UNESCO Heritage Site
Hildesheim
University sites

1. Main Building Campus
   Marienburger Platz 22

2. Domäne Marienburg
   Domänenstraße

3. Building Samelsonplatz
   Samelsonplatz

4. Bühler-Campus
   Lübecker Straße 1

5. Building Kessler Straße
   Kessler Straße 57

6. Building Moltkestraße
   Moltkestraße 86

7. Building Hindenburgplatz
   Hindenburgplatz 20

8. Center for World Music
   Timotheusplatz
Important dates & facts

History

• The tradition of Teacher Education in Hildesheim goes back to the 20th century

• 1946: beginning as »the Alfeldlecture courses of the Hildesheim Teacher Training College«

• 1978: The Hildesheim Teacher Training College, meanwhile part of the Lower Saxony Teacher Training College, becomes a university in its own right; diversification meant the development and founding of new faculties outside of Teacher Training

• 1989: The University of Hildesheim is officially entitled to full university status

• 2003: The University of Hildesheim Foundation is established
Important dates & facts

Today

• more than 6000 students
• 85 professorships
• more than 600 employees in science and administration
• Research facilities of supra-regional importance
Our mission statement:

• a University with a unique profile

• a University Foundation

• a university for the students
As a university with an innovative academic profile we offer...

...a consecutive Teacher Education and Training programme with practical studies elements from the first semester onwards.

...a programme in Cultural Studies with an international orientation and fully integrated artistic practice.

...an intercultural and multidisciplinary study programme incorporating the fields of languages, translation and information studies.

...a close relationship between the university and industrial partners in Computer & Information Science (more than 30 funding enterprises).
As a young and successful University Foundation we want to...

...shape our future autonomously and self-dependently.

...do all we can to ensure close links with the society around us and powerful networking with partners in culture and commerce.

...build up the foundation assets in the long term.
As a university for the students we put special emphasis on…

…the active integration of students into teaching and learning processes.

…social responsibility: aid programmes such as the Minerva-Kolleg or social capital.

…the participation of students in the decision-making as to how students’ fees are used.

…a family-oriented university.
Total numbers of students
Sustainable growth 2002–2012

- Students: 4,074 to 6,000 (+47%)
- Professorships: 50 to 92 (+84%)
- Total numbers of employees: 349 to 643 (+84%)
- Courses: 797 to 1,532 (+92%)
- Main usable area in m²: 24,009 to 33,884 (+41%)
Studies and Teaching

Future oriented structures with

• Modular study programmes
• Bachelor and Master degrees
• Doctoral programmes

Our philosophy:

• Interdisciplinarity
• Strong networks and cooperation
• Internationalisation
• Lifelong learning
The faculties

Faculty I: Educational and Social Science

Faculty II: Cultural Studies and Aesthetic Communication

Faculty III: Communication and Information Science

Faculty IV: Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Economics and Informatics
Teacher Education

- Two-subject bachelor programme with Teacher Education/Training option (B.A./B.Sc.)
- Teacher Education for Primary and Secondary Schools (M.Ed.)
- Teacher Education for Realschule (M.Ed.)
- a wide variety of subjects in all faculties
- many possible combinations of subjects
Two-subject-bachelor-programme

• Individual study variant: The individual combination of two subjects allows you to access other vocational fields outside of Teacher Training

• Wide variety of subjects in all faculties:

Faculty I: Catholic Theology, General Science, History, Political Studies, Protestant Theology, Sport

Faculty II: Arts, Music

Faculty III: German, English

Faculty IV: Biology, Chemistry, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Technology, Labour & Management/Economics
Faculty I
Educational and Social Science

Bachelor programmes

- Educational Science
  (also as a bi-national course with a German-Russian degree)
- Psychology, focus on Pedagogical Psychology
- Social- and Organizational Pedagogy
  Defined study variant: Sports, Health & Performance

Master programmes

- Educational Science
  Early Childhood Pedagogy / Diversity Education
- Pedagogical Psychology
- Social and Organizational Pedagogy
Faculty II
Cultural Studies
and Aesthetic Communication

Bachelor programmes
• Creative Writing and Cultural Journalism
• Cultural Sciences, Aesthetics and Applied Arts
• Philosophy - Arts - Media
• The Scenic Arts

