University		
University Info	University of Leoben http://www.unileoben.ac.at	
International Relations Office	http://www.unileoben.ac.at/ir	
Language of Instruction	Courses are usually taught in German, 20% of the courses are taught in English, many in English on request	
Introduction	The University of Leoben is a technical university and was founded in 1840. The University of Leoben has set the main focal points of its strategic direction in its Plan of Development.	
Main building	Geosciences Mining Petroleum Engineering Ceramics Processing Waste Management Disposal, Industrial Environmental Protection, Process Metallurgy, Ceramics Non-ferrous Metallurgy Chemistry of Polymeric Materials, Building Materials, Building	
	Geosciences Mining Petroleum Engineering Ceramics Processing Waste Management Disposal, Industrial Environmental Protection, Process Engineering Cross-sectional fields of natural, engineering and economic sciences	
Commencement	Mechanical Engineering Conveying Technology Designing Plastics Light-weight Construction Metal Forming Plastic Processing Casting Processing/Production Metallurgy Material Physics Functional Ceramics Polymer Engineering and Science Metal Forming Plastic Processing Casting	
View from above Library	The University of Leoben sees itself with its core competencies along the value added chain from the extraction of raw materials and their preparation, production processes, materials development, manufacturing, building components/plants up to recycling and deposition. It considers its main task for the future to be the establishment of sustainability in the value added chain. The scientific foundation of our research profile encompasses natural, engineering and economic sciences.	



Minerals Collection



View on Leoben center

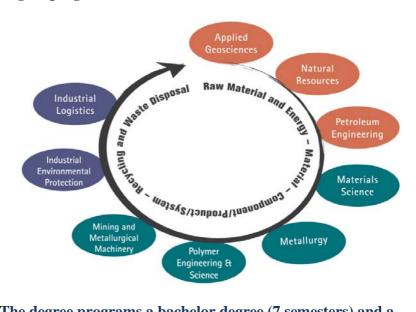


Peter Tunner Building Geosciences

We subscribe to basic and applied research at the highest level and consider it to be self evident that the University is in the very highest international ranking in teaching and research. Research is being carried out in the defined central areas of focus:

- Mineral Resources
- High Performance Materials
- Sustainable Production and Technology

Degree programs:



The degree programs a bachelor degree (7 semesters) and a master degree (3 semesters). PhD: 6 semesters.

Terms of Exchange	
Types of Exchange	Undergraduate and graduate level
Period	Spring semester: mid-February to June 30
	Fall semester: Oct.1 to mid-February
On-campus Housing	On-campus housing is provided. However, most students live
	off-campus. Housing is provided for exchange students by
	International Relations Office

Application Deadline			
Deadline for student exchange	Nov.1 for spring semester		
application	June 1 for fall semester		
Deadline for degree program	Feb.1 for spring semester		
application	Sept.1 for fall semester		
	Apply as early as possible, the processing of visa or residence		
	permit also takes time		

Application Procedure	S
Prospective Exchange Students	Contact your international or study abroad office
Language of Instruction	Mainly German, for exchange students English on request
German Proficiency	Level B1
When will students receive	
their acceptance package?	6 weeks after application was submitted to Leoben

Course Registration	n and Academic Information		
Semester Dates	Fall semester: Oct.1 to mid-February		
	Spring semester: mid-February to June 30		
Academic Calender	For details contact: www.unileoben.ac.at/ir		
Study Programs	Applied Geosciences		
	Mineral Resources		
	Petroleum Engineering		
	Materials Science		
	Metallurgy		
	Polymer Engineering & Science		
	Mining and Metallurgical Machinery		
	Industrial Environmental Protection		
	Industrial Logistics		
	Industrial Energy Technology		
Workload per semester	4 - 5 courses, select more in case a course is cancelled or full		
Grading system	1(A) = very good		
	2 (B) = good		
	3 (C) = satisfactory		
	4 (D/E) = sufficient		
	5 (F/FX) = fail		

Academic Transcripts	Can be picked up at the Registrar's Office or are mailed to		
	partner university by International Office		

Accomodation	
Is on-campus accomodation available to exchange students?	Yes, but limited number of placements. Off-campus accommodation available and provided to exchange students
When can exchange students move-in to the Hall of Residence?	Arranged individually
Period of stay for on-campus accomodation	One or two semesters
Cost of on-campus accomodation per month	Varies depending on residence hall, approximately 250 - 300 €month
Off-campus accomodation	Costs depend on type of accommodation, 250 -300 €month
When to make payment for accomodation	Monthly rent at beginning of month

Visa and Finances	
Entry Visa	Please inform yourself at the Austrian consulate or embassy in your home country, visit website: www.bmeia.gv.at/index.php?id=8&L=1, under country information
Health Insurance	All students must pay the Student Union fee (approx. 19 €) which includes accident and liability insurance. If you cannot provide extensive health coverage from your home country you must register for Austrian student health insurance with a monthly fee of about 50 €

Is there any bank on campus?	Not on campus but many in the vicinity
Must I open a bank account	Not necessarily but it is recommended, free of charge
while I study in Leoben?	
What are the acceptable Credit	Diners and Visa, but in smaller shops and restaurants you
cards/banks in Leoben?	must pay cash
Services available to exchange	Orientation day, sports facilities and courses (fee), language
students	and conversation courses, student union

Estimated Cost of 1	Living
Food/meals	Depends on needs, 200 € month
Local transportation	Usually not necessary
Academic and personal expenses	Depends on needs, 270 €month

Arrival/Orientation Program		rogram	
When	should I arrive?	One week	x prior to registration is recommended
Is airp	port reception available	No, directions how to get to Leoben are sent with the admission package	
Orien	tation Program	Yes	

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