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## Akademisches Auslandsamt / International Office

### International Welcome Week Summer Semester 2022 (hybrid)

Dear new students,

We would like you to have a comfortable and enjoyable start in Magdeburg. This is why the IKUS initiative (Intercultural students), the International Office and the Studentenwerk have organised the International Welcome Week for the summer semester 2022 for the new international and German students. This is an opportunity for you to get to know the university and the city of Magdeburg as your place of study. You are cordially invited to join the orientation activities!

During our IKUS office hours, we will help you with any questions about the university and living in Magdeburg. For further information, please visit us on Facebook (IKUS Magdeburg) or on our website [www.ikus.ovgu.de](http://www.ikus.ovgu.de) or email us at [ikus@ovgu.de](mailto:ikus@ovgu.de). For the latest information about the Welcome Week program and events during the semester, we recommend our app "Welcome to OVGU" (available for Android and iOS). All Zoom links for our presentations can be found at [www.ikus.ovgu.de](http://www.ikus.ovgu.de).

**Our Recommendation:** We recommend to arrive in Magdeburg even before the Welcome Week starts, not only for you to get adjusted to the city of Magdeburg, but also because you will have to complete some tasks (e.g. enrolment or other administrative works) before the semester begins. On the **1st of April 2022**, an Introduction Day will be held to welcome the new students to the university. Within the framework of this day, various events of the faculties will take place. Detailed information can be found at [www.ovgu.de/en/introduction\\_day](http://www.ovgu.de/en/introduction_day)

**Attention:** Special regulations apply to entry and quarantine for travelers from high-risk and virus mutation areas. Please inform yourself directly **BEFORE starting your journey**, when you register for arrival online on the website [www.einreiseanmeldung.de](http://www.einreiseanmeldung.de), which specific measures apply to you. **It is important to note that in the case of a quarantine requirement (10 days if you arrive from a high-risk area, 14 days if you arrive from a virus mutation area), one has to first complete the quarantine completely before being allowed to participate in daily life or in events, which are held in physical presence. Of course, the regulations valid at the time of arrival have to always be observed!** Further information on the current high-risk areas and on the subject of quarantine can be found online at: [https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges\\_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete\\_neu.html](https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete_neu.html).

\* These events will take place in presence. Due to the pandemic situation, the venue may change at short notice and will be announced before the event at [www.ikus.ovgu.de](http://www.ikus.ovgu.de) and in our app "Welcome to OVGU"! The 2G rule (vaccinated, recovered) applies to all events with personal attendance! Please note the current regulations.

Required registrations take place exclusively via our app "Welcome to OVGU"!

#### Tuesday

12:00 – 2:00 pm

#### 22. March 2022

IKUS office hours, via Zoom

Possibility of additional individual counseling between 5:00-7:00 pm, Registration via [ikus@ovgu.de](mailto:ikus@ovgu.de)

#### Thursday

12:00 – 2:00 pm

#### 24. March 2022

IKUS office hours, via Zoom

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### Monday

10:00 – 11:00 am  
12:00 – 2:00 pm  
2:30 – 3:30 pm  
4:30 – 5:30 pm

### 28. March 2022

LSF-Workshop: Information regarding designing timetables, exam-registration, etc. (English), via Zoom  
IKUS office hours, via Zoom  
Guided Campus-Tour (English/German), Registration via app, Meeting point: in front of canteen (Mensa)\*  
Information Session "First Steps in Magdeburg" (English/German), via Zoom

### Tuesday

10:00 – 11:00 am  
12:00 – 2:00 pm  
3:00 – 4:00 pm  
7:00 – 10:00 pm

### 29. March 2022

Information Session „Life and housing in Magdeburg“ (German/English), via Zoom  
Guided tour of the Green Citadel (Hundertwasserhaus), Registration via app, Meeting point: IKT \*  
Introduction to the library system, via Zoom  
KICKUS<sub>online</sub> Game Night, via Zoom

### Wednesday

10:00 – 11:00 am  
12:00 – 2:00 pm  
12:30 – 3:00 pm  
4:30 – 5:30 pm

### 30. March 2022

LSF-Workshop: Information regarding designing timetables, exam-registration, etc. (German), via Zoom  
IKUS office hours, via Zoom  
City cruise on the Elbe with Weiße Flotte, Registration via app, Meeting point: IKT \*  
Information Session “Living in the Dormitories” (English/German), via Zoom

### Thursday

10:00 – 11:00 am  
12:00 – 1:00 pm  
2:00 – 4:30 pm  
6:00 – 9:00 pm

### 31. March 2022

Information Session “Living in the Dormitories” (English/German), via Zoom  
Digital introduction round of student organizations, via Zoom  
Guided City Tour (English/German), Registration via app, Meeting Point: IKT \*  
Online Escape Room (English), Registration via app, via Zoom

### Friday

**Please watch out for events hosted by your faculty as part of the Introduction Day. More information can be found here: [www.ovgu.de/en/introduction\\_day](http://www.ovgu.de/en/introduction_day)**

10:00 – 12:30 am  
12:00 – 2:00 pm  
3:00 – 5:00 pm  
5:30 – 6:30 pm  
7:00 – 10:00 pm

### 01. April 2022

Intercultural Training "Survival Workshop: Living and Studying in Germany" (English), Registration via app, via Zoom  
IKUS office hours, via Zoom  
Guided tour of Magdeburg Cathedral (English), Registration via app, Meeting point: IKT \*  
LSF-Workshop: Information regarding designing timetables, exam-registration, etc. (English), via Zoom  
Documentation Film Night within the scope of Earth Month, Documentation: „Thank you for the rain“ (English with subtitles), Registration via app, Meeting point: Building 15, Lecture Hall 5 \*

### Saturday

11:00 – 12:00 am  
2:00 – 4:30 pm  
5:00 – 8:00 pm

### 02. April 2022

Information Session "First Steps in Magdeburg" (English/German), via Zoom  
Visiting the Elbauenpark with guided tour and summer toboggan run, Registration via app, Meeting point: IKT \*  
Get-together of RIA's Buddy program with barbecue, Registration via app, Meeting point: Nordpark \*