**University of Applied Sciences Dresden**

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| About partner | About partner | The University of Applied Sciences Dresden was founded in 1992 and has a strong engineering and economics profile in teaching and research, complemented by artistic skills. It is a regionally based and internationally oriented university with a wide range of practice-oriented degree programs in combination with a variety of experiences in applied research.  Technology, economics, design, and 'green' disciplines constitute the four pillars that more than 40 forward-looking diploma, bachelors, and master's degree programmes are based on. The combination of technology, economy, and aesthetics is interesting for both students and instructors and forms the scholastic profile and the scientific life at the university.  With 8 faculties, approximately 170 professors, and more than 5,000 students, the university is large enough to integrate the different disciplines successfully and generate a high synergistic effect. On the other hand, it is still manageable enough to facilitate personal dialogue in individual courses. |
|  | About [partner city] | Dresden is the capital city of the Free State of Saxony in Germany. The Elbe valley, into which the capital of Saxony is embedded, is one of the most beautiful landscapes in Germany. So Dresden offers all the advantages of a big city as well as a good base for exploring surrounding nature, such as the famous National Park Saxon Switzerland.  The city offers a versatile cultural experience for visitors with many cafes, bars, museums and galleries along with sophisticated student clubs in the heart of Dresden. |
|  | Did you know? [fun fact about partner] | Even though CUAS is not permitted to confer doctorate degrees in compliance with the North Rhine-Westphalia Higher Education Act, it explicitly welcomes and supports doctorate programs carried out in cooperation with traditional universities. More than 80 students are currently doing their doctorate at Cologne University of Applied Sciences. |
| Academic information | Main areas of study | * Business Administration/International Business * Chemical Engineering * Civil Engineering/Architecture * Computer Science * Electrical Engineering * Engineering Management * Information Technology/Mathematics * Mechanical Engineering * Product/Industrial Design * Surveying/Cartography   **Note**   * The listed areas of study are not necessarily exhaustive and other fields of study might also be available at the partner institution. Moreover, names for fields of study may be different overseas. * A discipline being listed does not in indicate the suitability of the program, nor does it indicate that the discipline is taught in English. * Approval to study particular subjects at any institution is always at the discretion of the departmental/discipline and faculty advisors at RMIT University and subject to available places at the host institution. |
|  | Language requirements | Mainly German; some courses are in English |
|  | Full time load [Equivalent to 96 RMIT Credit Points] | 30 ECTS = 20 SWS = 48 RMIT credits |
|  | Link to courses | <http://www.f04.fh-koeln.de/studium/vorlesungsverzeichnis/> |
| Living | Accommodation | During your academic stay (4 months minimum stay) at Dresden University of applied sciences, you may live at the Dresden student services (Studentenwerk) student residence.  More information: <http://www.htw-dresden.de/en/international/international-students/exchange-programmes/practical-information.html> |
|  | Health insurance | Mandatory government health insurance to be organised upon arrival.  Waiver: Bring written confirmation from your Health Insurance outlining the coverage. |
|  | Living cost | A number of external services provide comprehensive overviews of global living costs, for example:   * [www.expatistan.com](http://www.expatistan.com) * [www.numbeo.com](http://www.numbeo.com)   **Note**  RMIT University is not affiliated with any of these page |
| Funding Opportunities | OS-HELP information | [OS-HELP Information page](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help) |
|  | Link to scholarships page? | [All travel scholarships](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel) |
| Useful information | Link to partner exchange page | <http://www.htw-dresden.de/en/international/international-students/exchange-programmes.html> |
|  | Visa | Australian citizens do not require a student visa. However, students have to obtain a “residence permit” upon arrival. |