

Excursions

On several occasions students will explore different aspects of Freiburg as a “Green City” – they will visit sustainable living communities in Vauban and in Rieselfeld, explore renewable energy in the Black Forest, learn about electrical power projects for developing countries, tour the city of Freiburg, and examine its sustainable urban design and public transportation system.



Dates of the Program

The dates of this study abroad program correspond with the dates for the Goethe Institute’s intensive 4-week language program in June 2018:
June 2—June 29, 2018.



Cost of the Program

All students pay three fees:

Program Fee: approx. \$2,500.00

Covers accommodations, Goethe Institute courses, in-country ground transportation, meal allowance,, international health insurance, excursion fees, and other program-related expenses.

Airfare: \$1600-1800

Tuition: approx. \$318/credit hour. (*rates are set in April for Summer courses*) plus UGA fees.

UGA students with federal or state financial aid, including Hope or Zell Miller, may use their financial aid to study abroad. Contact the Student Financial Aid office for more information.

Scholarships: We expect to have 15 travel scholarships of \$1,000 each from the Max Kade Foundation for students participating in the Freiburg program. Other travel grants are available for students from the department’s Kicklighter Fund. Please see our website for information on these and other scholarship opportunities: www.gsstudies.uga.edu



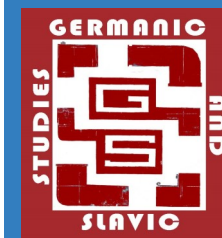
Program Timeline

Applications due: January 19, 2018

Classes begin: June 4
(students must arrive by June 2)

Classes end: June 29

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Study Abroad in Freiburg: Germany’s “Green City”



Learn German in Germany!

The Freiburg Study Abroad program is designed for students who want to learn German language skills and study German culture while having a transformative experience abroad.

While intensive study immerses students in German language, the program also offers a German culture course (GRMN 3550). This course is taught in English and focuses on the sustainable energy practices used in and around Freiburg and exposes students to new and progressive ideas in environmentalism and renewable resources.

Faculty

Dr. Heide Crawford is the Director of the program and will teach GRMN 3550. Dr. Crawford has a Ph.D in German and a BA in Environmental Studies. Contact Dr. Crawford for more information: hacraw@uga.edu



Credits and Courses

German language courses will be available for students—from beginner to intermediate.



GRMN 1001 - *Elementary German I.* Fundamentals of grammar, pronunciation, conversation, reading and writing. (4 credit hours)

GRMN 1002 - *Elementary German II.* Continuation of German 1001. Prerequisite: GRMN 1001. (4 credit hours)

GRMN 2001 - *Intermediate German I.* Topic-oriented course that focuses on contemporary German culture and society. Review of grammar, vocabulary building, practice in speaking, reading, writing and listening. Prerequisite: GRMN 1002, 1110 or 1140H. (3 credit hours)

GRMN 2002 - *Intermediate German II.* Continuation of GRMN 2001. Prerequisite: GRMN 2001. (3 credit hours)

GRMN 3010 - *Language: Culture and Society I.* Conversation & composition. Prerequisite: GRMN 2002 or 2110. (3 credit hours)

GRMN 4001 - *Advanced German Conversation and Composition.* Vocabulary building and review of grammar. (3 credit hours)

GRMN 3550 - *Contemporary Issues in German Culture, Society and Literature.* Focuses on the theme “Freiburg: Green City.” History of the environmental movement in Germany, and locally, in Freiburg. Taught in English. (3 credit hours)



Why Freiburg?

Freiburg im Breisgau, a city of 230,000, is located in southwestern Germany near the French and Swiss borders. This area of Germany is known for its wonderful climate, distinctive medieval architecture, lively cultural scene, and thriving university. Freiburg manages to combine the aesthetics of a flourishing medieval city with those of a modern, cosmopolitan university town.

The Goethe Institute in Freiburg has offered German language courses for foreign students for 40 years. Students will take their language courses (GRMN 1001, 1002, 2001, 2002, 3010 or 4001) at this language institute in a 4-week intensive program.

Freiburg’s environmental approach to growth and extensive use of renewable sources of energy make it a unique cultural destination. Freiburg is known as an “eco-city,” and the nearby communities of Vauban and Rieselfeld were built with sustainability in mind.

