



Hochschule Offenburg
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Offenburg University

University of Applied Sciences

Location



Offenburg



Offenburg: In the Heart of Europe



- Strasbourg (France): 30 km
- Basel (Switzerland): 120 km
- Frankfurt (Germany): 200 km
- Munich (Germany): 350 km
- Milano (Italy): 450 km
- Brussels (Belgium): 450 km
- Paris (France): 500 km
- Berlin (Germany): 700 km

Offenburg: In the Black Forest



Offenburg: Situated in Baden-Württemberg, one of Germany's strongest economic regions

Cars
produced by
Mercedes or
Porsche,

Intelligent
systems for
cars
developed
by **Bosch**,

tunnel
drilling
machines
produced by
Herrenknecht

...



Mercedes-Benz



PORSCHE



Foto: MB, Porsche



Foto: Bosch

Offenburg University of Applied Sciences was founded in **1964** as a school of engineering (polytechnic). Today, the university has 2 main campuses. **4,500 students** (12 % international students) are enrolled in 27 Bachelor and 23 Master programs assigned to 4 departments. The university has **50 labs** for study and research and seven designated research institutes.

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Campus Offenburg

Technology and Media

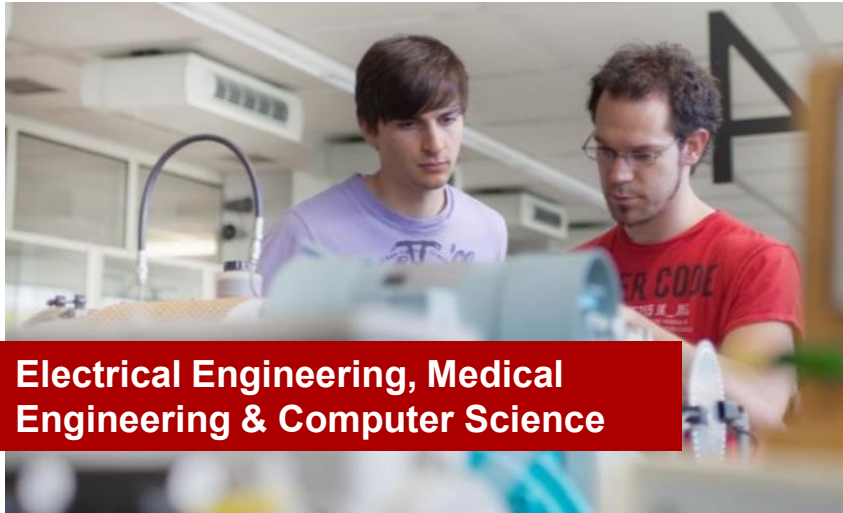


Campus Gengenbach

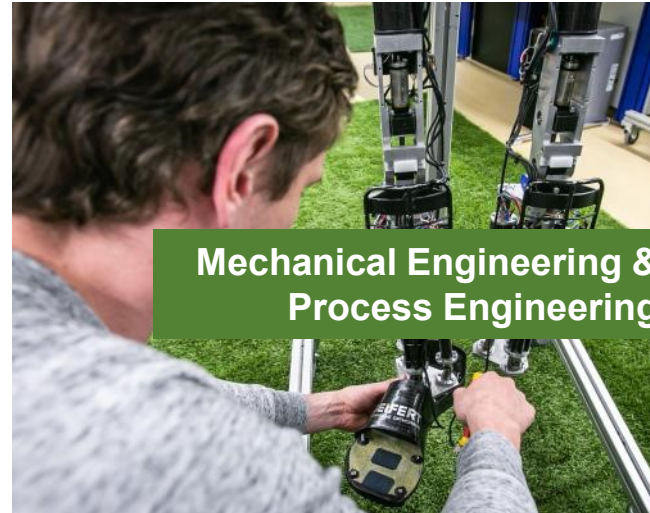
Business Administration and
Industrial Engineering



Departments



Electrical Engineering, Medical Engineering & Computer Science



Mechanical Engineering & Process Engineering



Media



Business Administration & Industrial Engineering

Bachelor's level courses in English

Courses offered by the Department of Media

Winter semester (Oct – Feb)

- Interactive Distributed Applications (5 ECTS)
- Database Systems with Lab (4 ECTS)
- Interactive Media (3 ECTS)
- Intercultural Media Design with IMD Lab (6 ECTS)
- Film (10 ECTS)
- Animation (10 ECTS)

Summer semester (Mar – Jul)

- Media Integration with Lab (4 ECTS)
- Film (10 ECTS)
- Animation (10 ECTS)
- Marketing (3 ECTS)
- Security of Web Applications (5 ECTS)



More Bachelor's level courses in English

- Choose english-taught courses from all departments
- Overview: <https://incoming.hs-offenburg.de/en/exchange-students/>



