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**ISU KASSEL**  
June 20 – July 18, 2015  
University of Kassel

Engineering Module: Adaptation Strategies to Climate Change, Environmental Engineering and Renewable Energies, Earthquake Engineering  
// Culture Module: German History and Politics, German Fairy Tales: Looking Glass of Society, Intercultural Communication  
// Nano Module: Nano Science, Intercultural Communication

**ISU MARBURG**  
July 18 – August 15, 2015  
University of Marburg

Europe and the Middle East in Transition.  
Four study modules will provide multiple perspectives on the above topic:  
– Politics / International Relations  
– Business / Economics  
– Cultural Studies / Sociology  
– EU – Germany – Middle East  
In each module two seminars and a supplement course are offered.

**ISU FRANKFURT**  
July 19 – August 15, 2015  
Goethe University and University of Applied Sciences Frankfurt am Main

European Studies or Finance – choose one out of two seminar tracks. Seminar topics include: History of European Integration, European Central Banking, European Economic and Social Policy, Money and Macroeconomics, Finance and Law, Financial Markets.

**ISU GIESEN**  
July 18 – August 15, 2015  
Justus Liebig University Giessen

Intellectual Property and Biotechnology – Linking Law, Business and Science.  

**ISU FULDA**  
July 18 – August 15, 2015  
Fulda University of Applied Sciences

Cultural Diversity! Making the unfamiliar familiar.  
Choose one out of five seminars:  
– Was ist Deutschland?  
– Social Work – Poverty  
– Music Therapy  
– International Health Aspects of Stress Management  
– Intercultural Communication and Migration

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Study Program
The content of the study program varies according to the profile of each university. Most courses are taught in English, some Hessen:ISU programs also offer courses taught in German.

Faculty
The Hessen:ISU program faculty consists of experts in their individual fields. They come from the participating Hessen universities and their international partners.

Language Courses
In addition to the study program, Hessen:ISUs provide the opportunity to learn German. There is no more effective way to learn German than to learn it in Germany and to be able to practice it in your daily life. Hessen:ISUs offer German language classes for varying levels of competency to cater to those who have never learnt German and to those who want to improve their language skills.

Course Credits
Upon successful completion of the program, you will receive credits based on the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS). For each seminar/module (including the German language course), you will receive three ECTS credits that often can be transferred to your home university. Thus, after studying in Germany for four weeks, not only will you have spent an exciting time in Germany, but you will also have earned credits that can contribute to your academic career.

Accommodation
Depending on the individual program, you will be hosted in dormitories, shared apartments, or hotels, or placed with host families that have been carefully selected by the ISU team.

Personal Aspects
Throughout the program, a highly motivated team of counselors will assist you on matters pertaining to the organizational and social aspects of the program. In addition, reliable academic counseling and information on study opportunities in Hessen will also be made available to you.

Who can participate?
The Hessen:ISU programs are designed for both students and workings adults in the fields of politics, economics, law, culture, media, and technology who want to learn more about the German and European dimensions of their respective fields. Furthermore, Hessen:ISUs offer great opportunities for both learning and refreshing German language skills through the intensive language courses.

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