Master programmes
• Culture Mediation
  (also as a bi-national course with a German-French degree)
• Philosophy - Arts - Media
• Staging the Arts and Media
• Writing in the Literary World
Faculty III
Communication and Information Science

Bachelor programmes
- International Information Management
- International Communication and Translation, languages: English, French, Spanish

Defined study variant: English Applied Linguistics

Master programmes
- International Information Management – Information Science
- International Information Management – Linguistics & Intercultural Communication
- International Technical Communication – Languages & Technology
- Text and Translation in the Media
Faculty IV
Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Economics and Informatics

Bachelor programmes
- Business Informatics
- Information Management and Information Technology

Defined study variants:
- Environmental Protection
- Applied Mathematics and Informatics

Master programmes
- Business Informatics
- Environmental Science & Nature Protection
- Information Management und Information Technology
Further Education

- Inclusive Education and Communication | M.A.
- Cultural Diversity in Music Education | M.A.
- Organization studies | M.A.
- Distance Studies »Protestant Theology« for teachers in Lower Saxony, Final degree: Additional state examination for the subject Protestant Religion
- Distance Studies »Roman Catholic Theology and Religious Education« for teachers in Lower Saxony, Final degree: Additional state examination for the subject Roman Catholic Theology
Studying in Hildesheim offers:

- research and teaching with integrated practical studies
- individual support
- short distances, rapid orientation and a personal atmosphere
- an international flair thanks to cooperation in over 35 countries
- excellent professional perspectives thanks to a network including partners from culture, commerce and science
Research

- in 25 departments in four faculties

**Interdisciplinary scientific research institutions**

- Center for World Music
- Center for Research into Education and Teaching
- Herder-Kolleg
- Forum for Research into Subject Science
- Lower Saxony Competence Centre for Early Childhood
- Center for Interdisciplinary Women’s and Gender Studies
Promoting young researchers:

- Margot-Möller-Promotionskolleg (Doctoral College)
- Doctoral College »Educational Research«
- Graduation Program »Social Services in Transition«
- Post-grad colloquium »Gender and Education«
- Post-grad colloquium »Transnational Social Support«
Partners from the civil society
- Gerald Frank
- Dr. h.c. Arwed Löseke
- Dr. h.c. Carsten Maschmeyer
- Margot Möller-Meyer
- Dr. Georg und Dietrich Olms
- Bürgerstiftung Hildesheim
- Lions Club
- Rotary Club
- Universitätsgesellschaft Hildesheim e.V.

Partners from Commerce
- Research cooperations
- Chamber of Commerce and industry
- Chamber of Trade in Hildesheim
- more than 30 Partners from Hildesheim and the surrounding region research cooperation

Partners from Culture
- Bistumsarchiv
- Dommuseum
- Ev. Zentrum für Kirchenmusik
- LitteraNova
- Kultur Ruhr GmbH
- Kunstverein Hildesheim
- Roemer- und Pelizaeus-Museum
- Stadtarchiv
- Stadtmuseum
- Theater für Niedersachsen

Regional partner schools
- 150+ in the Hildesheim region
- 48 in the Hannover region
- 43 in the Peine region
- 27 in the Salzgitter region
- 5 in the Wolfenbüttel region
- Adult Education Centre
- Music school

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International relations
- worldwide in the top rank with over 30% Outgoings
- about 120 incoming students every year
- the European Quality Label 2006

Cooperation with Universities
- Cooperations with about 140 partner universities in more than 30 countries
- 140 international research cooperation activities
- Double-Degree-Programme in cooperation with the State University Universität Nowgorod, Russia
The University of Hildesheim cooperates with more than 250 partner schools in the region:

- Hildesheim: 99
- Peine: 100
- Hannover: 28
- Salzgitter: 27
- Wolfenbüttel: 6

Primary Schools
Secondary Schools
Realschulen
other

circle size = total number
Students’ geographic provenance
Faculty I to IV

National total:
- FB I: 1211
- FB II: 989
- FB III: 1935
- FB IV: 1135

International total:
- FB I: 49
- FB II: 39
- FB III: 130
- FB IV: 28

Data: Students in the summer semester 2012
See you.
We are happy to meet you soon!