A Very Short
Introduction to
Studying
English at
Saarland
University

A warm welcome from the English Department!



What you need to know...

- 1) Help/Advice
- Information on the English Department and our courses
- 3) How to register for our courses
- 4) The online platforms we use: Moodle and MS Teams
- 5) What's a "Schein"??
- 6) Improving your English and/or German...

Who can help you in the English Department?

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Student Council / Fachschaftsrat Anglistik (general questions on student life,...)

<u>fachschaftanglistiksb@googlemail.com</u> or on Facebook

Who else can Help?

Our international office – especially if you have questions about administrative matters and your transcript of records

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https://www.unisaarland.de/international/out/io.html

Information on the English Department

- Our website: www.uni-saarland.de/anglistik
- Don't forget to check the departmental website for updates and information.
- You need to register for (some) exams via the departmental website, e.g. the Language and Use exams.
- There is a section for incoming Erasmus students on our website!
- Facebook: Pages and groups, e.g. North American Literary and Cultural Studies, Sprachpraxis,...
- Twitter: Follow us @ang_saar

Courses in the English Department

Literature and Culture:

BritLitCult – Prof. Dr. Joachim Frenk

NamLitCult – Prof. Dr. Astrid Fellner

- Linguistics: Prof. Dr. Remus Gergel
- Language Teaching (go-to person: Daniel Honert)
- Cultural Studies (go-to person: Henry Rademacher)
- Teaching courses (Didactics) only if you are studying to become a teacher in your home country (go-to person: Alice Spitz)

Registering for a course via our online course catalogue LSF

- You need a UDS student id: username/password (UdS "Kennung" – e.g. s8hemi)
- We use the online platform LSF for registration:

https://www.lsf.uni-saarland.de/

- Log in with your UdS student id.
- Click on "belegen/abmelden" (register / deregister).
- If you've signed up for the wrong course or if you change your mind, please sign out again so other people can take your place.



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If you haven't received your student id / log-on details yet...

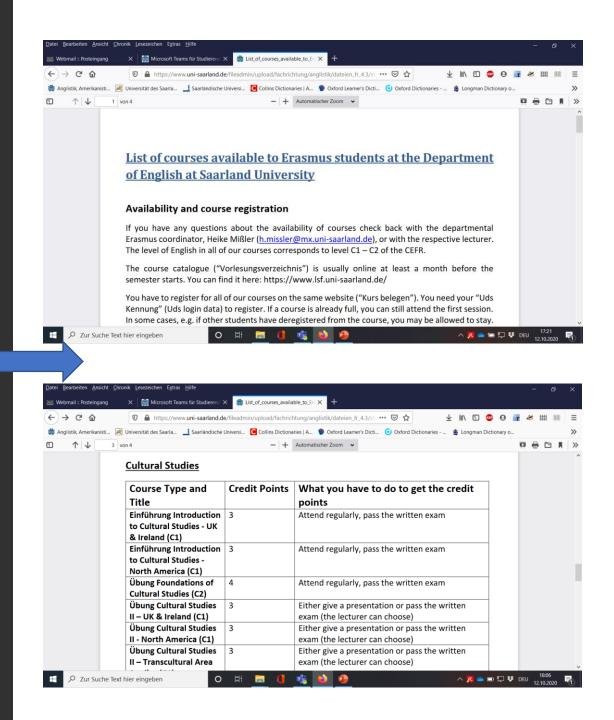
- Don't panic.
- Send an email to your lecturers and ask if you can take their course.
- Be there in the first session or send them an email to explain why you cannot be present in the first week.
- Register for the course as soon as you have your log-on details.

Moodle and MS Teams

- We use Moodle and MS Teams as learning platforms/online tools for teaching.
- You can access Moodle here: https://lms.sulb.uni-saarland.de/moodle/
- For some Moodle courses you might need an enrolment key: ask your lecturer.
- You can use MS Teams (part of the Microsoft Office package) in your browser or download the app: https://teams.microsoft.com
- Further information about MS Teams is available on the university website.

What's a Schein?

- Schein = certificate which proves that you've completed a course
- Check out this helpful document (available on our website – under "Student Services" and "Information for Incoming Erasmus Students" and on my office door)
- If you need the Schein asap after courses end, please let your lecturers know in advance
- You are responsible for collecting your certificates from your lecturers and forwarding them to the International Office, where your transcript of records will be issued.



Improving your English and/or your German...

- Take courses at the university's language center (Sprachenzentrum) - depending on your level, this might be a suitable alternative or addition to our courses.
- Meet new people via the university's Welcome Centre and ZiS (Zentrum für international Studierende).
- Go to one of the Irish pubs on St. Johanner Markt or head straight to the bars and restaurants in Nauwieser Viertel.

Questions?