

FACTSHEET

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of the university: University of Marburg (UMR)
Address: Biegenstraße 10, Marburg, Germany
Website: <https://www.uni-marburg.de/en>



Erasmus code D MARBURG01
PIC: 999848938
OID: E10208700
Legal status: Public Higher Education Institution
Faculties:

01 Law	12 Mathematics and Computer Science
02 Business and Economics	13 Physics
03 Social Sciences and Philosophy	15 Chemistry
04 Psychology	16 Pharmacy
05 Protestant Theology	17 Biology
06 History and Cultural Studies	19 Geography
09 German Studies and Arts	20 Medicine
10 Foreign Languages and Cultures	21 Education



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Situated centrally in the state of Hesse, Marburg is home to 78,203 inhabitants, the river Lahn and the Landgrave Castle. Marburg can easily be reached from the Frankfurt airport by train, departing several times per hour. The city is very walker-friendly, but a comprehensive bus network is also in place for longer distances.

INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

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Marburg is known for being a university city as academic buildings are strewn all across the city instead of gathering around one central campus. With its sixteen faculties, the University of Marburg offers higher education to a vastly diverse interest spectrum. The library as well as the main cafeteria are centrally located to provide broad access to the student body.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

STUDY GUIDE

<https://www.uni-marburg.de/en/studying/studying-at-umr>

STUDY FIELDS

<https://www.uni-marburg.de/en/university/institutions>



Most widely used ISCED Codes	UMarburg
0111 Education science	x
0210 Arts not further defined or elsewhere classified	x
0221 Religion and theology	x
0222 History and archaeology	x
0223 Philosophy and ethics	x
0230 Languages not further defined or elsewhere classified	x
0231 Language acquisition	x
0232 Literature and linguistics	x
0310 Social and behavioural sciences not further defined or elsewhere classified	x
0311 Economics	x
0312 Political sciences and civics	x
0313 Psychology	x
0314 Sociology and cultural studies	x
0421 Law	x
0510 Biological and related sciences not further defined or elsewhere classified	x
0521 Environmental sciences	x
0531 Chemistry	x
0533 Physics	x
0541 Mathematics	x
0610 Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) not further defined or elsewhere classified	x
0912 Medicine	x
0916 Pharmacy	x
1014 Sports	x

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

<https://www.uni-marburg.de/de/studium/im-studium/semestertermine>

International Orientation week:	First week of March, April, September, and October
Intensive German language classes:	After International Orientation week in March/September
Departmental Orientation week:	The week before classes start
Beginning of courses:	Winter semester: mid-October Summer semester: mid-April
Exam period:	Depends on faculty/department

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation:	https://www.uni-marburg.de/en/studying/life-at-umr/housing
Dormitory website:	https://studierendenwerk-marburg.de/en/living/
Rent (approx.):	dormitory appx. 250-500€/ month
Note:	incoming student are nominated for dormitories by the International Office



STUDENT EXCHANGE MOBILITY

COURSES AVAILABLE FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Course Catalogue

[Marburg Course Catalogue](#)



Online Courses

<https://uni-marburg.de/JfQhR>

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Depend on the department and agreement.



GRADING SYSTEM

The University of Marburg uses a grading scale with a point system ranging from 0 to 15 points. 15 points mark the highest achievable grade; 5 points mark the lowest passing grade; anything below 5 is considered a fail.

15/14/13	12/11/10	9/8/7	6/5	4 and under
A+/A/A-	B+/B/B-	C+/C/C-	D+/D	Fail
Outstanding	Good	Satisfactory	Sufficient	Not sufficient

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Application to Erasmus+ programmes, overseas through home institution; freemover students [directly](#) to UM via Mobility Online (open to incoming students depending on mobility programme).

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:

Application deadlines for incoming students are determined by the sending institutions. Information about the [post-nomination process](#) can be found on the University of Marburg's website.

RECOMMENDED ARRIVAL:

No later than the first day of the Orientation Programme.

FACULTY COORDINATORS

The [Faculty Coordinators](#) at the University of Marburg are available to help incoming students with any questions.



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