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Based on more than 70 000 evaluations from students and alumni, the online portal **Studycheck.de** annually selects the most popular universities. In 2021 and 2022, the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt was awarded the title of most popular university in Germany. **98 percent of students would recommend it to their friends.**

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## Study at the KU Gain more than just a degree!

I am very happy that you are interested in studying at the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt! Situated in the very heart of Bavaria, our University is a **place of quality learning and living.**

We have programs that will give you more than just a degree.

For one thing, our students enjoy learning in a friendly and informal atmosphere and profit from the personal support and supervision of our lecturers. Not only is our University excellently equipped, we also have more than 300 partner universities. We do not merely want to impart knowledge: Our focus is on your personal growth and social skills. Together, let's embrace our responsibility as active members of society!

The agony of choice - we all know how difficult it is to decide on what to study and where to do it. In this leaflet we would like to



give you an overview on our degree programs and the excellent conditions that our students enjoy at the KU. I would like to invite you: Come visit our campus and see **Germany's most popular university** for yourself. In 2021 and 2022, we were given that title thanks to the many positive evaluations of our students.

What is so characteristic about studying with us is the close cooperation between students, lecturers and student services. So, please feel free to contact us, if you have any questions. You can talk to our Student Advisory Service or to the degree program or faculty you're interested in.

I hope that we will meet soon on our Eichstätt or Ingolstadt campus. Welcome to the KU!

*Prof. Dr. Gabriele Gien  
President of the Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt*

## The KU at a glance

The Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt (KU) is a state-recognized university under church sponsorship. It is the **only catholic university** in Germany, and is open to students of all religious denominations and confessions as well as to students of no religious affiliation. Our degrees are equivalent to those of any other state-run university.

At the KU, **tradition meets modernity**: In 2020, the KU celebrated its 40th birthday, but its history dates back more than 450 years.



The KU has roughly 5000 students, about 1000 of them at the Ingolstadt campus, where the WFI School of Management is located.

At the KU, you can choose from over **100 degree programs and combinable subjects** - ranging from languages to politics and history, to psychology and educational science, journalism, geography, mathematics, social work or theology and ethics studies. In Eichstätt, you can also get a teaching degree for a range of different school types.



Where tradition meets modernity: The Central Library by star architect Günter Behnisch (left) and the baroque Sommerresidenz building.

## Study programs at a glance

### GEOGRAPHY

B.Sc. Geography  
M.A. Education for Sustainable Development  
M.Sc. Tourism and Sustainable Regional Development<sup>1</sup>  
M.Sc. Environmental Processes and Natural Hazards

### POLITICS AND SOCIETY

B.A. Politics and Society  
B.A. / M.A. Political Science (German-French)<sup>1</sup>  
B.A. International Sociology<sup>1</sup>  
M.A. International Relations<sup>1</sup>  
M.A. Conflict, Memory & Peace<sup>1,2</sup>  
M.A. Flight, Migration, Society

History, European Ethnology, Political Science and Sociology as an interdisciplinary B.A./M.A. or teaching degree

### LEHRAMT Plus

teaching degrees for school types from elementary to high school:  
*Grundschule, Mittelschule, Realschule and Gymnasium*

### MATHEMATICS

B.Sc./M.Sc. Mathematics  
B.Sc. Data Science

### MUSIC, ART & CULTURE

B.A. Applied Musicology and Music Education  
M.A. Inclusive Music Education/Community Music  
B.A. / M.A. Aisthesis. Culture and Media  
M.A. Art at Christian and private schools

Classical Archaeology, Art History and Visual Culture, Art Education and Art Didactics, Music and Theater Education as an interdisciplinary B.A., M.A. or teaching degree

### PHILOSOPHY & THEOLOGY

Magister Catholic Theology  
B.A. Religious Education  
B.A./M.A. Philosophy  
Philosophy/Ethics as part of a teaching degree

### PSYCHOLOGY & EDUCATION STUDIES

M.Sc. Business & Psychology<sup>2</sup>  
B.A. Education  
B.Sc./M.Sc. Psychology  
School psychology as part of a teaching degree

<sup>1</sup> joint double degree (studies at two universities)

### SOCIAL WORK

B.A./M.A. Social Work (FH)  
M.A. Community Informatics (FH) - for working professionals  
B.Sc. Nursing Science (FH) - for working professionals

