

FACT SHEET 2018/19

Name of the University	Hochschule der Medien Stuttgart (HdM)
International/Erasmus Code	DSTUTTGA06
City, Country	Stuttgart, Germany
Website	www.hdm-stuttgart.de
Address	Nobelstr. 10 70569 Stuttgart
Faculties	Faculty of Print and Media Faculty of Electronic Media Faculty of Information and Communication
About the University	Stuttgart Media University (HdM) offers Bachelor and Master programs and covers a broad spectrum of media expertise: From printed media to electronic media, from mass media and media theory to media production, from media design to making media available to various audiences. For exchange students HdM offers a wide range of English taught Minor Programs (see below).

THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

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Office hours

Mondays to Thursdays: 09:00 - 16:30
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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

WINTER SEMESTER 2018/2019:

Arrival with Meet & Greet and Move-In

10 September 2018

Welcome Breakfast

11 September 2018

Orientation Activities (incl. registrations and enrolment)

11 - 14 September 2018

German Intensive Course and further orientation program

17 September – 5 October 2018

Late Arrivals (students with no German Intensive Course)

1 - 5 October 2018

Lecture Period

8 October 2018 - 1 February 2019

Registrations for Exams

5 November - 9 November 2019

Exams Period

4 February 5 - 22 February 2019

Public Holidays (The University is closed)

3 October 2018
1 November 2018
27 December 2018 - 4 January 2019

**SUMMER SEMESTER 2019 – exact move-in and orientation dates tbc:
(please note that we do not offer a German intensive course in summer semester)**

Arrival with Meet & Greet and Move-In

4 March 2019

Welcome Breakfast

5 March 2019

Orientation Activities (incl. registrations and enrolment)

5 -15 March 2019

Lecture Period

18 March – 5 July 2019

Registrations for Exams

15 – 21 April 2019

Exams Period

8 – 26 July 2019

Public Holidays (The University is closed)

19 – 22 April 2019

1 May 2019

30 May 2019

10 June 2019

20 June 2019

Study programs / Minor programs	www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/minors
Language of teaching	German and English
Recommended language level	B2 in German (programs taught in German) or B2 in English (English taught Minor Programs)
Credit system	ECTS
Usual work load	60 ECTS per academic year / 30 ECTS per semester
Grading system	The German grading system is based on a scale from 1,0 to 5,0.

LIFE ABROAD

Housing offer Students can apply for student housing via the Studierendenwerk Stuttgart, who offer housing close to campus:
www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/accommodation

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Cost of living (monthly, approximately)	Accommodation: ca. 290,-/310,- € Food: ca. 250,- € Transportation: ca. 30,- € (200,- € Semester Ticket) Health Insurance: ca. 90,- € Total per month: ca. 800,-/850,- € www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/costs
Activities	Excursions, Cultural Program, Buddy Program
German language courses	We recommend exchange students to participate in German language courses prior to and during the semester (pre-sessional German Intensive Courses are offered prior to winter semester only). Contact: HdM Language Center sprachenzentrum@hdm-stuttgart.de

THE APPLICATION AND ENROLLMENT PROCESS

Application process	After students have been nominated by their home university, they may apply online: www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/online_application
Deadlines for application	Summer Semester: Nomination 15 October Application 31 October Winter Semester: Nomination 15 May Application 31 May
Visa (if necessary)	Students from the EU don't need to apply for a visa. Same applies for Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland (Schengen). Students from outside the EU will have to apply for a student visa. We strongly advise students to obtain their full student visa already in their home country. www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/visa
Health insurance	Students from members of the Schengen Area have to obtain a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) in their home country. Students from outside the Schengen Area will have to arrange for a German health insurance policy upon arrival. Please note: Travel insurance policies are not accepted!! www.hdm-stuttgart.de/english/exchange_students/health_insurance

DATES & EVENTS

International Week	26 – 30 November 2018 www.hdm-stuttgart.de/internationalday
FMX 2018	30 April – 3 May 2019 www.fmx.de
Drupa 2020	16 – 26 June 2020 www.drupa.de