**FACT SHEET of the Department of Informatics**

**ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-2017**

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**International Coordinators and Advisors at the Department**

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**Academic calendar**

Winter semester: 1st October 2016 – 31st March 2017
- Lecture period: 17th October 2016 – 11th February 2017
- Examinations: 6th February – 4th March 2017 (may differ in other departments)

Summer semester: 1st April – 30th September 2017
- Lecture period: 24th April – 30th July 2017
- Examinations: 24th July – 19th August 2016 (may differ in other departments)

TUM Academic calendar:

**TUM course catalog**

[https://campus.tum.de](https://campus.tum.de)

**TUM Informatics module catalog**


**Overview of courses taught in English at the Department of Informatics**

- Advanced Bachelor (3rd/4th year) students are free to take English taught courses at Master level
- A 60% minimum of courses in a learning agreement/study program must be taught by TUM Informatics (see TUM modular code of the course). Otherwise, it is a matter of prerequisites and matching timetables.
- If there is an overlap of semesters times with the student’s home university, it’s possible for the student to apply for an alternate exam, if the course is is taught by TUM Informatics.
- Repeat exams take place in the very end of the respective semester, they are excluded by this rule.

**Possibility of attending courses from different departments**

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**How and where to search for courses? How does the German academic system work?**

Information and advice how to compose a learning agreement/study program for an exchange stay.

**How to prepare your stay abroad**


**Social programs at TUM**

- TUM international – orientation week at the beginning of each semester and further program during the semester: [http://www.international.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/](http://www.international.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/)
- MINDA Mentoring – departmental buddy program: Each incoming student gets a student mentor of our department to facilitate the start in Garching, at our department and in Munich respectively. [http://www.in.tum.de/en/minda](http://www.in.tum.de/en/minda)
- Further there is our series of International Events for international students at our department: [http://www.in.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/](http://www.in.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/)

**How to get to Campus Garching**


**University sports centre**

[http://www.zhs-muenchen.de](http://www.zhs-muenchen.de) (7,50€ - 30€ per semester for all sport offers!)

**Internships/jobs**

Due to different semester dates there is often time to extend the stay for an internship with local companies. [https://www.together.tum.de/en/career](https://www.together.tum.de/en/career)

It is very common for local students to work part time during your studies. Exchange students in the area of computer science can easily find a well-paid job in Munich, very often in English!

**How and when to apply**

Application for incoming exchange students / non degree students: [http://www.international.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/](http://www.international.tum.de/en/welcome-to-tum/international-exchange-students/tuminternational/)

**Deadlines:**
- 15th May for winter semester or the whole academic year
- 31st October for summer semester