Preparations before you arrive

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Preparations before your arrival in Konstanz

Accommodation / Seezeit Student Residences

No moving in possible on October 1st, 2nd (Weekend) and 3rd (Public holiday)

Next steps for moving in the Seezeit Student Residences.

- Arrange move-in date and time with tenant service (Mieterservice)
- Can’t be there in time? Impossible date?
  - Book temporary accommodation
  - Authorization for room handover (Buddy?)
  - Provide own pillow, blanket and sheets. Order with Mieterservice for 45 Euros (deducted from deposit)
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Accommodation / Seezeit Student Residences

Cancellations
Deposit of 550 € =
500 € refundable deposit + 50€ non-refundable processing fee

Cancellation deadline:
Rental starting 1 September: **15 August** : 500 € (minus transfer fee) will be refunded

Rental starting 1 October: **15 September** : 500 € (minus transfer fee) will be refunded
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- Check private residential market
- Apply through Seezeit’s regular process.
- Check Seezeit’s Zimmerbörse
- Check housing offer Humboldt Institute Konstanz
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Proof of financial resources for non-EU/EEA students

You need to prove that you have sufficient funds to finance your stay in Germany

Currently: 934 € per month

4 Possibilities accepted as an official proof by immigration authorities:

1. A formal written commitment from relatives or acquaintances submitted to a German Diplomatic Mission abroad or Local Immigration Office in Germany
2. Blocked account opened at a German bank
3. Scholarship confirmation (monthly!)
4. A written confirmation of financial support from your parents
Uni Konstanz e-mail account

Data sheet with @uni-konstanz.de e-mail account

ZEuS = platform for study organization, exam preparation, course catalogue, alumni, job offers
ILIAS = e-learning platform
SoGo = e-mail software
Eduroam = WiFi on campus

- All important data in uni database and your uni email + initial password
- Your uni email gives you access to all student related databases
- 2 initial TAN’s (registering for examinations/assessments)
- Original document includes semester sticker for UniCard
Eduroam = WiFi on campus and Seezeit student residences

- Please install Eduroam on all your devices **before** coming to Konstanz
- If home university uses Eduroam, you can use it in Konstanz too
- Note: Internet needed to install Eduroam app > bring data
- KIM-Support: [support@uni-konstanz.de](mailto:support@uni-konstanz.de)
## Get a bank account

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### Das Junge Konto
Free for EU/EEA students to the age of and including 30 years.
**Open account online:**
[www.deutsche-bank.de](http://www.deutsche-bank.de) - Das Junge Konto
(Konto und Karte -> Girokonto -> Das Junge Konto)
(Online application only in German)

### Giro Trend Plus (3,50 EUR/month)
For students to the age of and including 28 years.
**Open account online:**
https://www.sparkasse-bodensee.de/de/home/privatkunden/girokonto/girokonto-online/antrag.html
(Online application only in German)

### AktivKonto (6,90 EUR/month)
Non-EU/EEA students or students 30 years and older:
**Open account online:**
[www.deutsche-bank.de](http://www.deutsche-bank.de) - AktivKonto
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### N 26
Free for all persons.
**Open account online:**
[https://get.n26.com](https://get.n26.com)

### Tomorrow
Tomorrow – the sustainable bank account
3 EUR/month for basic checking account NOW.
**Open account online:**
[https://www.tomorrow.one/en-de/](https://www.tomorrow.one/en-de/)

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### Monese instant account
Free for all persons.
**Open account online:**
[https://monese.com/de/en](https://monese.com/de/en)

### Revolut Standard
Free for all persons.
**Open account online:**
[https://www.revolut.com](https://www.revolut.com)
Mobility Online

Why should I use it? What are the perks? What does the IO do with my data and documents?

• Mobility online helps us supporting you with the organisation of all non-academic matters around your study-stay in Konstanz

• You have easy access to all the documents you need – we do too, so we can help you in administrative matters, e. g. at the foreigners’ office

• Personal data will not be shared without your authorization
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Mobility Online - Formalities

before arrival:

☑️ passport/personal ID

☑️ Non-EU students – residence permit:
  • health insurance membership certificate
  • financial proof
  • admission letter
  • visa

after arrival:

☑️ Register with the city: confirmation of landlord (private accommodation)

Non-EU students – residence permit:

☑️ entry stamp
  • (enrollment certificate with end of studies)
Individual advising sessions – documents‘ check

Wednesday, 12 October: 13:30 – 16:30 hrs
Thursday, 13 October: 10 – 12 & 15-17 hrs

☑ Book your appointment

☑ Complete uploads in Mobility Online
Arrival in Konstanz
(before the start of your orientation programme)

Things to do upon arrival in Konstanz

- Meet your buddy
- Move into accommodation
- Get your move-in confirmation from the private landlord for the municipal registration (Bürgerbüro)
- Explore residence and city
- Arrange an appointment with International Office
OriPro Master - Orientation Programme

OriPro Master 2022 (06. - 11.10.2022)

- Orientation Programme
  - orientation on campus
  - formalities
  - intercultural communication
  - life & study in Germany
  - working in Germany
  - meet people & discover
- free of charge
- morning and afternoon sessions
- first day:
  8:45-9:30 am register
- 9:30 opening ceremony

OriPro Master 2022
starts: Thur, 6.10.
from 8:45 am
For both: What else is important...

• The buddies are volunteers, i.e. your buddy does not receive any money for the activity.

• We are sure that your buddy is trying very hard to support you. If things don't go according to plan, please be patient with each other and have the courage to improvise.

• Clarify at the beginning which language or languages you would like to use

• If either the buddy or the international does not respond to requests, please let us know. We will then try to offer a new match.

• Please do not hesitate to contact us if there are any questions or problems.
Course selection

• No need to register for classes of study programme
  Instead: Go to introductory meeting of study programme during introduction week: 10.-21.10.2022

  ➢ Guide for new students  = “Studienstarter”
  ➢ Fresher’s website of the department

• start of classes: Monday, 24.10.2022

• German language classes at all levels:
  assessment test in October required >
  check with the University Language Centre (Sprachlehrinstitut - SLI)
Get connected

Mingle & socialize with other students!!!

Join the Discord server
(from students for students)

Konstanz Students 2022
https://discord.gg/PEy9JBcgTR
**Remember:**

- Please check your emails **regularly** for emails from the University of Konstanz or Seezeit (also spam folder)!

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*International Office | Online-Seminar 26.09.2022*
Any questions?

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