integration and Diversity at Göttingen University (InDiGU)

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