### LANGUAGES & LITERATURE

B.A. / M.A. European Studies  
B.A. / M.A. Journalism  
B.A. Latin American Studies  
M.A. InterculturAd - Intercultural Advertising (German and Finnish)<sup>1</sup>  
B.A./B.Sc. Romance Studies-Economics-Geography

Languages as an interdisciplinary B.A., M.A. or teaching degree:  
English/American Studies, German as a Second Language, French Studies, German Studies, Spanish Studies, Italian Studies, Latin Studies (Classical Philology)

### BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

B.Sc. Business  
our specializations: Management and Marketing, Financial Management, Business and Economics, Business and Psychology  
M.Sc. Business (various different specializations)<sup>2</sup>  
M.Sc. International Business<sup>1,2</sup>  
B.Sc. Digital & Data-Driven Business  
M.Sc. Business & Psychology<sup>2</sup>  
B.Sc. Sustainability in Business & Economics  
M.Sc. Taxation  
Master of Business Administration - for working professionals

<sup>2</sup> Degree programs in English

## More Details

### Any queries about studying at the KU?

KU Student Advisory Service  
Web: [www.ku.de/en/international/international-students](http://www.ku.de/en/international/international-students)  
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### Get to know the KU online:

- ▶ [www.ku.de/en/campustour](http://www.ku.de/en/campustour)
- ▶ [www.ku.de/en/study-at-the-ku](http://www.ku.de/en/study-at-the-ku)

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# 10 good reasons for studying at the KU



## Wide range of programs

With over **100 different degree programs** and combinable subjects, the KU has something to offer for everyone's talents and interests. Our interdisciplinary Bachelor's and Master's let students choose from a wide range of subjects and tailor their programs to their individual focus.



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## Excellence in teaching

The online portal Studycheck.de has named the KU among the 10 highest-ranking German universities for years. In 2021 and 2022, the excellent evaluations of its students led to the KU being voted the most popular German university. Other rankings, such as the CHE University Ranking, regularly name the KU in the **top ranks.**



## Strong research

Good scientific practice, open dialog, critical thinking and cooperation beyond disciplines - those are some of the qualities that distinguish research at the KU. Academic findings can help create solutions for the **challenges our society faces.** 500 scientists conduct research at the KU at chairs and in intradisciplinary and extramural institutes.



## Attractive locations

**Eichstätt** is situated in the heart of the Altmühltal Nature Park. With its 15,000 inhabitants, it is the smallest university town in the whole of Europe. The campus is sprawled across the bustling old town with its mixture of magnificent baroque buildings and modern architecture. A high quality of life, the lowest unemployment rate in Germany and low rents make the city attractive not only to students. The city of **Ingolstadt** can look back on 1200 years of history and nowadays is the center of a region with a strong economy with well-known companies such as Audi, Airbus and Media-Saturn. The city and the surrounding countryside offer a wide range of leisure activities and our campus is located right next to the city center.



## Individual support

Studying at the KU means you will learn and live in a **friendly atmosphere.** There are small groups instead of crowded lecture halls and students profit from close personal contacts and individual counseling sessions rather than facing the anonymous administration of a larger university. We can achieve this excellent teacher-student ratio thanks to our 500 full-time lecturers and 300 lecturers from practical fields.



## International networking

Foreign students provide us with intercultural and international exchange. Our **worldwide partnerships** give our students the chance to go abroad for an entire semester or for the duration of an internship or even to get a double degree in one of our international programs.



## Excellent facilities

The KU provides its students with the best possible infrastructure. Our cafeteria, the canteen and the sports center cater to your physical needs. And our library, IT center and language center offer you the **resources you need for education and training.**



## Green campus

It's not just parks and rivers that make us a green university. The KU is also a **sustainable university** - so far the only one in Germany to have been awarded the EU's EMASplus certificate. Specific programs and electives promote knowledge and skills that enable students to grasp sustainability in all its aspects.



## Living your values

The KU sees itself as an academic community that is founded on the Christian concept of humanity and on **Christian values.** This is the basis on which the KU undertakes to hone students' academic knowledge and social skills. It respects the freedom of research and teaching and promotes honest communication and critical thinking.



## Family-friendly environment

The KU is committed to the compatibility of family and university by offering nappy changing stations, a playground, and its own **daycare center** on campus. Students who have children can take some semesters off and some of our degree programs can be taken as part-time programs.

