Welcome to Osnabrück University!

Founded in 1974, Osnabrück University offers its 14,000 students an ideally sized education experience through numerous accredited undergraduate and graduate degree programs in the Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Business and Law. The university is committed to offering its students small course groups and lively interactions between professors and students – our International Summer Schools, for instance, seldom feature more than 20 students in class. Award-winning student services, a broad sports program, and an international atmosphere further enhance the academic experience at Osnabrück University.

Each July, Osnabrück University hosts students and professionals for its International Summer Schools. With a mixture of well-established programs and innovative courses, they represent a unique opportunity to experience student life at a renowned German university. As a participant, you will get to enjoy challenging academic classes, an exciting cultural program, introductory German language lessons as well as an innovative buddy program.

Your Experience in Osnabrück

• Engage in Cutting-Edge Research
• Discover 800 years of German History
• Experience Well-Established Programs
• Appreciate Bustling Student Life
• Enjoy a Safe, Manageable and Affordable City
• Acquire a Unique Perspective through Local Buddies

Curious?

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The School is organized by the Science Faculty at Osnabrück University, which combines a strong
tradition in biomembrane research with the development of new technologies at the interface of
nanoscience and cell biology. Students will gain direct insight into a wide array of experimental
approaches and model systems to visualize microcompartments and elucidate their function and
dynamics.

We offer:

• hands-on practical courses and lectures with leading experts in the field
• interactive poster sessions with students and staff of the local Collaborative Research Center
  on Microcompartments
• career development workshop «making your next move in academia»
• rich cultural and recreational program plus an optional 3-day trip to Berlin
• certification of up to 1 ECTS credits upon successful completion of the whole program

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We aim to offer you a hassle-free experience. Except for your personal living expenses and travel
costs, all essentials are included in the program fee. Specifically, the fee of EUR 1,500 includes:

• All tuition (including all class materials)
• German language and culture classes
• Accommodation
• All cultural activities and excursions
• Summer School ID enabling you to eat at Osnabrück University’s canteens for highly reduced
group rates
• Bus pass valid for public transportation in and around Osnabrück
• Free internet access through Osnabrück University’s networks
• Welcome package with information brochures, emergency information and a few extra goodies
• Pick-up service from the train station
• 24/7 assistance via cellphone

Please note that all students from Osnabrück University’s partners are eligible for a discount of
EUR 250!

Accommodation
Osnabrück University’s International Office will arrange for your accommodation. You will stay in
either a student dorm or a carefully selected homestay.

Cultural Program Highlights
As part of this summer school, you will
• be invited for welcome and farewell dinners
• explore Bremen’s maritime flare together with fellows from all over the world
• dive into Osnabrück’s medieval history during a guided tour by a nightwatchman
• gain knowledge of art and resistance during the Third Reich by visiting an exhibition in the Felix-
  Nussbaum-Haus
• search for the origins of Erich-Maria-Remarque’s «All quiet on the Western Front» in Osnabrück
• walk to Baltrum Island through the UNESCO world heritage site »Mudflats of the North Sea«
• gain first-hand experience about the nation’s history and current politics during an optional
three-day excursion to Berlin (travel, public transportation, accommodation & breakfast,
cultural program all included in the additional price of EUR 250).

Where can I find more information?
For further information, including the application form, please visit our website: We look forward to
hearing from you soon!