Admission information and requirements for international students applying at Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg

We are pleased that you are interested in studying at Martin-Luther-University. Please inform yourself before your application on the courses offered by our university. The Central Study Guidance (Allgemeine Studienberatung) has compiled all the information on the following website:

http://studienberatung.verwaltung.uni-halle.de/

Application for degree programmes at Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg

All applications have to be handed in with uni-assist: http://www.uni-assist.de.

Address: Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg
c/o uni-assist e.V.
11507 Berlin

What is uni-assist?

uni-assist means: Arbeits- und Servicestelle für ausländische Studienbewerbungen. They will process all applications from international students for Martin-Luther-University, as well as for numerous other German universities.

Who has to apply at uni-assist?

Anyone who has not got his/her Hochschulzugangsberechtigung (general qualification for university entrance) or Bachelor degree in Germany or at a school with German Abiturprüfungsordnung. This also includes students with in International Baccalaureate.

Exceptions are only the following persons or programmes:

- All citizens or an EU country, citizens of Iceland, Liechtenstein, or Norway from one of these countries who would like to take courses in a nationally limited programme (medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, psychology). If you are such a citizen, please send your application to “hochschulSTART”: http://www.hochschulstart.de/.

- Everyone who is interested in an exchange programme at Martin-Luther-University, please inquire at the International Office on how to apply.

Application deadlines:

For bachelor degrees and state examinations:

- winter semester: June 30 (deadline for handing in missing documents: July 09)
- summer semester: January 15

For master degrees:

- winter semester: April 30 (later applications are possible)
  exception: March 31 for Pharmaceutical Biotechnology!
- summer semester: October 31

Admittance is only granted if your documents are sent complete and by the set deadline to uni-assist and you fulfill the necessary requirements. We highly recommend that you send your application six weeks before the deadline. This way we have time to respond and ask you to hand in any missing documents.
How do you apply at uni-assist?

- Please use the online application procedure at www.uni-assist.de. Furthermore, please remember to send all documents per post as well!

A complete application includes:

- Your school report from your home country which proves your qualification for university entrance (Hochschulzugangsberechtigung)
- If you were a student before, please send your reports and the grades of the courses you have taken
- Preliminary grades for your Bachelor's degree; you can hand in the final degree later.
- Certificate of German language, except for applicants for our English-speaking degree programmes and music

To be accepted at the Studienkolleg you need:
- at least 500 hours of German lessons (level B1/ B2) to be accepted for the entrance exam

To be allowed to take the DSH-test at Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg you need:
- at least 800 hours of German lessons (C1)

To be admitted directly you need one of the following language certificates:
- Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang (DSH) – Stufe 2
- Test-DaF (German as a Foreign Language) at least 4th level in every section
- telc Deutsch – C1 Hochschule
- Goethe-Zertifikat C2: GDS
- Deutsches Sprachdiplom der Kultusministerkonferenz – 2nd level

- It is necessary to send your application documents as a certified/legally attested copy and to make a German or English translation which has to be certified as well.

Application fee:

- An application with uni-assist costs 75 Euros for your first university choice
- All applicants pay 15 Euros for further university choices

Payment of the application fee:

- Direct debt authorisation from a German bank account. You can find the authorisation form at the internet page of uni-assist. Please fill it out, sign it and enclose it to your application, or
- By credit card (VISA- or Mastercard) or
- By transfer to:
  uni-assist e.V.
  HypoVereinsbank
  IBAN DE62100208900019055272
  BIC HYVEDEMM488

- Please state reason for payment: surname, first name, date of birth and country of origin
- Please note: The entire application fee has to be transferred. Transfer fees of your bank have to be paid additionally.

What happens next (after sending the application)?

- If you fulfill the requirements in form, uni-assist will forward your application to our university. You will receive either an admission or a refusal with further information.
- If you do not fulfill the requirements in form, uni-assist will contact you. Your application cannot be returned.
Contact: Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg
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