English-taught Master's Degree Programs

Offenburg's Graduate School

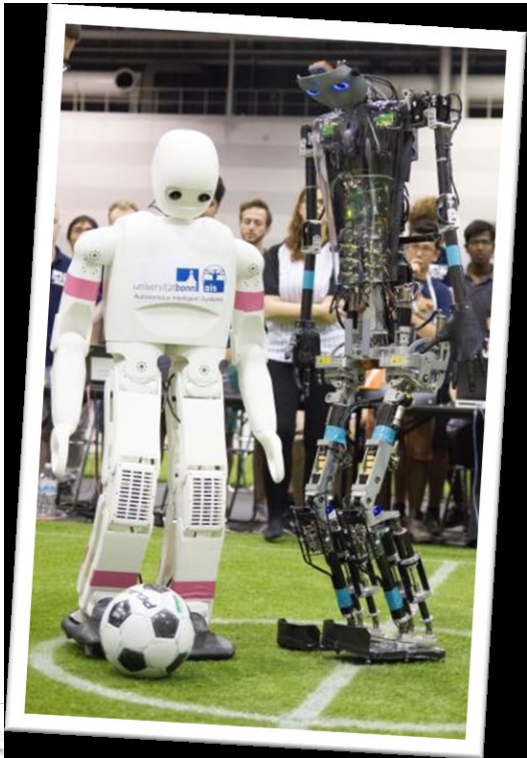
- **Biotechnology (MBT) – M.Sc.**
Focus: Biotechnological processes (German-Polish double-degree program)
- **Communication and Media Engineering (CME) – M.Sc.**
Focus: Communication, IT and media technology
- **Enterprise and IT Security (ENITS) – M.Sc.**
Focus: Technical, organizational and legal aspects of securing IT systems
- **Process Engineering (MPE) – M.Sc.**
Focus: Renewable energy processes (German-Polish double-degree program)
- **Renewable and Data Engineering (RED) – M.Sc.**
Focus: Energy systems, smart grids and their underlying algorithms, and IT and data-engineering methods
- **International Business Consulting (IBC) - MBA**
Focus: Consulting, e.g. in controlling or project management and management consulting

Excellent Infrastructure

- 50 modern laboratories with state-of-the-art technology
- IT infrastructure (PCs, WiFi access throughout campus)
- Central library with access to all German public university libraries
- E-learning platform (Moodle)
- Small student-teacher ratio and personal attention from professors
- Indoor and outdoor sports (including sailing, dancing, beach volleyball and mountain biking)
- Short distances



Student's projects (selection)



SHORTS

trinalational film festival



Courses online or on-campus?

- Courses in the winter semester 2020/21 are mainly taught online
- Laboratories are held on-campus and presence is required for exams
- Important information about online studies at a glance:
 - <https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/study-programs-student-services/about-online-studying/>
- Tools used for online learning:
 - E-Learning platform Moodle
 - HSO Chat: helpful for project or learning groups
 - ZOOM: for online lectures and project groups
 - Filr: for sharing files
 - bwSync&Share: for real-time working on shared documents
 - bwCloud: with a click to your own virtual server for final/project work or other tasks

Support Services for International Students

- Extensive assistance in finding accommodation
- Buddy system (personal mentor for the first few weeks)
- Assistance with immigration services and authorities
- Full-time German summer language course in September or Orientation Week in March
- Ongoing language courses during the lecture period
- “World Café” for practicing languages
- Cultural and social program (excursions, get-togethers, company visits, etc.)
- “Senior Service” (an initiative bringing together local senior citizens and international students)



World Café



SPRACHEN.
CAFÉ.



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Cultural Program



Student Life



Possible trips in the area



Waterfalls, Trierberg (Black Forest)

TRIP ADVISOR

Due Offenburg's central location within Europe, a wealth of cities and other tourist attractions are within easy reach. Here you can find some suggestions for trips close to Offenburg and amazing cities in Europe.



Lake Constance (Germany, Switzerland and Austria)



Reichstag (Parliament), Berlin



Neuschwanstein Castle, Schwangau (Bavaria)



Europa Park, Rust (Ortenau)



Basel, Switzerland



Strasbourg, France

Further recommendations in the region

<https://incoming.hs-offenburg.de/en/offenburg-and-the-ortenau-region/>

Accommodation



- Student residence or in private housing?
 - Depends on capacity and your expectations
- Full assistance
- Gengenbach campus has no student residence
→ private housing or living in Offenburg

International Office Team



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- Student buddies
- Baden-Württemberg-Scholarship-Program
- Transcripts

Study in Offenburg

Website: <https://incoming.hs-offenburg.de/en/exchange-students/>

Application Deadlines:

Winter Semester: May 1 | Summer Semester: November 1

Contact:

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Welcome to Offenburg University of Applied Sciences!



Questions?