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# Bachelor's degree

# WHU Bachelor's in Business Psychology (BBP)

WHU - Otto Beisheim School of Management • Vallendar













### Overview

Degree	Bachelor of Science in Business Psychology (BSc)
Course location	Vallendar
Teaching language	• English
Languages	Courses are held in English.
Programme duration	6 semesters
Beginning	Winter semester
Application deadline	Our application portal is open from October to May every year. For more information, please visit our website.
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	Yes
Additional information on tuition fees	Tuition fees per year: 18,100 EUR (9,050 EUR per semester)*  *Tuition fees for 2025, subject to change
Joint degree / double degree programme	No
Description/content	WHU's Bachelor's programme in Business Psychology addresses qualified, committed students from around the world. Offering a unique blend of a broad-based curriculum, practical experience, and international exposure, the programme equips students with the professional skills and comprehensive mindset needed to thrive in today's changing world. The study of at least one language, an integrated semester abroad at one of our partner universities worldwide, and an internship abroad are fundamental elements of the programme.  Students acquire a complete set of tools to tackle complex business challenges competently, on the basis of a solid academic and scientific foundation. At the same time, the programme fosters practical experience by covering real-world situations. Students complete two internships, during

which they apply their acquired knowledge in a company setting.

### **Course Details**

#### Course organisation

Our Bachelor's programme in Business Psychology combines different modules. In the first semesters, these include:

- Core courses of Business and Economics
- Core courses of Psychology
- Propaedeutics (Statistics, Foundation of Law)
- Language and Intercultural Competence

Through small groups we ensure excellent student support.

#### Languages:

Language courses are an integral part of the curriculum. Students choose at least one language from the following options:

- Chinese
- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Japanese
- Spanish

Language courses are taught exclusively by native speakers. The course size varies from six to a maximum of fourteen students.

#### Elective courses:

Students chose their elective courses at the beginning of the fourth semester. The course size varies between 10 and 20 students. These specialisations run across all fields of business psychology and management.

The "General Studies" module demands outside-the-box thinking: It offers courses from philosophy, and engineering to history, culture, and politics. It also focuses on important historical events and cultural/technological change. All in all, the courses enable students to think outside the economic box.

The "Ethics and Sustainability" module focuses on ethical questions concerning individual behaviour, the influence of emotions on the human decision making process, basic philosophical questions of the present, and conflict behaviour. Learning strategies and methods are addressed.

#### Optional additional courses:

Students can choose a second language, courses in business law (usually taught in German), or various courses out of the field of general studies.

## A Diploma supplement will be issued

Yes

## Certificates for specific modules are awarded

Yes

#### International elements

- International guest lecturers
- Language training provided
- Training in intercultural skills
- Projects with partners in Germany and abroad
- International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context
- Courses are led with foreign partners

## Description of other international elements

- Internships and semester abroad
- International faculty and guest lecturers
- Daily interaction with international exchange students

#### Integrated internships

Our students complete two internships (each with a minimum duration of four weeks). The first internship takes place during the summer break between the second and third semesters, and the second internship takes place between the fourth and fifth semesters. Our Career Center team will assist you in finding appropriate internships and help you build your professional network starting from day one. One of the internships has to be completed abroad, giving our students the opportunity to experience the international job market on their own.

Course-specific, integrated German language courses

Yes

Course-specific, integrated English language courses

Yes

## Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in

Yes

Additional information on tuition fees

Tuition fees per year: 18,100 EUR (9,050 EUR per semester)\*

\*Tuition fees for 2025, subject to change

Semester contribution

None

Costs of living

Approx. 900 EUR per month

Funding opportunities within the university

Yes

Description of the abovementioned funding opportunities within the university Tuition fees have never prevented anyone from studying at WHU. We welcome every qualified applicant who demonstrates outstanding cognitive and personal skills, regardless of his or her social and economic background. WHU offers a wide variety of financing options to ensure that every student who has been offered admission can indeed complete the study programme. Details can be found on our website.

## Requirements / Registration

# Academic admission requirements

- Secondary school diploma or higher education qualification equivalent
- Letter of motivation and CV
- · Proof of English proficiency
- Internship of six weeks, or equivalent practical experience prior to the beginning of the programme
- Successful participation in the WHU admission round

#### Language requirements

Unless your secondary school studies have been completed at an English-taught school, you need to provide proof of your English language skills.

WHU accepts the following tests and results:

TOEFL iBT score of at least 95 points; Institutional TOEFL (ITP): 587 points; IELTS of 6.5; Cambridge

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#### Application deadline

Our application portal is open from October to May every year.

For more information, please visit our website.

Submit application to

https://application-center.whu.edu/login

### **Services**

#### Accommodation

Rent ranges from 250 to 650 EUR, including utilities.

Most students choose to live near the campus, taking advantage of the proximity to lectures and the opportunity to get together at any time.

We offer extra support in finding accommodation for our international students with our own onsite housing office.

WHU students can access details of available apartments via our online forum for incoming students.

An overview of the various types of accommodation is available here.

#### Career advisory service

The Career Center of the university is the interface between WHU and its students. It initiates contacts with companies, organises numerous career activities and maintains contact with alumni. Through its extensive network, the Career Center provides support during the search for internships in Germany and abroad as well as for the start of your career upon graduation. Services include:

- Career counselling and training
- Presentations, workshops, and career fairs
- Job databases and newsletters
- Online resume database and on-campus recruiting
- Links to the WHU alumni network

# Support for international students and doctoral candidates

- Welcome event
- Buddy programme
- Tutors
- Cultural and linguistic preparation



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# David Gazarian WHU BSc class of 2023

Before attending the WHU
"Schnuppertag", I visited other
business schools, but I felt like
something was missing. At the WHU
"Schnuppertag", I was instantly
captivated by the unique WHU spirit.
While walking around campus, I could
see it in action: in the way WHU
students interacted with each other,
how they collaborated creatively in
the study rooms and how helpful all
the staff was. I immediately felt at
home and knew I wanted to study at
WHU, so I began my application the
following week.



## The Spirit of Courage and Commitment at WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

On WHU's two campuses in Vallendar (near Koblenz) and Düsseldorf, faculty, students, and staff enjoy working and studying in an environment that promotes diversity and internationalisation. The organisational culture at WHU characterises a spirit of courage and innovation, a strong sense of community, high dedication to excellence, and an intrinsic commitment to society.

#### more:

https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=YAnsrQahONM

# WHU - Otto Beisheim School of Management



Vallendar campus - Marienburg building

WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management is an internationally oriented and privately funded European Business School based in Vallendar with a second campus in Düsseldorf. Founded in 1984, WHU is now one of the most renowned German business schools with an outstanding national and international reputation. This excellent standard has been certified by accreditations from EQUIS, AACSB, and FIBAA as well as through leading positions in national and international rankings. WHU students profit from a large international network of partner universities, companies, and alumni.





### University location

WHU has two campuses. One campus is located in Vallendar, a small town along the romantic riverside of the Rhine, which is part of the UNESCO World Heritage, and another campus is located in Düsseldorf, one of the liveliest cities in Germany and a vibrant hub for companies and the media. Both the Vallendar campus and the Düsseldorf campus share the same "WHU Spirit" of mutual trust, support, and respect that will make you feel at home. With students and faculty from multiple countries, WHU offers a truly international study environment.

The Bachelor's programme is taught at our campus in Vallendar.

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