



Fachhochschule Eberswalde

University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde

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The Eberswalde Fachhochschule has 4 Faculties:

Faculty of Forestry

- Four-year Diploma program “Forestry” *with all lectures in German* is being replaced by the
- Three-year Bachelor program “Forestry” *with all lectures in German.*
- Three-year Bachelor program „**International Forest Ecosystem Management**“ (**IFEM**) with *lectures in German and English* leading to a Bachelor Degree (B.Sc.) after 6 semesters of study, particularly attractive for international students. This Bachelor program is interesting for exchange students because a large part of the courses are offered in English. The summer semester is better suited for incoming exchange students due to the more pleasant weather. The 5th semester (winter semester) is not available for exchange students because it is a training semester.
- Post-graduate Master program “**Forest Information Technology**“ (**FIT**) with *all lectures in English* leading to a Master Degree (M.Sc.) after 4 semesters of study. It is a joint program between the Faculties of Forestry of the University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde and of the Warsaw Agriculture University. Teaching takes place at both locations. Only the first semester (winter semester) is available for visiting students.

- Post-graduate Master program “**Global change Management**” (GCM) with *all lectures in German*

Faculty of Landscape Use and Nature Conservation

- Four-year Diploma program “Landscape Use and Nature Conservation” with *all lectures in German*. This program is being replaced by the 3-year Bachelor program
- Three-year Bachelor program ”Landscape Use and Nature Conservation” with *all lectures in German*
- Three-year Bachelor program “Organic Farming and Marketing” with *all lectures in German*
- Post-graduate Master program “Sustainable Tourism Management” with *all lectures in German* leading to a Master Degree after 4 semesters of study
- Post-graduate Master program “Regional Development and Nature Conservation” with *all lectures in German*

Faculty of Wood Science and Technology

- Four-year Diploma program “Wood Science and Technology” with *all lectures in German*
- Three-year Bachelor program “Wood Science and Technology” with *all lectures in German*

Faculty of Economics

- Four-year program “Business Administration” with *all lectures in German* is being replaced by the
- Three-year Bachelor program “Management of Companies” (Unternehmensmanagement) with *all lectures in German*. Because This program started in 2005 we cannot offer all semesters yet.
- Three-year Bachelor program “Regional Management” with *all lectures in German*.
- Three-year Bachelor program “Controlling, Accounting, Taxation” with *all lectures in German*. This program started in 2005 so we cannot offer all semesters yet.

The University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde has approx. 1500 students and two campuses.

Academic Calendar:

Summer semester 2007 March 19, 2007 – Aug. 3, 2007 (20 weeks)
July 2, 2007 – Aug. 3, 2007: examinations, no lectures

The dates of the winter semester 2007/08 are not confirmed yet. The winter semester will probably start on September 4, 2007.

Deadlines for application:

For students attending the winter semester, the deadline for application is **July 15**. For exchange students attending the summer semester the deadline for application is **January 15**.

Application forms for an Exchange semester at the University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde can be obtained from the International Office of your University at home or from the International Office of the University of Applied Sciences (Fachhochschule) of Eberswalde. For exchange students enrolled at a partner University the application modalities are easier. It is possible to choose courses in English which deal with Forestry, Nature protection, GIS etc.

„**Fachhochschule**“ means a University of Applied Sciences offering courses at University level with a technical or practical emphasis.

The advantages of studying at the University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde are:

- familiar atmosphere (1500 students) and close contacts to the staff
- structured program of study
- Exchange students usually study for a period of 5 months either during the winter or the summer semester
- direct connection by train to Berlin
- semester ticket

Short description of the Fachhochschule and its surroundings

The town of Eberswalde is located north-east of Berlin, between the Capital City of Germany and the border to Poland. It belongs to the Federal State of Brandenburg. The town of Eberswalde has a long tradition in forestry. In 1830 forestry education was moved from Berlin to the green town of Eberswalde. Eberswalde was not only the seat of higher education in forestry but also of a national research centre in forestry and timber. In 1963 the School of Higher Education was closed because of political reasons and reopened in 1992 after the reunification of Germany. Eberswalde is a mid-size town of 50,000 inhabitants, surrounded by forests and lakes. The University of Applied Sciences of Eberswalde has 4 Faculties: the Faculty of Forestry, the Faculty of Landscape Use and Nature Conservation, the Faculty of Wood Science and Technology, the Faculty of Business Administration. Altogether approximately 1,500 students are enrolled at the Fachhochschule. There is a campus at the Alfred-Möller-Straße amid a beech and pine forest and a city campus at the Friedrich-Ebert-Straße in the middle of the town. The Faculty of Landscape Use and Nature Protection and the Faculty of Business Administration are both situated at the Friedrich-Ebert-Straße, city campus, as well as the new library. The Faculty of Forestry and the Faculty of Wood Science and Technology are on the campus at the Möller-Straße (forest campus).

Accommodation

The so-called Studentenwohnheim or students' residence, is not managed by the Fachhochschule but by the Studentenwerk Frankfurt (Oder). Application for accommodation are sent to the exchange student on request by the International Office of the Fachhochschule. Application for accommodation is then to be sent to the Studentenwerk in Frankfurt (Oder) by the student. It can also be sent to the International Office of the Fachhochschule, which will help if necessary.

<http://www.studentenwerk-frankfurt.de/>