StudiumPlus – THM’s Centre for Cooperative Degrees

HESSEN… a strong industrial region with hidden champions & global leaders in niche markets

Leica Camera, Pfeiffer Vacuum, Rittal, Schunk, Viessmann, …
StudiumPlus – THM’s Centre for Cooperative Degrees

1.000+ Partner companies

4.800+ Graduates

13.500+ m² Office and lecture spaces

1.800+ Students

500+ Lecturers

Nr. 1 Provider of coop degrees in Hessen
StudiumPlus – Structure

THM

- runs
  - Academic Centre for Cooperative Studies (ZDH)

Company

- joins
  - CompetenceCenter Cooperative Studies StudiumPlus e.V. (CCD)

StudiumPlus

- enrolls
  - Student
    - contracts, financial transactions, operational execution

- signs a contract
StudiumPlus – Course Scheme Bachelor

- **1st semester**
  - 1st internship
  - 1st internship in the company

- **2nd semester**
  - 2nd internship

- **3rd semester**
  - 3rd internship

- **4th semester**
  - 4th internship

- **5th semester**
  - 5th internship (elective courses)

- **6th semester**
  - 6th internship | traineeship | practice-oriented bachelor thesis
  - 4 x 2-day-courses

- **7th semester**
  - 7th semester block teaching | case studies
  - 7th semester | colloquium
StudiumPlus – Course Scheme Master

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Coop Study Programmes at a Glance – Bachelor

**Business Administration**
- Small and Medium-Sized Business Management
- Logistics Management
- Business Informatics
- Health Insurance Management

**Industrial Engineering**
- Electrical Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Sales

**Civil Engineering**
- Construction Management, Construction and Infrastructure
- Technical Building Equipment

**Mechanical Engineering**
- General Mechanical Engineering
- Moulding
- Hygienic Design
- Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Engineering

**Electrical Engineering**
- General Electrical Engineering
- Computer Engineering

**Software Technology**
- Data Science
- IT Security
- Software Development
Coop Study Programmes at a Glance – Master

Process Management
- Process Management
- Technical Processes

Systems Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

Technical Sales

Future Skills and Innovation

All our cooperative degree programmes (Bachelor and Master) are accredited by ZEvA Hannover and internationally acknowledged.
EIEM – European Industrial Experience Mittelhessen

⇒ the inbound path to our internships

We offer first-hand work experience in a German company to students of StudiumPlus partner universities.

Placements are offered for students of:

- Business Administration
- Mechanical Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Computer Science
- Civil Engineering / Architecture

Benefit from our partner companies’ and professors’ experience in supporting student placements.
EIEM – What’s on offer for students

Participants usually become exchange students of StudiumPlus/THM and their placement runs like one of our regular students practical phases:

- Work in a partner company with a team on projects
- Get support from a company supervisor
- Get support from a university professor
- Meet a buddy student for a smooth start in Germany
- Get support in finding a place to live

- Earn minimum € 600 per placement month (+ Erasmus)
- Gain up to 24 ECTS (regular programme)
- Gain up to 36 ECTS (extended compulsory placement)
- Intensive German course highly recommended (co-funded)
EIEM – Programme Structure

We have flexible solutions concerning length, starting date and combination with language course and/or study exchange semesters.

- October – December full-time placement (regular length)
- September intensive German course (highly recommended)
- Compulsory placements can be extended
- Alternative starting dates possible

- Language course at Justus Liebig University, Gießen
- September: 4 weeks = 4 ECTS (570 EUR THM rate)
  Alternatively March: 3 weeks = 3 ECTS
- Smooth start (help with insurance, enrolment, bank account, residence permit, local authority registration, …)
EIEM – Mix and Match

Make it work for you. Take advantage of the flexibility we offer. Start after a language course, a THM International Semester or anytime it suits you.

Varying ECTS for placements according to length:
- < 3 months: 10 ECTS
- < 20 weeks: 20 ECTS
- ≥ 20 weeks: 32 ECTS (compulsory placements only)

Combine EIEM and a study semester at THM (consecutively):
- English-taught modules: [go.thm.de/thinc](go.thm.de/thinc)
- Autumn semester: October – February
- Spring semester: April – July ([academic calendar](academic calendar))
EIEM – Application via StudiumPlus

Requirements

- German language level A2 or higher (exceptions possible)
- English language level B2 or higher
- Enrolment as a full-time student at a partner university of StudiumPlus/THM during the EIEM programme
- non-EU nationals from non-EU/Erasmus+ universities:
  - Second year of studies completed
  - Proof of additional funding of 335 €/month

Application

- Application form (go.thm.de/eiem)
- Letter of motivation in English and German
- CV in English and German
- Transcript of Records
- Language certificates for English and German
- Copy of passport

Application Deadline: 31st March or 5 months ahead of alternative dates
Nomination: two weeks before through sending International Office via SoleMove
EIEM – Partner Companies

BRAUN
CHRISTMANN & PFEIFER
CLOOS
Weld your way.
CRS medical
KAMAX
elkamet
ille
ISI HOME
Jedes Haus ein Unikat.
Leica
Peikko
PFEIFFER
VACUUM
RITTAL
Roth
Schunk
VIESSMANN
Testimonials

I'm one hundred percent sure that it was the best decision to come to Hessen for my semester abroad.

Karolina, Business
Edinburgh Napier Univ., UK

The EIEM program was a fantastic experience and I would recommend it to anyone interested in trying to grow out of their comfort zone.

Eduardo, Mechanical Eng.
Arkansas Technical Univ., USA

Joining EIEM has been one of the best decisions in my life, I acquired many professional skills, improved my German and English and I have made a lot of friends there.

Francisco, Business
Huelva University, Spain

I was initially quite hesitant about studying abroad, but now I've finished it, I can say it was worth every second. Giessen has a great student atmosphere and is a beautiful city.

Sean, IT
University of Essex, UK
For More Information Please Go to

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