

**FOR FURTHER GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT STUDIES  
AT JGU AND SOCIAL LIFE IN MAINZ**

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[WWW.AHS.UNI-MAINZ.DE](http://WWW.AHS.UNI-MAINZ.DE)

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STUDIERENDENWERK MAINZ

[WWW.STUDIERENDENWERK-MAINZ.DE](http://WWW.STUDIERENDENWERK-MAINZ.DE)

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[WWW.MAINZ.DE](http://WWW.MAINZ.DE)

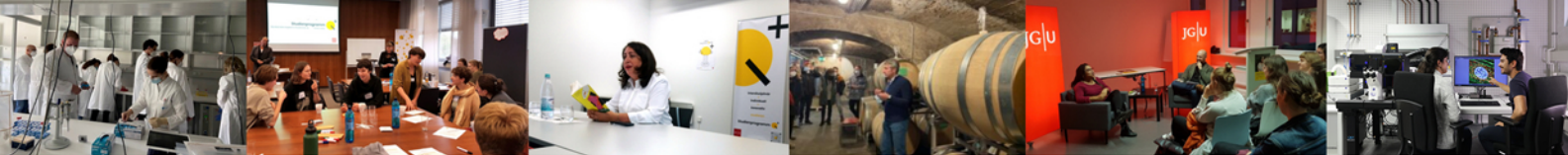


Interested in  
coming to JGU as an  
exchange student?

Experience the  
Gutenberg Spirit



**Study Program** 



## Welcome to Johannes Gutenberg University

The University of Mainz was founded in 1477 and has 30.000 students, making it one of the largest and oldest comprehensive universities in Germany. It was shut down during the Napoleonic Wars in 1792 and reopened in 1946 by the French. The University was named after the city's greatest son Johannes Gutenberg who invented the European art of printing in the 15th century.

**Study Program Q+** at JGU is a flexible, interdisciplinary supplement to the regular JGU degree programs, which allows students to expand their studies within a diverse group of students from all faculties. Together, we tackle current scientific and social issues.

<https://www.studyprogramqplus.uni-mainz.de/>

Since 2023, the Q+ program has established contacts and a partnership with the **School of Interdisciplinary Science and Innovation** at Kyushu University in Fukuoka/Japan.

The cooperation between the two universities offers joint online events and most importantly a student exchange on a regular basis. As a Japanese exchange student, you will be eligible to take part in Q+ courses, courses at Gutenberg International School (GIS), and regular courses in different disciplines at JGU.

### NOMINATION

To take part in the student exchange, Kyushu University (ISI) has to nominate you for the exchange places.

<https://www.international-office.uni-mainz.de/exchange/>

### ACADEMIC CALENDAR AND APPLICATION

**Official summer semester:** April 1 to September 30

**Lecture period:** mid-April to late July.

**Application:** open from mid-November to **January 15**

**Official winter semester:** October 1 to March 31

**Lecture period:** late October to mid-February

**Application:** open from mid-May to **July 15**

**Infodays** are meant to make your arrival in Mainz and on campus as smooth as possible.

<https://www.international-office.uni-mainz.de/infodays/>

**Gutenberg International School** provides exchange students with a broad range of courses in both German and English.

<https://www.international-office.uni-mainz.de/exchange/gis/>

**German Language Courses:** The Language Center of JGU offers an intensive language course prior to the beginning of classes and a language course during the lecture periods.

<https://issk-en.uni-mainz.de/>

**Accommodation:** Exchange students are eligible for student housing at the Studierendenwerk Mainz.

<https://www.studierendenwerk-mainz.de/en/wohnen>